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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Dr. Philip
4 Holloway on receiving the 2018 Rural Physician of Excellence
5 Award from the Illinois Rural Health Association; and

6 WHEREAS, One of the biggest healthcare challenges across
7 our nation is the shortage of physicians who practice in rural
8 settings; and

9 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway earned his Bachelor of Science from
10 Millikin University and graduated from the Illinois College of
11 Podiatric Medicine in 1982; and

12 WHEREAS, After graduation, Dr. Holloway completed a Foot
13 and Ankle Radiology Fellowship at the Scholl Illinois College
14 of Podiatric Medicine and then his residency in Podiatric
15 Medicine and Surgery at the Hines VA Hospital in Chicago in
16 1983; and

17 WHEREAS, In 1984, Dr. Holloway returned to his hometown and
18 began practicing at the Paris Community Hospital/Family
19 Medical Center; and

20 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway also treats patients at the Rural

1 Health Clinics in Marshall and Clinton, Indiana; and

2 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway serves as an active member of the
3 board of directors for the Illinois Rural Community Care
4 Organization; and

5 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway also serves on the board of Hopes and
6 Dreams, a local organization whose mission is to alleviate the
7 housing challenges facing by teens whose basic needs are not
8 being met so they can concentrate on staying in school; and

9 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway's passion for rural health is not
10 limited to podiatry; he actively recruits physicians of all
11 specialties to practice in rural settings and played an
12 integral role in starting Horizon Health's telepsychiatry and
13 dialysis services; and

14 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway not only attends to the healthcare
15 needs of his community but the culinary needs as well; he can
16 often be found cooking and serving customers with his wife,
17 Lynn, at his family's Main Street Cafe; and

18 WHEREAS, Dr. Holloway has made a huge impact in improving
19 rural healthcare in central eastern Illinois; therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE

1 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
2 congratulate Dr. Philip Holloway on receiving the 2018 Rural
3 Physician of Excellence Award, and we commend him for his 35
4 years of self-less service and dedication to his patients; and
5 be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to Dr. Holloway as a symbol of our respect and
8 esteem.