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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to honor Robert Paul Havlik for his many 4 years of service to his country and his family; and

5 WHEREAS, Robert Havlik was born on October 25, 1923 at his 6 home on the northwest side of Chicago to Ferdinand and Dorothy 7 Havlik; he married Mildred Eileen Moe on May 19, 1951; and

WHEREAS, Robert Havlik attended Farnsworth Elementary School; after their father passed away when Robert was nine, he and his brother, Ferdinand Jr. "Fred", took a paper route to help their mother; he went on to attend Lane Technical High School; he graduated in 1942; and

WHEREAS, Robert Havlik worked at Western Electric as a millwright until he enlisted in the United States Navy on March 12, 1943; after attending basic training at the Great Lakes Naval Training base, he served in Norfolk, Virginia and aboard the USS Bull; after his discharge in 1945, he returned to Western Electric to work as a millwright for the next 44 years and one month until the company closed; and

WHEREAS, On June 8, 2016, Robert Havlik flew with the Honor Flight from Chicago to Washington D.C., which he considers one

- 1 of his greatest memories; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Robert Havlik is the stepfather of Wayne Russell;
- 3 the father of Patricia Ann; the grandfather of Rene Lynn
- 4 Corbett and Aaron Daniel Jagelski; and the great-grandfather of
- 5 Michael Wayne Corbett; therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 7 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 8 honor Robert Paul Havlik for his many years of service and wish
- 9 him many happy and healthy years to come; and be it further
- 10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 11 presented to Robert Havlik as a symbol of our esteem and
- 12 respect.