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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Joyce Lee Sowerby of Thayer, who passed away on January 22, 2008; and

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WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby was born on November 25, 1939 in Thayer, the daughter of George H. and Mary L. Gazda Sowerby; and

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WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby graduated from Virden High School with the Class of 1957; and

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WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby worked for the Illinois Department of Revenue as a public service administrator, serving more than 46 years with the Department; and

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WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby was a member of Sacred Heart Church in Virden; she was an avid bowler and a member of the Springfield Bowling Association, where she was a past president; she also enjoyed attending area live theater performances and was very family oriented; and

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WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby was preceded in death by her father, George; and

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1 WHEREAS, Joyce Sowerby is survived by her mother, Mary; her
2 sister, Linda Mae Miller; her nephews, Mark E. Tisckos and Chad
3 M. (wife Vivian) Tisckos; and her great-niece, Stephanie N.
4 Tisckos; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
6 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
7 mourn, along with her family and friends, the passing of Joyce
8 Sowerby; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Joyce Sowerby as an expression of
11 our sympathy.