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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Crawford, Murphy & Tilly,
4 Inc. (CMT) of Springfield on its 75th anniversary and its
5 strong legacy of stability and longevity as a company; and

6 WHEREAS, CMT began in Springfield in 1946 as three
7 partners and a dream; starting in a small, second-floor office
8 with no air conditioning, friends and civil engineers Len
9 Crawford, Pat Murphy, and Ray Tilly began CMT in the aftermath
10 of World War II; the friends had the idea that engineering
11 could significantly improve our country's post-war
12 infrastructure; and

13 WHEREAS, Though CMT has expanded throughout the Midwest
14 and Southeast, it is still headquartered in Springfield with
15 its original name; and

16 WHEREAS, A lot has changed since 1946 and CMT's humble
17 beginnings; now, it has more than 20 locations across the
18 country; however, the one thing that has remained constant is
19 the company's dedication to its employees and local
20 communities; and

21 WHEREAS, For 75 years, CMT has strived to provide superior

1 infrastructure solutions and to be responsive to the needs and
2 expectations of its clients, all while fostering growth and
3 development for its employees; currently, the engineering
4 consulting firm focuses its planning, engineering, design, and
5 construction expertise in the areas of aviation, rail,
6 environmental and wetlands services, surface transportation,
7 municipal and civil architecture and construction, and
8 leveraging technology for the benefit of its clients; and

9 WHEREAS, CMT has received recognition for its work over
10 the years, including being named the 2020 Large Firm of the
11 Year by the American Council of Engineering Companies-Illinois
12 Chapter (ACEC-IL), the 2014 Design Firm of the Year by ENR
13 Midwest, the Illinois Society of Professional Engineer
14 (ISPE)'s Best Large Firm to Work For in 2018, and many more;
15 and

16 WHEREAS, CMT has proudly advocated for the communities in
17 which it works, with efforts extending from the local, such as
18 donating and volunteering time to charitable organizations
19 like the United Way, to the global, including supporting
20 college students in Engineers without Borders and promoting
21 STEM initiatives for students of all ages; beyond delivering
22 value to clients, it has shown a commitment to bringing value
23 to its local and international communities; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
2 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
3 we congratulate Crawford, Murphy & Tilly, Inc. on its 75th
4 anniversary and wish the company 75 more years of success; and
5 be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to CMT, Inc. as an expression of our esteem and
8 respect.