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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, ExxonMobil is an American company committed to
3 improving quality of life by meeting the critical needs of
4 society and constantly working to meet the changing needs of
5 its customers and stakeholders, with worldwide operations and
6 five refineries located in the United States; and

7 WHEREAS, One of the ExxonMobil refineries, commonly
8 referred to as the Joliet Refinery, is located in the
9 Channahon Township of Will County; and

10 WHEREAS, The year 2022 marked the 50th anniversary
11 celebration of the Joliet Refinery's operations in Illinois;
12 and

13 WHEREAS, The Joliet Refinery contributes millions of
14 dollars to the regional economy and is a stable employer,
15 providing more than 1,000 direct and indirect jobs for local
16 pipefitters, electricians, operating engineers, carpenters,
17 and others; and

18 WHEREAS, Each day, the Joliet Refinery processes over 11
19 million gallons of crude oil into gasoline, diesel, asphalt,
20 liquefied petroleum gas, and other products for consumers and
21 is among the most energy-efficient and lowest greenhouse gas

1 emission refineries in the country, for which the organization
2 has received EPA Energy Star awards; and

3 WHEREAS, The Joliet Refinery employee volunteers support
4 multiple local STEM education and community uplift campaigns;
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6 WHEREAS, The Joliet Refinery has been recognized by the
7 Wildlife Habitat Council and Channahon Parks for its
8 commitment to environmental conservation; and

9 WHEREAS, The Joliet Refinery has been recognized with the
10 AFPM Elite Silver Safety Award for attaining top industry
11 safety performance and excellent safety program innovation and
12 leadership; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
14 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
15 we congratulate the ExxonMobil Joliet Refinery on its 50th
16 anniversary, and we thank the organization for its work in
17 supporting the local and state economies and meeting society's
18 energy needs throughout the State of Illinois; and be it
19 further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to the Joliet Refinery as an expression of our

1 respect and esteem.