



1 requirements, and educational opportunities often arise only  
2 in a haphazard way throughout the period of a season or school  
3 year; and

4 WHEREAS, Examples of a need for programs that can meet the  
5 needs of a changing society are present from institutions of  
6 higher education, newspapers, and the media that decry the lack  
7 of character development and moral and ethical education and  
8 the seeming lack of moral judgment in making business,  
9 political, and even personal decisions; and

10 WHEREAS, There are Illinois programs that can have great  
11 positive impact on the character development of the children of  
12 this State and that satisfy Section 27-12 of the School Code;  
13 therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
15 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
16 we recognize that there are Illinois programs that are  
17 qualified to teach character development and that are fully in  
18 compliance with Section 27-12 of the School Code."