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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The Illinois Migrant Council, in partnership with  
3           Community Health Partnership and First Street Renaissance, has  
4           been holding pop up vaccine clinics throughout the State  
5           through the Equity Distribution Division of the Illinois  
6           Department of Public Health; and

7           WHEREAS, The Illinois Migrant Council has vaccinated  
8           approximately 20,000 people, mostly from the Latinx community;  
9           it has vaccinated many seniors, people with disabilities,  
10          essential workers from lower income brackets, and people who  
11          lack technology or other ways to access appointments; and

12          WHEREAS, The Illinois Migrant Council clinics are unique  
13          and provide a friendly, family-oriented atmosphere; many  
14          attendees come with their children or in multi-generational  
15          families and share their gratitude, relief, and joy after  
16          receiving their shots; and

17          WHEREAS, The Illinois Migrant Council team provides the  
18          dignity, compassion, and cultural competence that leads to  
19          people feeling safe, valued, and respected, and is making a  
20          difference with heroic leadership in the fight to get everyone  
21          in our great State vaccinated; and

1           WHEREAS, The Illinois Migrant Council has been a partner  
2 with the State of Illinois for 40 years, providing vaccines  
3 and other vital services to migrant workers across the State;  
4 therefore, be it

5           RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
6 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
7 we recognize the efforts by the Illinois Migrant Council in  
8 vaccinating those most in need and making everyone safer and  
9 healthier; and be it further

10          RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
11 presented to the Illinois Migrant Council as a symbol of our  
12 respect and esteem.