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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Doug Quick on being named  
4 the Illiana Genealogical & Historical Society Foundation's  
5 2024 Historical Preservation Award honoree; and

6           WHEREAS, Doug Quick's nearly five-decade career in  
7 broadcasting began in 1974 at WTIM/WTIM-FM in his hometown of  
8 Taylorville; he worked at several Central Illinois radio  
9 stations over the years until his move to television; and

10           WHEREAS, Doug Quick began at WICD-TV as promotions  
11 director in 1994; he then had a successful 25-year career as a  
12 radio broadcaster, manager, and sales representative; he  
13 retired as the market's longest tenured weathercaster on  
14 September 30, 2021, having been broadcasting weather at the  
15 Champaign studios since 1996; and

16           WHEREAS, Doug Quick has been active over the years in the  
17 preservation of Vermilion County and Central Illinois history,  
18 primarily in the fields of communications and the early years  
19 of television in Central Illinois; in 2017, he published  
20 Pictures on the Prairie: The First Ten Years of Mid-Illinois  
21 Television; he has maintained his Central Illinois OnLine  
22 Broadcast Museum at dougquick.com for over 20 years; and

1           WHEREAS, Doug Quick has been awarded the Silver Circle  
2 Award from the Midwest Academy of Television Arts and Science  
3 in 2013, the Silver Dome Award for Medium Market Best Anchor in  
4 2017 and in 2022, and the Russell Withers Jr. Broadcast  
5 Pioneer Award for Central Illinois; therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
7 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
8 we congratulate Doug Quick on being named the Illiana  
9 Genealogical & Historical Society Foundation's 2024 Historical  
10 Preservation Award honoree; and be it further

11           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
12 presented to Doug Quick as a symbol of our respect and esteem.