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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are pleased to congratulate the administration 4 and staff of Prairie Center Health Systems, Inc., on the 5 occasion of the 40th anniversary of the Center; and

6 WHEREAS, Prairie Center Health Systems, Inc., (Prairie 7 Center), has grassroots ties to 3 organizations starting In 1968: The Mustard Seed Club, the Champaign County Council on Alcoholism, and Gemini House, in Champaign-Urbana; and

WHEREAS, Prairie Center has expanded substance abuse services to Ford and Vermilion County; Prairie Center provides a continuum of substance abuse services from school-based prevention education, community education, early intervention counseling, outpatient, DUI services, intensive outpatient, day treatment, and adult inpatient residential and detoxification; and

WHEREAS, Prairie Center is an innovator in serving youth and adults involved with the criminal justice system, providing community re-integration housing and support, in-detention substance abuse services, and treatment alternatives to incarceration through its Vermilion and Champaign County Drug Courts; and

- 1 WHEREAS, Prairie Center has been responsive to the needs of
- 2 the communities it serves, providing affordable, effective
- 3 drug and alcohol education and treatment to over 6,000
- 4 residents annually, restoring lives, families, and
- 5 communities; therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
- 7 NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 8 congratulate Prairie Center Health Systems, Inc., on the
- 9 occasion of the 40th anniversary of the Center; and be it
- 10 further
- 11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 12 presented to the administration and staff of Prairie Center as
- a symbol of our respect.