



1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, It is the privilege of this Body to recognize and
3 honor some individuals who, through quick thinking and selfless
4 action, were responsible for saving the life of another; and

5 WHEREAS, On Saturday, April 22, 2006, at the annual Tire
6 Amnesty Day event, Ed Marsh, an employee of Expert Tire, was
7 trapped when a truck fell off of a hydraulic lift; and

8 WHEREAS, Members of Centralia High School Orphans football
9 team who were assisting with Tire Amnesty Day became aware of
10 the accident and immediately sprang into action; and

11 WHEREAS, The team members rushed to the scene and
12 immediately worked together to lift the truck to keep the
13 weight off of Mr. Marsh until police, fire, and ambulance crews
14 arrived at the scene; while he sustained injuries, Mr. Marsh
15 survived the accident because of the assistance of the young
16 men on the scene; and

17 WHEREAS, The members of the football team that helped to
18 rescue Mr. Marsh are Kyle Pender, Darren Whitelow, Travis
19 Patten, Tyler McAbee, Travis Arnold, Lucas Waters, Marquise
20 Shackelford, Jarren Baker, Nathan Berry, and Marcus Currie;
21 they were also assisted by Bob Lograsso, Expert Tire manager,
22 and Jason Hill, a Clean and Green volunteer; therefore, be it

23 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
24 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
25 we honor and salute those involved in the rescue of Mr. Ed
26 Marsh, and we thank them for the selfless action involved in
27 the rescue; and be it further

28 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
29 presented to each of those involved in the rescue of Mr. Marsh

1 as an expression of our gratitude.