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**HOUSE  
RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_**

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*Introduced by: Heine*

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1           A HOUSE RESOLUTION honoring the New Haven Food  
2 Bank.

3           *Whereas, In 2000, Emanuel Lutheran Church in New Haven,*  
4 *Indiana, joined forces with the Associated Churches of Fort*  
5 *Wayne & Allen County to form the New Haven Food Bank;*

6           *Whereas, With the help of The Lutheran Foundation,*  
7 *Emanuel Lutheran Church purchased a trailer and converted*  
8 *it into a food trailer with a refrigerator, freezer, air*  
9 *conditioning, heater, and shelving in order to bring food to the*  
10 *church for distribution;*

11           *Whereas, The community, which includes the city of New*  
12 *Haven, businesses, schools, and individuals, donates time, food,*  
13 *and treasure. Each year in May, the postal drive collects*  
14 *thousands of pounds of food;*

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1       *Whereas, Emanuel Lutheran Church provides a friendly and*  
2       *welcoming environment for the distribution of food, as well as*  
3       *spiritual help for those in need; and*

4       *Whereas, On February 14, 2023, the New Haven Food Bank*  
5       *provided its 1,000,000th meal for those in need: Therefore,*

6               *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*  
7               *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

8       SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives  
9       honors the New Haven Food Bank for its work in providing  
10       help for its community members who need it most.

11       SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of  
12       Representatives shall transmit copies of this resolution to State  
13       Representative Dave Heine for distribution.

