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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate newly-elected City of
4 Chicago Treasurer Melissa Conyears-Ervin on her retirement as
5 State Representative for the 10th District; and

6 WHEREAS, While serving in the Illinois House, Treasurer
7 Conyears-Ervin was actively involved in legislative
8 initiatives to improve the quality of life for the people of
9 the 10th District, in Chicago, and in the State of Illinois;
10 and

11 WHEREAS, As State Representative, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin
12 was the chief sponsor of legislation to help children in
13 schools, to help teachers repay their student loans, and to
14 help the formerly-incarcerated gain employment; and

15 WHEREAS, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin is deeply concerned for
16 those living in poverty and was the chief sponsor of
17 legislation to ensure individuals in poverty have access to
18 jobs in the construction services and to improve access to
19 resources for women and babies in need; and

20 WHEREAS, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin was elected as treasurer
21 for the City of Chicago by a substantial margin on April 2,

1 2019; and

2 WHEREAS, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin was raised in Chicago by
3 a single mom from whom she learned the value of hard work and
4 education; and

5 WHEREAS, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin has a Master of Business
6 Administration from Roosevelt University; she has 15 years of
7 experience in the insurance industry and has a background in
8 mentoring; and

9 WHEREAS, As Chicago's next City Treasurer and Chief
10 Investment Officer, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin has pledged to
11 ensure transparency, accountability, and an exemplary
12 investment strategy unlike any other city; and

13 WHEREAS, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin has promised to lead
14 initiatives which value the economic capacity of individuals
15 living in underbanked and underserved communities; and

16 WHEREAS, Above all, Treasurer Conyears-Ervin is devoted to
17 her family; she is married with a lovely daughter; therefore,
18 be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
20 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that

1 we congratulate newly-elected City of Chicago Treasurer
2 Melissa Conyears-Ervin on her retirement as State
3 Representative for the 10th District, and we wish her the best
4 in all her future endeavors; and be it further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to Treasurer Conyears-Ervin as a symbol of our
7 respect and esteem.