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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, State Representative Monique D. Davis and the Illinois House of Representatives congratulate Carol Conway, a Morgan Park High School English teacher, on her retirement; and

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WHEREAS, From 1971 to 1977, Ms. Conway taught English at Morgan Park High School; from 1977 to 1988, she taught English at Hyde Park Career Academy; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Conway returned to Morgan Park in 1988 and has taught English III, AP, and creative writing; she has also served as a NHS advisor from 1991 to 2000 and an IB Diploma coordinator from 1999; and

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WHEREAS, She received her BA degree in English from St. Mary of the Woods College in 1971 and her MA degree in English from CSU in 1977; and

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WHEREAS, She has received numerous awards, including the Coca Cola 2005 Joseph B. Whitehead Educator of Distinction Award; the 2001 Suave Performance Plus Award; the 1999 Chicago Shakespeare Theatre's Teacher Advisory Board; and the 1998 Golden Apple Finalist; and

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WHEREAS, In 1999, her creative writing students presented "Shakespeare Alive" at the Drake Hotel for the International Council of Teachers of English; in 1997, she gave a presentation at NYU for the National Council of Teachers of English on service learning projects; and

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WHEREAS, Ms. Conway's influence as an English teacher will continue in the hearts and minds of her students; therefore, be it

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RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE

1 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
2 we congratulate Carol Conway on her retirement and thank her
3 for her many years of service in public education; and be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to Carol Conway as an expression of our esteem.