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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to recognize the 125th anniversary of the
4 National Association of Letter Carriers (NALC) Branch 219
5 Aurora; and

6 WHEREAS, NALC Branch 219 was founded on May 6, 1891 with
7 just 10 members and has grown to represent over 245 members
8 from Aurora, Montgomery, Yorkville, and Plano; and

9 WHEREAS, The members of NALC Branch 219 are devoted members
10 of their community; every second Saturday in May since 1992,
11 members of NALC Branch 219, as well as letter carriers
12 nationwide take part in the Stamp Out Hunger food drive; in
13 more than 10,000 cities and towns across the country
14 non-perishable food donations are collected and delivered to
15 community food banks, pantries, and shelters; in the last 15
16 years, more than \$20 million dollars and one billion pounds of
17 food have been collected by letter carriers; and

18 WHEREAS, Since 1952, the Muscular Dystrophy Association
19 has been the national charity of the NALC; and

20 WHEREAS, The NALC was founded in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in
21 1889 and is the sole representative of city delivery letter

1 carriers employed by the United States Postal Service; members
2 are also members of the AFL-CIO; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
4 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
5 recognize the 125th anniversary of the National Association of
6 Letter Carriers Branch 219 Aurora and we wish them many more
7 successful years; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to NALC Branch 219 as an expression of our esteem and
10 respect.