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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 Eve Ferrera for her 4 successful efforts with "Operation Cool-Aid"; and

WHEREAS, Operation Cool-Aid was founded a couple of years ago, after Eve Ferrera learned that men and women serving in Iraq and Afghanistan were drinking foul-tasting water; after learning that they added Kool-Aid to their water for a better taste, Ms. Ferrera decided to spearhead an effort with the congregation of McKinley Baptist to ensure that our service men and women can enjoy their much-needed drinks; and

WHEREAS, From its humble beginnings, Operation Cool-Aid is now a wide-ranging project, with almost every church, bank, and shop in Harrisburg joining together towards this cause; since the operation's conception, thousands of dollars of donated packets have been sent to soldiers from Harrisburg and Saline County; and

WHEREAS, Eve Ferrera serves as a model of hard work, integrity, and dedication for the people of the State of Illinois; therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE

- 1 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
- 2 congratulate Eve Ferrera for her successful efforts with
- 3 "Operation Cool-Aid" and wish her continued success in the
- 4 future; and be it further
- 5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 6 presented to Eve Ferrera as a symbol of our esteem and respect.