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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Ron Lantrip, 4 former President and CEO of SIU Credit Union, on his retirement 5 after 28 years of service; and

6 WHEREAS, Ron Lantrip began his career at the credit union 7 in 1980 as a collections agent; he was promoted to loan officer 8 in 1983 and to vice president of lending in 1985; and

9 WHEREAS, He was named senior vice president in 1988 and 10 acting CEO in June of 1992; he began his duties as CEO in 11 October 1992 with one retail location and 9,300 members with 12 \$31.8 million in assets; today, SIU Credit Union has three 13 retail locations, a 10-county community charter, 18 Select 14 Employee Groups, a technology and call center, and 22,100 15 members with \$138 million in assets; and

16 WHEREAS, Under his tenure, SIU Credit Union has expanded 17 its reach and services offered to the membership; he oversaw 18 the implementation of online banking, new corporate websites, 19 computer conversions, implementation of indirect lending with 20 area auto dealers, and a sales and service culture; and

21 WHEREAS, He serves on the board of directors of the

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1 Illinois Credit Union League; he is a memeber of the Egyptian
2 Chapter of the Illinois Credit Union League, and the Rotary
3 Club of Carbondale; and

4 WHEREAS, Following his retirement, Mr. Lantrip plans to 5 spend time with family, travel, and play golf; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 7 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we 8 congratulate Ron Lantrip on his retirement and wish him success 9 in his future endeavors; and be it further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 11 presented to Ron Lantrip as a symbol of our respect.