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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives wish to recognize Anne Flanigan Bassi for her decades of exceptional public service to Highland Park, Lake County, and the broader community; and

WHEREAS, Anne Flanigan Bassi has spent her career in public life rooted not in personal ambition, but in a deep and enduring commitment to community, beginning with grassroots activism and continuing through her distinguished leadership in elected and appointed office; and

WHEREAS, Anne Flanigan Bassi served as Moraine Township Supervisor from 2013 to 2025; she previously served as a commissioner and chair of the Lake County Board for over a decade and as a member of the North Shore School District 112 Board of Education, bringing to each role her hallmark approach of thoughtful, people-centered governance; and

WHEREAS, Throughout her years of service, Anne Flanigan Bassi has been a steadfast advocate for environmental sustainability, affordable housing, and smart infrastructure investments, including helping to secure millions of dollars in funding to rebuild the Highland Park and Highwood communities; and

1 WHEREAS, Anne Flanigan Bassi has been recognized for her
2 leadership through numerous honors, including being named
3 Highland Park's Humanitarian of the Year and Lake County's
4 Affordable Housing Advocate of the Year, reflecting both the
5 breadth of her impact and the deep respect she has earned
6 across the region; and

7 WHEREAS, Beyond her official titles and accomplishments,
8 Anne Flanigan Bassi is known for her deep ties to the
9 community, her ability to connect local leaders with needed
10 resources, and her belief that public service is about
11 listening, being present, and working side by side with
12 neighbors to strengthen the social fabric of our towns and
13 neighborhoods; and

14 WHEREAS, Anne Flanigan Bassi leaves behind a legacy of
15 public trust, collaboration, and principled leadership that
16 has shaped lives and strengthened institutions across Lake
17 County and beyond; therefore, be it

18 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
19 HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
20 we recognize Anne Flanigan Bassi for her decades of tireless
21 and compassionate service to her community, and we extend to
22 her our heartfelt appreciation and best wishes on her

1 retirement from public life; and be it further

2 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
3 presented to Anne Flanigan Bassi as a symbol of our gratitude
4 and admiration.