

1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives wish to congratulate Craig Roselieb on a
4 stellar career spanning 33 years as an instructor of music
5 education and wish him well in his upcoming retirement; and

6 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb is a 1979 graduate of Downers Grove
7 South (DGS) High School; he completed a Bachelor of Music from
8 Northern Illinois University in Music Education and Saxophone
9 Performance in 1984, where he was a three-year member of the
10 NIU Jazz Ensemble under Ron Modell; he was a winner in the 1983
11 Concerto Competition on alto saxophone as a student of Steve
12 Duke; and

13 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb earned a Master of Music in
14 Instrumental Conducting from Northwestern University in 1988,
15 where he directed the Symphonic Band and Concert Band under
16 John P. Paynter, and directed the Jazz Lab Band and played jazz
17 tenor in the Northwestern University Jazz Ensemble with Don
18 Owens; and

19 WHEREAS, After completing his master's degree, Craig
20 Roselieb worked for three years at Glenbrook North High School
21 and two years at Wheaton Central High School before taking a
22 job at his alma mater 28 years ago in 1990; he is currently

1 completing his final year as Director of Bands at DGS; and

2 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb has taught virtually every music
3 class available during his tenure at DGS, and his current
4 responsibilities at DGS include the Marching Mustangs, Wind
5 Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble, Wind, Symphony, Symphonic Band, and
6 Concert Band; and

7 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb has led both domestic and
8 international group travel experiences for students to
9 destinations including Germany, England, Switzerland, Rome,
10 the Czech Republic, San Francisco, Orlando, Hawaii, New
11 Orleans, Tampa Bay, the Symphony Center in Chicago, and
12 Carnegie Hall; and

13 WHEREAS, In recent years, the Marching Band has been a
14 three-time finalist in the Illinois State Marching Band
15 Championship, the Jazz Ensemble has been a finalist at the
16 Essentially Ellington Festival in New York and the Swing
17 Central Jazz Festival in Savannah, Georgia, and the Wind
18 Ensemble has been selected three times for the University of
19 Illinois Superstate Festival; the Jazz Ensemble was also
20 selected to perform at the 2011 Midwest Clinic, the 2012
21 Illinois Music Education Association (ILMEA) All-State
22 Festival, and the 2012 Chicago Jazz Festival; and

1 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb has served as the ILMEA District I
2 President and is currently the ILMEA Jazz Division President;
3 he has maintained professional memberships in the National
4 Association for Music Education (NAfME) and the American School
5 Band Director's Association (ASBDA); and

6 WHEREAS, Craig Roselieb has garnered numerous professional
7 citations, including the National Band Association Citation
8 for Excellence four times, the Chicagoland Outstanding Music
9 Educator Award, and the Mr. Holland's Opus Award; therefore, be
10 it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
12 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
13 congratulate Craig Roselieb on making a positive difference in
14 the lives of the countless students he taught at Downers Grove
15 South High School, Glenbrook North High School, and Wheaton
16 Central High School, and we wish him the best in all his future
17 endeavors; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
19 presented to Craig Roselieb as an expression of our
20 appreciation and esteem as he approaches retirement.