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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate the Rockford Rescue
4 Mission on the occasion of its 50th anniversary of serving the
5 Rockford community; and

6 WHEREAS, The Rockford Rescue Mission opened its doors in
7 1964 and has been dedicated to helping the homeless and needy
8 around the community ever since; and

9 WHEREAS, The Rockford Rescue Mission has provided 58,767
10 nights of lodging, 164,455 meals, 159,355 miscellaneous items,
11 10,019 counseling sessions, and 2,684 Hope Clinic patient
12 visits to those in need; and

13 WHEREAS, The Rockford Rescue Mission works to serve the
14 community with integrity and excellence; the mission rejoices
15 in lives changed by God and instills core values, such as
16 living for the glory of God, and respecting human dignity,
17 which has helped Rockford Rescue Mission become a staple when
18 it comes to helping those in need; and

19 WHEREAS, Over the last 50 years, the Rockford Rescue
20 Mission has proved true to its mission statement, which has
21 allowed the Rescue Mission to be open for so many years and

1 provide countless people with the help they need when they fall
2 on tough times; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
4 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
5 we congratulate the Rockford Rescue Mission on the occasion of
6 its 50th anniversary and wish the mission's volunteers
7 continued success in the future; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the Rockford Rescue Mission as a symbol of our
10 esteem and respect.