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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, Chicago Area Project was established in 1934 as a model for juvenile delinquency prevention and youth and community services; and

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WHEREAS, The effectiveness of the Chicago Area Project model has been recognized by the State of Illinois and replicated in many communities throughout the State; and

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WHEREAS, Community services and after-school programs operated by community-based organizations provide opportunities and experiences for our youth that have a positive impact on their development; and

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WHEREAS, Chicago Area Project and the Illinois Council of Area Projects are sponsoring Youth Democracy Day on May 10, 2007; and

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WHEREAS, Youth Democracy Day celebrates the skills, talents, and potential of our youth and encourages their knowledge of, and involvement in, the democratic process; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate Chicago

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1 Area Project and the Illinois Council of Area Projects for
2 sponsoring Youth Democracy Day on May 10, 2007, and encourage
3 the youth of our State to learn about and participate in the
4 democratic process.