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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE RESOLUTION 14

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Resolution 14 by replacing
3 everything after the heading with the following:

4 "WHEREAS, The boundaries of the 32nd Representative
5 District are generally in the inner city of Chicago extending
6 to the southwest suburbs of Burbank, Bridgeview, Hickory Hills,
7 and Justice, Illinois; and

8 WHEREAS, The 32nd Representative District has a voting-age
9 population of 108,734 people of various ethnic and
10 socio-economic backgrounds; and

11 WHEREAS, 27,909 of the residents of the 32nd Representative
12 District live at or below the federal poverty level; and

13 WHEREAS, The 32nd Representative District ranks in the top
14 3 of Representative Districts reporting incidents of violent

1 crime; and

2 WHEREAS, The Dan Ryan Expressway is that 12-mile portion of
3 I-90/94 located in the City of Chicago spanning from
4 approximately 95th Street to the south and Roosevelt Road to
5 the north; and

6 WHEREAS, The Dan Ryan Expressway travels through the 32nd
7 Representative District one linear mile from 67th Street to the
8 north and 76th Street to the south; and

9 WHEREAS, Within the 32nd Representative District lies
10 Halsted Street, one mile west of the Dan Ryan Expressway, and
11 Cottage Grove Avenue, one mile east of the Dan Ryan Expressway;
12 this area generally encompasses the communities of Englewood
13 and Grand Crossing including the Park Manor neighborhood; and

14 WHEREAS, In November of 1985, Mayor Harold Washington
15 entered into an intergovernmental agreement with the State of
16 Illinois whereby the State of Illinois could operate Illinois
17 State Lottery kiosks at O'Hare International Airport and,
18 subsequently, Chicago Midway International Airport; and

19 WHEREAS, In November of 1985, Governor James R. Thompson
20 entered into an intergovernmental agreement with the City of
21 Chicago whereby the Illinois State Police would patrol the Dan

1 Ryan Expressway and all other expressways in the City of
2 Chicago; and

3 WHEREAS, The State of Illinois receives monies after the
4 imposition of fines and penalties upon those persons cited for,
5 among other things, improperly operating motor vehicles on the
6 Dan Ryan Expressway between 67th Street and 76th Street; and

7 WHEREAS, The State of Illinois derives financial profits
8 directly from the Illinois State Lottery kiosks located at both
9 O'Hare International and Chicago Midway International
10 Airports; and

11 WHEREAS, In fact, the Illinois State Lottery posted fiscal
12 year 2013 revenues of: (1) \$4,939,990 from O'Hare International
13 Airport; (2) \$696,776 from Chicago Midway International
14 Airport; and (3) \$656,000,000 overall; and

15 WHEREAS, It will not be a financial burden on the State of
16 Illinois for the Illinois State Police to expand its patrol
17 area, from the Dan Ryan Expressway between 67th Street and 76th
18 Street one linear mile east and one linear mile west, to
19 support efforts at combating violent crime in the State of
20 Illinois; and

21 WHEREAS, Since as late as 1999, the Illinois State Police

1 was dispatched to and patrolled the City of East St. Louis,
2 Illinois to support efforts to combat crime in the State of
3 Illinois; and

4 WHEREAS, As of the date of the filing of this resolution,
5 over 800 registered voters, within the 2 mile rectangular
6 boundary of the Dan Ryan Expressway between 67th Street and
7 76th Street, have signed a petition imploring the Governor of
8 the State of Illinois to dispatch the Illinois State Police,
9 with all deliberate speed, to that specific area within the
10 32nd Representative District for a reasonable period of time;
11 and

12 WHEREAS, These 800 affected residents of the 32nd
13 Representative District have stated that they are in immediate
14 need of assistance and relief to protect their health, safety
15 and welfare; therefore, be it

16 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
17 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
18 there is created the Englewood Violent Crime Task Force within
19 the Illinois State Police, to consist of the following:

- 20 (1) the Governor, or his or her designee;
21 (2) the Mayor of the City of Chicago, or his or her
22 designee;
23 (3) the Mayor of the City of East St. Louis, or his or

1 her designee;

2 (4) the Illinois Attorney General, or his or her
3 designee;

4 (5) a member of the Illinois State's Attorneys
5 Association appointed by the President of the Association;

6 (6) a member of the Cook County Bar Association
7 appointed by the President of the Association;

8 (7) two members of the Illinois House of
9 Representatives chosen by the Speaker of the Illinois House
10 of Representatives, one of whom shall serve as co-chair;

11 (8) two members of the Illinois House of
12 Representatives chosen by the Minority Leader of the
13 Illinois House of Representatives, one of whom shall serve
14 as co-chair;

15 (9) the Director of the State Police or his or her
16 designee;

17 (10) the President of the Park Manor Neighbors
18 Community Council;

19 (11) the Executive Director of Project Brotherhood;

20 (12) the President of the Student Government
21 Association at the University of Illinois at Chicago;

22 (13) the President of the Student Government
23 Association at Chicago State University;

24 (14) the Director of Corrections, or his or her
25 designee who must:

26 (A) be from the Division of Parole;

1 (B) be an active field agent; and

2 (C) possess at least a master's degree in criminal
3 justice or criminology;

4 (15) a faculty member of the Department of Criminology,
5 Law & Justice at the University of Illinois at Chicago
6 appointed by the President of the University of Illinois;

7 (16) a member of the Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce
8 appointed by the chairman of the board of the Chicagoland
9 Chamber of Commerce;

10 (17) a member of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce
11 appointed by the chairman of the board of the Illinois
12 Chamber of Commerce; and

13 (18) a member of the Illinois Retail Merchants
14 Association appointed by the President/CEO of the Illinois
15 Retail Merchants Association; and be it further

16 RESOLVED, That all appointments shall be made no later than
17 45 days following the adoption of this resolution; and be it
18 further

19 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall study and determine the
20 causes of violent crime in Englewood and nearby affected
21 communities; and be it further

22 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall study and determine the
23 feasibility of deploying the Illinois State Police to Englewood

1 and nearby affected communities and neighborhoods; and be it
2 further

3 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall review and analyze the
4 Illinois State Police's headcount and minimum staffing levels
5 in the Chicago area, calls for service, annual overtime cost,
6 and other factors that would be relevant to a Illinois State
7 Police presence in the Englewood community; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall conduct a thorough
9 review and analysis of the 2014 detail between Illinois State
10 Police and the Chicago Police Department's fugitive
11 apprehension unit in Chicago; and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall develop a comprehensive
13 long-term solution to the effect of violent crime in Englewood
14 and nearby affected communities; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall recommend a plan of
16 action to substantially reduce the incidents of violent crime
17 in Englewood and nearby affected communities; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall draft any necessary
19 legislation and make any necessary recommendations for
20 appropriations for the General Assembly to pass and the
21 Governor to sign to place the plan of action into immediate

1 effect; and be it further

2 RESOLVED, That the Task Force shall report its findings and
3 recommendations and submit any and all proposed legislation to
4 the Governor and General Assembly on or before December 31,
5 2015; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That the members of the Task Force shall serve
7 without compensation, but shall be reimbursed for their
8 reasonable and necessary expenses from the funds appropriated
9 for that purpose from the Illinois State Police; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be presented to
12 the Speaker of the Illinois House of Representatives, the
13 Minority Leader of the Illinois House of Representatives, the
14 Governor of the State of Illinois, the Director of State
15 Police, the Mayor of the City of Chicago, and the Mayor of the
16 City of East St. Louis."