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## HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate the Flossmoor Station 4 Restaurant & Brewery on the occasion of its 25th anniversary; 5 and

6 WHEREAS, In 1906, The Illinois Central Railroad built the 7 original building that now houses the Flossmoor Station 8 Restaurant & Brewery when there were only six homes in the 9 community of Flossmoor; the area was a weekend and summer 10 getaway for executives who lived and worked in the city; and

11 WHEREAS, Over time, the building became obsolete as a 12 train station and began to fall into disrepair; Flossmoor 13 natives, Dean and Carolyn Armstrong, made the decision to turn 14 the building into a charming establishment that the community 15 could enjoy; they added modern conveniences but preserved as 16 much of the authentic character as possible; and

17 WHEREAS, The Flossmoor Station Restaurant & Brewery opened 18 in 1996 and offers handcrafted beers, a lively atmosphere, and 19 a friendly, knowledgeable staff; to date, their brews have won 20 over 80 awards; and

21 WHEREAS, The Flossmoor Station Restaurant and Brewery also

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offers gourmet pub food that combines quality fare with a host
of locally-sourced seasonal specials and keeps customers
returning again and again; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE 5 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that 6 we congratulate the Flossmoor Station Restaurant & Brewery on 7 its 25th anniversary, and we wish them many more wonderful 8 years; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 10 presented to Dean and Carolyn Armstrong as a symbol of our 11 respect and esteem.