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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, E'Leric Donae Lyon was born to Latasha Cunningham Taylor on April 19, 2001; the second born of four children, she was cared for by her mother and her stepfather, Devonte Taylor; and

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WHEREAS, E'Leric Lyon was raised in Beach Park and graduated from Zion-Benton Township High School, where she participated in the Navy Junior Reserve Officer Training Corps (NJROTC); she also played the clarinet for more than 12 years; and

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WHEREAS, E'Leric Lyon led a career in security; in her free time, she enjoyed making social media videos that often went viral, and she loved doing her makeup, nails, and hair; and

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WHEREAS, E'Leric Lyon had a special connection with her mother, calling her at the time of 11:11 to make a wish; she was full of love and devotion, kind to everyone throughout her life, a friend to all, and always in high spirits; and

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WHEREAS, E'Leric Lyon was a vibrant, young woman with a promising future ahead of her when she was murdered by her partner on June 12, 2025; through her memory, her family hopes

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1 to help prevent other domestic violence homicides and provide
2 justice for victims' families; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
4 HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
5 we declare November 11, 2025 as E'Leric Lyon Day in the State
6 of Illinois to celebrate the joy and love that E'Leric Donae
7 Lyon shared with those around her; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of E'Leric Lyon as an expression of our
10 esteem and respect.