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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Dorothy Chiero on 4 the occasion of being the recipient of the Charles E. Piper 5 Award on November 3, 2007; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy Chiero has been a tireless advocate of the Berwyn business community; she currently serves on the Berwyn Development Corporation's Ogden/Depot District TIF Committee and the Transit Oriented Development Steering Committee; she has been a valued employee of the Bellair Expediting Service for 31 years; she and her husband own 2 businesses, Cabin Fever and AWESOME Past Service, in Berwyn's Depot District; she was also instrumental in the formation of the Berwyn Development Corporation's Historic Depot District Special Events Committee, which has hosted such events as Bloom & Zoom, Oktoberfest, and the Festival of Lights and has brought great notoriety to Berwyn's Depot area; and

WHEREAS, In addition to her business interests, Dorothy Chiero is also a member of the 708 Mental Health Board, Democratic Citizens of Berwyn, and the Women's Club of Berwyn; she has also been an attendee of the Citizens Police Academy and the Citizens Fire Academy; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Dorothy Chiero has been married to her husband and
- 2 business partner Joe for 27 years and has raised 2 children;
- 3 she enjoys spending time with her 2 grandchildren; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Dorothy Chiero's willingness to serve her
- 5 community and her contributions to the welfare of the
- 6 businesses and people of Berwyn make her a model for the
- 7 citizens of the State of Illinois; therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 9 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 10 congratulate Dorothy Chiero on the occasion of being the
- 11 recipient of the Charles E. Piper Award and wish her continued
- success and happiness in the future; and be it further
- 13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 14 presented to Dorothy Chiero as a symbol of our esteem and
- 15 respect.