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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Theresa A. Cockrell, who passed away on February 9, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Theresa Cockrell was a lifelong resident of Downers Grove; and

WHEREAS, Theresa Cockrell dedicated over 35 years of her life to Downers Grove Township, serving first as a clerk and then being appointed to the position of assessor in 1983; she was elected to the position in 1985 and re-elected in 1989, 1993, 1997, 2001, 2005, 2009, and 2013; and

WHEREAS, Theresa Cockrell was a member of the International Association of Assessing Officials and a past President of the DuPage County Assessors Association; and

WHEREAS, Theresa Cockrell lived a full life filled with her interests in history, writing, art, reading, antiquing, gardening, and her three pets, Dover, Sadie, and Tweak; and

WHEREAS, Theresa Cockrell was the daughter of Helen and the late John Cockrell; the sister of Susan Sheldon and Janis (James) Gorski; the aunt of Amanda (Mark) Roe, Amber (Collin)

1 Verbick, and Daniel and Emily Gorski; and the great-aunt of
2 Evelyn and Miles Roe, and Coral Verbick; all who will remember
3 her will deeply miss her; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
5 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
6 mourn the passing of Theresa A. Cockrell, and extend our
7 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew
8 and loved her; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Theresa Cockrell as an expression of
11 our deepest sympathy.