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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. _____**

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1 A HOUSE RESOLUTION recognizing the Alpha Kappa
2 Alpha Sorority Inc. and its 100th Central Regional Conference
3 for the Central Region, March 28-31, 2019.

4 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, which has the*
5 *distinction of being the first sorority established by*
6 *African-American college women, was founded at Howard*
7 *University in Washington D.C., in 1908 and has expanded*
8 *internationally to 1,018 chapters;*

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

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

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1 *Whereas, Alumnae chapters encourage their members to*
 2 *become involved community volunteers in one of their primary*
 3 *service components that include education, health, the*
 4 *economy, arts, and family;*

5 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha provides community support*
 6 *through service initiatives identified in the sorority's*
 7 *international platform Exemplifying Excellence Through*
 8 *Sustainable Service as outlined by Dr. Glenda Baskin Glover,*
 9 *International President;*

10 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha plans to accomplish goals*
 11 *through its initiatives HBCU for Life: A Call to Action,*
 12 *Women's Healthcare and Wellness, Building our Economic*
 13 *Legacy, The Arts, and Global Impact;*

14 *Whereas, Alpha Kappa Alpha is dedicated to serving all*
 15 *mankind and has improved the lives of many people throughout*
 16 *the years; and*

17 *Whereas, The ladies of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. in*
 18 *the Central Region will celebrate 100 years being a service to*
 19 *all mankind: Therefore,*

20 *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the*
 21 *General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

22 SECTION 1. That the House Resolution recognizes Central
 23 Regional Director Sonya Bowen and the members of Alpha
 24 Kappa Alpha for all the good work they accomplish.

25 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
 26 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to the Central
 27 Regional Director Sonya Bowen; and the participants of the
 28 100th Central Regional Conference, March 28-31, 2019.

