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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate the congregation 4 of Bethel A.M.E. Church in Robbins on the occasion of the 5 church's 103rd anniversary; and

6 WHEREAS, The Bethel A.M.E. Church has been a pillar of the 7 Robbins community for the past 103 years and has served as a 8 source of stability and spirituality for the citizens of 9 Robbins, both young and old; and

10 WHEREAS, The Bethel A.M.E. Church members have dedicated 11 much of their time and energy to helping the children of their 12 community; they created a Tender Heart Reading Program to help 13 the children of their community experience the joys of reading; 14 the church also created an abstinence and character-building 15 program for teenagers; and

16 WHEREAS, The Bethel A.M.E. Church has been a cornerstone of 17 the religious and civic history of the Village of Robbins and 18 of the State of Illinois; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 20 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 21 congratulate the congregation of Bethel A.M.E. Church on the HR1126 -2- LRB095 20632 GRL 48782 r 1 occasion of the church's 103rd anniversary and wish them 2 continued success and happiness in the future; and be it 3 further

4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 5 presented to the congregation of Bethel A.M.E. Church as a 6 symbol of our esteem and respect.