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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Jacob Lane on the  
4 occasion of being inducted into the All-USA Community College  
5 Academic First Team by USA Today; and

6           WHEREAS, Jacob Lane was selected by USA Today as one of 20  
7 members of the All-USA Community College Academic First Team;  
8 students named to the First Team have not only excelled in  
9 academics but have also used their abilities to improve their  
10 campus and/or community; in addition, the students must write  
11 an essay describing an endeavor that they have undertake for  
12 the improvement of their surroundings; and

13           WHEREAS, Jacob Lane is currently a political science and  
14 law student at Danville Area Community College, where he is a  
15 Presidential Scholar and maintains a 4.0 GPA; and

16           WHEREAS, Jacob Lane is the first Danville Area Community  
17 College student to make the team; for winning this prestigious  
18 designation, he received a trophy and a \$2,500 scholarship at  
19 the President's Breakfast during the American Association of  
20 Community Colleges convention in Philadelphia; in addition, he  
21 was named a New Century Scholar for having received the most  
22 points out of all Illinois applicants, for which he was given

1 another \$2,000 scholarship; and

2 WHEREAS, Jacob Lane was honored for co-founding the College  
3 Republicans on his campus in 2007 as a way to stimulate  
4 political participation; he also helped revive his school's  
5 student government association; and

6 WHEREAS, Jacob Lane is a member of the percussion section  
7 of the Danville Municipal Band and is an Eagle Scout, the Boy  
8 Scouts of America's highest honor; he hopes to become a lawyer  
9 and run for Congress in the future; and

10 WHEREAS, Jacob Lane serves as a model of hard work,  
11 integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of  
12 Illinois; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
14 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we  
15 congratulate Jacob Lane on the occasion of being inducted into  
16 the All-USA Community College Academic First Team and wish him  
17 continued success and happiness in the future; and be it  
18 further

19 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
20 presented to Jacob Lane as a symbol of our esteem and respect.