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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The Sauganash Woman's Club of Chicago is a worthy organization whose goal is to return services to the local and larger community for which its members accept responsibility as good citizens; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are pleased to honor and recognize milestone events of civic organizations in the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that the Sauganash Woman's Club is celebrating its 80th anniversary on November 10, 2005, with a special fall benefit party at which the Club will remember the neighborhood women who created the Sauganash Woman's Club in 1926 and honor the hardworking and generous core of members who today sustain it; and

WHEREAS, Over the decades, the Club extended the helping hands of its members in many directions, including raising funds to send children to summer camp, purchase a seeing-eye dog, provide scholarships to worthy college students, endow special causes, support the USO, and more recently, help meet the needs of food pantries, homeless shelters, and local schools; and

WHEREAS, Additionally, the Club expanded the ways it serves others by creating committees that address specific needs, including The Smile Train, Make a Wish, and the Night Ministry; and

WHEREAS, Most recently, the Club opened its membership and Club members look forward to further growth and new ways to serve in the 21st century; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE

1 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
2 we congratulate the Sauganash Woman's Club on its 80th
3 anniversary and its many years of service to those in need in
4 Chicago and the surrounding area; and be it further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the Sauganash Woman's Club as an expression of our
7 high esteem.