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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- 2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
- 3 Representatives wish to recognize milestone events in the
- 4 lives of the citizens of the State of Illinois; and
- 5 WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that William Stahl
- 6 is retiring from the Somonauk Community Fire Prevention
- 7 District after 54 years of dedicated service as a trustee;
- 8 and
- 9 WHEREAS, Mr. Stahl was one of the very first trustees for
- 10 the Somonauk Fire Prevention District when it was founded in
- 11 1948; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Mr. Stahl immigrated with his family from
- 13 Germany in 1912 and settled near Belvidere, Illinois, before
- 14 moving to Somonauk in 1914, where he sold fuel to farmers for
- 15 most of his life; and
- 16 WHEREAS, William Stahl, who is celebrating his 95th
- 17 birthday in May, continued to be very active in the fire
- 18 prevention district until recently; and
- 19 WHEREAS, William Stahl will be honored by the Somonauk
- 20 Fire Prevention District on May 7, 2002, in recognition of
- 21 his 54 years of dedicated and loyal service as a trustee;
- 22 therefore, be it
- 23 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 24 NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 25 we congratulate William Stahl on his retirement as a trustee
- 26 for the Somonauk Fire Prevention District for the past 54
- 27 years, and we wish him well on the celebration of his 95th
- 28 birthday; and be it further
- 29 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 30 presented to William Stahl as an expression of our esteem.