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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Frannie's Beef & Catering  
4 on the occasion of the 30th anniversary of its founding; and

5 WHEREAS, Frannie's is a beloved institution in Schiller  
6 Park; and

7 WHEREAS, One summer day on his journey home from work in  
8 1991, Vincent DiVincenzo Sr. spotted a vacant building on  
9 River Road and considered turning the building into a  
10 restaurant with his brother, Joe; the two brothers and their  
11 parents, Franca and Rosario, then created Frannie's Beef &  
12 Catering; and

13 WHEREAS, Frannie's has been serving their famous Italian  
14 Beef and Sausage sandwich, steak Italian, and hot dogs for  
15 decades in Schiller Park; these are among other favorite menu  
16 items, including their homemade meatballs, designed to  
17 "dazzle" diners' taste buds; and

18 WHEREAS, At their River Road location, Frannie's serves  
19 additional menu options in their catering service, including  
20 Lemon Garlic Chicken, beef packages, and more; and

1           WHEREAS, Ten people currently work at Frannie's, including  
2 three who live in Schiller Park; and

3           WHEREAS, Frannie's was built by a talented and dedicated  
4 family, including Russ DiVincenzo, Vince DiVincenzo, Doreen  
5 Sowa, Joe DiVincenzo, the late Francesca DiVincenzo, and the  
6 late Rosario DiVincenzo, who have always worked to bring  
7 delicious food to their community; and

8           WHEREAS, Frannie's has reached this milestone by achieving  
9 30 years of success; the DiVincenzo family and all who work at  
10 their restaurant have shown a commitment to serving great food  
11 and providing great customer service; therefore, be it

12           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
13 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
14 we congratulate Frannie's Beef & Catering on the 30th  
15 anniversary of its founding, and we wish them many more years  
16 of success; and be it further

17           RESOLVED, That suitable copies of this resolution be  
18 presented to Vincent DiVincenzo Sr. and Joe DiVincenzo and  
19 their family as an expression of our appreciation for their  
20 work in the Schiller Park community.