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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Wanda Marzahl for
4 receiving the "2010 Most Dedicated Blood Drive Coordinator
5 Award" from the Illinois Coalition of Community Blood Centers;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, For over 25 years Wanda Marzahl has played a
8 significant role in ensuring a safe and adequate blood supply
9 for her community; and

10 WHEREAS, Wanda Marzahl volunteered to coordinate her first
11 blood drive on behalf of the Rock River Valley Blood Center at
12 Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church in Harvard, held on
13 December 12, 1984, and where 66 units of blood were collected;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, Since her first blood drive was such a success,
16 Wanda Marzahl coordinated two blood drives for the Rock River
17 Valley Blood Center again in 1985; and

18 WHEREAS, In 1986, Wanda Marzahl expanded her volunteerism,
19 hosting three blood drives a year; and

20 WHEREAS, Since 1996, Wanda Marzahl has been hosting 4 blood

1 drives a year in Harvard; and

2 WHEREAS, Wanda hosts one of her drives in December, one of
3 the most difficult months to collect blood; she incorporates a
4 "Toys for Tots Drive" to further benefit those in need in her
5 community; and

6 WHEREAS, Wanda has served as the Chairperson of 92 blood
7 drives and is responsible for the collection of 5,165 pints of
8 blood; and

9 WHEREAS, In 2010 the Rock River Valley Blood Center
10 nominated Wanda Marzahl as the "Most Dedicated Blood Drive
11 Coordinator" in a State-wide competition hosted by the Illinois
12 Coalition of Community Blood Centers; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
14 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
15 commend Wanda Marzahl for her years of service and commitment
16 to the community and wish her continued success with her blood
17 drive collection efforts; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
19 presented to Wanda Marzahl as a symbol of our respect and
20 esteem.