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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives Wish to congratulate Edward "Ed" Zabrocki on his 34 years of service to the people Tinley Park; and

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WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki was first elected as the Mayor of the Village of Tinley Park in 1981; and

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WHEREAS, Under Ed Zabrocki's 34 year term as Mayor, the Village of Tinley Park transformed to one of the Chicago region's leading suburbs; and

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WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki is considered an approachable, accessible, and honest leader; and

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WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki is praised and regarded as a great leader of the Village of Tinley Park; and

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WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki was instrumental in making the Village of Tinley Park home to the Crisis Center for South Suburbia and Together We Cope, organizations that impact the lives of thousands of people even beyond the Tinley Park voter limits; and

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WHEREAS, Under Ed Zabrocki, Tinley Park won the prestigious

1 designation of Business Week's Best Place in America to Raise
2 Kids in 2009; and

3 WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki was the only mayor in the South
4 Suburban Mayors and Managers Association to have twice served
5 as president; and

6 WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki grew the population of the Village of
7 Tinley Park from approximately 26,000 to approximately 57,000;
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9 WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki brought structural and economic
10 growth to the Village of Tinley Park, creating a convention
11 center and an outdoor music theater; and

12 WHEREAS, Ed Zabrocki announced his resignation, effective
13 June 1, at the annual Tinley Park business breakfast on May 6,
14 2015; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
16 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
17 congratulate Edward "Ed" Zabrocki on 34 years of outstanding
18 service as the Mayor of the Village of Tinley Park; and be it
19 further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to Ed Zabrocki as a symbol of our recognition,
2 respect, and esteem.