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2 Service Bureau for its 50 years of service to the young people
3 of St. Joseph County.

4 *Whereas, The Youth Service Bureau of St. Joseph County was*
5 *founded in 1972 and celebrates its 50th anniversary this year;*

6 *Whereas, The ultimate goal of the Youth Service Bureau is to*
7 *provide all youths with the safety and opportunities required to*
8 *succeed. This often involves repairing damage done by abuse,*
9 *neglect, and homelessness;*

10 *Whereas, The Youth Service Bureau has several programs*
11 *designed specifically to help youths get on their feet. Some of*
12 *these include programs for young mothers, individual and*
13 *family counseling services, an emergency youth shelter, and*
14 *transitional living programs;*

15 *Whereas, These programs aid the estimated 1,000 young*
16 *people who experience homelessness each year in St. Joseph*
17 *County;*

18 *Whereas, The programs offered by the Youth Service Bureau*
19 *change lives. Of those who entered the Safe Station Shelter,*
20 *95% were able to find safe, stable housing. Of those who*
21 *entered the Transitional Living Program, 93% gained*
22 *employment; and*

23 *Whereas, The services provided by the Youth Service Bureau*
24 *are crucial to the young people of St. Joseph County and thus,*
25 *the future of Indiana: Therefore,*



1 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives*
2 *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*
3 *the Senate concurring:*

4 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors the
5 Youth Service Bureau of St. Joseph County for 50 years of life
6 changing work.

7 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
8 Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to the
9 office of State Representative Jake Teshka.

