1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

- WHEREAS, Maureen McSweeney Escherich will be honored on
- 3 June 9, 2003, at the Rosewood West by the Mount Greenwood
- 4 Civic Association as the 2003 "Woman of the Year"; and
- 5 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
- 6 Representatives have been informed of this accomplishment by
- 7 State Representative Kevin Joyce; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Maureen is the devoted daughter of Robert and
- 9 Shirley McSweeney; she is a graduate of Saint John Fisher
- 10 Grammar School in 1973 and Bogan High School in 1977; she
- 11 married Art Escherich on March 21, 1986; the union of their
- 12 marriage brought them three beautiful daughters, Maura,
- 13 Kathleen, and Claire; their family has been proud
- 14 parishioners of Queen of Martyrs Parish for the past 12
- 15 years; and
- 16 WHEREAS, Almighty God in his infinite wisdom called
- 17 Arthur Escherich to his eternal reward on February 14, 2002;
- 18 his kindness, courage, and terrific sense of humor endeared
- 19 him to family, friends, and all who knew him; and
- 20 WHEREAS, Maureen has been a dedicated employee of the
- 21 Cook County Assessor's office since December of 1979; she has
- 22 served as a precinct captain for the 19th Ward Democratic
- Organization for 12 years; and
- 24 WHEREAS, Maureen is active in numerous civic
- 25 organizations, as well as many charitable causes in her
- 26 community, including the Mount Greenwood Special Recreation
- 27 Parents' Association, the Mount Greenwood Civic Association,
- 28 the Queen of Martyrs Holy Name Society, the Elim Christian
- 29 School Parents' Association, and the Marist High School
- 30 Mothers Club; and
- 31 WHEREAS, Maureen Escherich, throughout her life, has been

- 1 respected by family and friends for her character,
- 2 dedication, and commitment to a worthy cause in need;
- 3 therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 5 NINETY-THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 6 we congratulate Maureen Escherich for being honored as the
- 7 2003 Woman of the Year and for her commitment to the Mount
- 8 Greenwood Community; and be it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this Resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Maureen Escherich as an expression
- of our respect and esteem.