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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate Mrs. Selma Feder on the 4 occasion of her 100th birthday on November 19, 2021; and

5 WHEREAS, Selma Reisberg was born in Poland on November 19,
6 1921; she and her family emigrated to the United States
7 through Ellis Island in 1929; they eventually settled in
8 Dallas, Texas, and she graduated from Forest Avenue High
9 School and first met her beloved sweetheart and husband of
10 75-years, renowned Chicago podiatric surgeon and former Niles
11 Township trustee Harold J. Feder, DPM; and

WHEREAS, Selma Feder and her husband moved to Chicago and then to Skokie, where they raised four sons who themselves grew to become upstanding, exemplary members of the community and honored professionals, including esteemed Chicago podiatric surgeons Joel Feder, DPM and Marc Feder, DPM, Attorney Alvin Feder, and Chicago media columnist and blogger Robert Feder; she is also the proud grandmother of eight grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren; and

20 WHEREAS, Selma Feder is an 80-year citizen of the City of 21 Chicago and Villages of Skokie and Lincolnwood; she is a 22 longtime active member of Skokie Valley Agudath Jacob

- 1 Synagogue; she has devoted her life not just to her family but
- 2 to over 60 years of active service and contribution to her
- 3 community as a member of her synagogue sisterhood group and a
- 4 member of numerous other charitable and philanthropic
- 5 organizations and with her efforts to benefit the greater
- 6 Skokie community, the State of Israel, and worthy causes
- 7 around the world; therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 9 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 10 we congratulate Mrs. Selma Feder on her 100th birthday on
- November 19, 2021, and we wish her many more wonderful years;
- 12 and be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 14 presented to Selma Feder as an expression of our esteem and
- 15 respect.