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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Michael "Miki" 4 Pavelonis on the occasion of her retirement after many years of 5 service with the Illinois Comptroller's Office; and

WHEREAS, In addition to her service with the Comptroller, Miki Pavelonis has been employed with numerous organizations; she taught twirling lessons from 1960 to 1967; she sold real estate for Ozment Real Estate for a year; she was the owner of American Heritage Realty for 5 years; she managed an abstract office for 2 years; she served as County Superintendent for an alternative school for 4 years; she served as the Attorney General's Senior Advocate under former Attorney General Neil Hartigan for 6 years and worked at the Attorney General's office under former Attorney General Roland Burris for 4 years; she was the first woman to be elected to the Saline County Board: she served as Vice-Chairman of the Illinois Democratic Party in 1997; she served as the Harrisburg Township Clerk and the Harrisburg Township Assessor; she served as a delegate at the Democratic National Convention for Bill Clinton; she also served as a State Central Committeewoman and has served as a Precinct Committeeperson for many years; and

WHEREAS, Miki Pavelonis currently serves on the First

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- 1 Church of God Council, the Saline County Housing Authority, and
- 2 the Coleman Tri-County Board; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Miki Pavelonis has been married to her loving
- 4 husband, Robert "Bob" Pavelonis, for 47 years; together, they
- 5 have 2 children, Bobby and Britt, and 4 grandchildren; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Miki Pavelonis serves as a model of hard work,
- 7 integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of
- 8 Illinois; therefore, be it
- 9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 10 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 11 congratulate Michael "Miki" Pavelonis on the occasion of her
- 12 retirement and wish her many happy and healthy retirement
- 13 years; and be it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to Miki Pavelonis as a symbol of our esteem and
- 16 respect.