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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 2016; 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."