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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Lincoln Elementary School
4 District (ESD) 156 in Calumet City on the occasion of its 100th
5 anniversary; and

6 WHEREAS, Lincoln ESD 156 began as the Sobieski School,
7 which was constructed in the early 1920s to support the
8 growing population of families in the area; and

9 WHEREAS, Lincoln ESD 156's name was later changed to
10 Lincoln Elementary School by a student committee chaired by
11 Sylvia Pierkarczyk-Mica to reflect the values of leadership,
12 integrity, and progress; and

13 WHEREAS, Lincoln ESD 156 has evolved into a strong pillar
14 of educational excellence and community pride since officially
15 opening its doors in 1925; and

16 WHEREAS, Lincoln ESD 156 will host a centennial
17 celebration on August 16, 2025; 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 congratulate Lincoln Elementary School District (ESD) 156

1 on achieving its 100th anniversary, and we wish Lincoln ESD
2 156 continued success in its ongoing legacy of academic
3 excellence and community service; and be it further

4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
5 presented to the Superintendent of Lincoln ESD 156, Dr. Anita
6 Rice, as an expression of our esteem and respect.