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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Candy
4 Gordon, who passed away on May 2, 2024; and

5 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon was born to Elaine D. Lunkins and
6 Randolph Littleton Sr. in Chicago on February 23, 1968; she
7 graduated from Proviso East High School in 1985; she continued
8 her education with a focus in psychology at Triton College and
9 Governors State University; and

10 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon displayed her love for others
11 through her work at a number of organizations, including Jane
12 Addams Homes in Chicago, Clearbrook in Arlington Heights, and
13 the Association for Individual Development in Aurora; she made
14 her mark in Nashville, Tennessee, where she worked at the
15 YMCA, Monroe Harding, Inc., and the Mental Health Cooperative;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon committed to her faith at an early
18 age; she loved her hometown of Chicago, traveling, and her
19 family; she enjoyed dressing up every day and spending time
20 with her grandchildren; and

21 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon was an outspoken individual who

1 cared about vulnerable people, especially the young and
2 victims of domestic violence, and she strove to help them
3 overcome obstacles so they could reach their full potential;
4 and

5 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon was preceded in death by her
6 grandmother, Hazel Lunkins; her parents; her husband, Keith
7 Gordon; and her grandchildren, Randall Gordon Jr., Canada
8 Costella, Mackayla Coleman, Makiya Gordon, Cortez Thomas Jr.,
9 Royalty Gordon, and Storm Gordon; and

10 WHEREAS, Candy Gordon is survived by her brother, Zachary
11 Lunkins; her special friend, George Sain; and her cousin,
12 Andre Harvey; 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 mourn the passing of Candy Gordon and extend our sincere
16 condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved
17 her; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
19 presented to the family of Candy Gordon as an expression of our
20 deepest sympathy.