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HOUSE RESOLUTION 1 Illinois 2 WHEREAS, The members of the House of 3 Representatives wish to congratulate the Russell Oil Company 4 on the occasion of its 50th anniversary; and 5 WHEREAS, The Russell Oil Company is located on 200 East 6 Main Street in the Village of Galatia; and 7 WHEREAS, The Russell Oil Company is owned by Leon and 8 Janet Russell, who have been serving the petroleum industry in 9 the Galatia community for more than 50 years; and 10 WHEREAS, Leon and Janet Russell started their company with one location in November 1971, with the couple living with 11 12 their four children in an apartment above the store when they 13 first started their business; and 14 WHEREAS, The Russell Oil Company has continued to expand 15 over the years; and 16 WHEREAS, Today, the Russell Oil Company includes 14 17 convenience stores, two package stores, three hardware stores, and two furniture stores in Illinois; therefore, be it 18

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE

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- 1 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 2 we congratulate Russell Oil Company on its 50th anniversary,
- 3 and we wish the company continued success; and be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 5 presented to Leon and Janet Russell as an expression of our
- 6 esteem and respect.