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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate Jack Wagner on the 4 occasion of his departure from public service after being the 5 longest serving Councilman in the Village of Palatine; and

6 WHEREAS, Jack Wagner has proudly represented Palatine's 7 5th District; in addition to holding elected office, he has 8 over 24 years of community and municipal service in Palatine; 9 he helped start the Village of Palatine's paramedic program in 10 the mid-1970s as a Palatine Board of Health member; he also 11 served as a Salt Creek Park District Commissioner from 1983 to 12 1991 and worked to open the Twin Lakes park development; and

13 WHEREAS, Jack Wagner played an integral role in the 14 aftermath of the 1993 murders of seven workers at the Brown's 15 Chicken and Pasta restaurant; he served as a liaison to the 16 police department and organized a \$100,000 reward fund that 17 ultimately was divided between two witnesses last year after 18 the second killer's conviction; and

19 WHEREAS, Jack Wagner was a strong advocate for innovation20 and improved measures for public safety; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Wagner has served as a model of hard work,

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3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 4 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that 5 we congratulate Jack Wagner on the occasion of his departure 6 from public service and wish him many happy and healthy years 7 to come; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 9 presented to Jack Wagner as a symbol of our esteem and respect.