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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are pleased to recognize Illinois State  
4 Representative Josh Harms for his hard work on behalf of the  
5 people of the State of Illinois; and

6           WHEREAS, Representative Harms grew up on a family farm in  
7 Watseka, which instilled a good work ethic and strong sense of  
8 community service; and

9           WHEREAS, Representative Harms graduated from Illinois  
10 State University in 1997 and earned his Master's Degree from  
11 Governors State University in 2007; and

12           WHEREAS, Representative Harms used his education to  
13 develop young minds in his own community, teaching in Vermilion  
14 and Iroquois Counties; and

15           WHEREAS, Since 2012, Representative Harms has furthered  
16 his service to local communities by supporting many  
17 pro-business, pro-life, and pro-taxpayer initiatives in the  
18 General Assembly; and

19           WHEREAS, Representative Harms has distinguished himself  
20 through his service on the Agriculture and Conservation,

1 Appropriations-Higher Education, Business Occupational  
2 Licenses, Cities and Villages, Economic Development, Public  
3 Safety: Police and Fire, and Veterans' Affairs Committees; and

4 WHEREAS, Representative Harms has decided to retire from  
5 the Illinois House of Representatives in order to continue his  
6 community service from his home base in Watseka and spend more  
7 time with his 2 children; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
9 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
10 we thank our friend and colleague, Illinois State  
11 Representative Josh Harms, for his service in Springfield, wish  
12 him the best in his efforts within his local communities, and  
13 express our pleasure to see him have more time to spend with  
14 his 2 lovely children, Paul and Molly; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
16 presented to Representative Harms as a token of our esteem.