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AMENDMENT TO HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 10

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AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_. Amend House Joint Resolution 10 by replacing everything after the heading with the following:

"WHEREAS, The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States 4 5 is a veterans' service organization chartered by the government of the United States; it was organized in 1914 by veterans of 6 7 Spanish-American War, the Cuban and Puerto Rican the 8 occupations, the Boxer Rebellion, and the Philippine 9 Insurrection; and

10 WHEREAS, On March 21, 1925, 26 World War I veterans and one 11 Spanish-American War veteran came together and chartered St. 12 Juvin Post 1336 of the Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United 13 States; and

14 WHEREAS, St. Juvin Post 1336 was named for a small village 15 in north-eastern France; it was the scene of many battles HJ0010SAM001

1 during the Meuse-Argonne Offensive in October of 1918 and some 2 of the members served in and around the village; and

3 WHEREAS, St. Juvin Post 1336 has continually and faithfully 4 worked to honor the dead by helping the living through veteran 5 service, community service, and strong national defense; 6 therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 8 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE 9 SENATE CONCURRING HEREIN, that we designate the month of May as 10 St. Juvin Post 1336 Month in the State of Illinois; and be it 11 further

RESOLVED, That we recognize the members of St. Juvin Post 13 1336 Veterans of Foreign Wars for the Post's 90 years of 14 service and dedication to the United States of America, its 15 veterans, and their community; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 17 presented to St. Juvin Post 1336 as a symbol of our esteem and 18 respect.".