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**HOUSE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing Alpha
Kappa Alpha Day at the Capitol.

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3 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, which has the*
4 *distinction of being the first sorority established by*
5 *African-American college women, was founded at Howard*
6 *University in Washington, D.C., in 1908 and has expanded*
7 *internationally to 850 chapters;*

8 *Whereas, Indiana hosts 22 of these chapters located on*
9 *college and university campuses and has active alumnae*
10 *groups in communities throughout the state;*

11 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha is committed to community*
12 *service and actively contributes to the educational, civic, and*
13 *social life of Indiana's citizens;*

14 *Whereas, Alumnae chapters encourage their members to*
15 *become involved community volunteers in one of their primary*
16 *service components that include education, health, the*
17 *economy, arts, and family;*

18 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha provides community support*
19 *through service initiatives identified in the sorority's*
20 *international platform Launching New Dimensions of Service*
21 *as outlined by Dorothy Buckhanan Wilson, international*
22 *president;*

23 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha plans to accomplish this goal*
24 *through initiatives like Emerging Young Leaders, Alzheimer's*
25 *disease and caregiver support, mental health, childhood*



1 *hunger, fiscal responsibility, environmental ownership, and*
2 *global impact;*

3 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha is dedicated to serving all*
4 *mankind and has improved the lives of many people throughout*
5 *the years; and*

6 *Whereas, This great sisterhood has established a nationally*
7 *recognized program known as Alpha Kappa Alpha Day at the*
8 *Capitol: Therefore,*

9 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives*
10 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*
11 *the Senate concurring:*

12 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly recognizes
13 Central Regional Director Kathy A. Walker-Steele; State
14 Connection Chair Vanessa J. Summers; and members of Alpha
15 Kappa Alpha for all the good work they accomplish.

16 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
17 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to Central
18 Regional Director Kathy A. Walker-Steele; State Connection
19 Chair Vanessa J. Summers; and participants in Alpha Kappa
20 Alpha Day at the Capitol.

