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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, Sarah Salameh, an esteemed resident of Plainfield
3 and a senior at the Illinois Mathematics and Science Academy in
4 Aurora, has achieved national recognition for exemplary
5 volunteer service by receiving a 2012 Prudential Spirit of
6 Community Award; and

7 WHEREAS, This prestigious award, presented by Prudential
8 Financial in partnership with the National Association of
9 Secondary School Principals, honors young volunteers across
10 America who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to
11 serving their communities; and

12 WHEREAS, Sarah Salameh earned this award by spending last
13 summer volunteering with the environmental group SCARCE
14 (School and Community Assistance for Recycling and Composting
15 Education); much of Sarah's time was spent volunteering for the
16 SCARCE Book Rescue by helping teachers in low-income schools
17 select much-needed books and supplies; and

18 WHEREAS, The success of the State of Illinois, the strength
19 of our communities, and the overall vitality of American
20 society depend, in great measure, upon the dedication of young
21 people like Sarah Salameh who use their considerable talents
22 and resources to serve others; therefore, be it

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
3 we congratulate Sarah Salameh on being a recipient of a 2012
4 Prudential Spirit of Community Award, recognizing her
5 outstanding record of volunteer service, peer leadership, and
6 community spirit, and extend our best wishes for her continued
7 success and happiness; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to Sarah Salameh as a symbol of our esteem.