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1           A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION honoring the Junior League of  
2 Indianapolis ("JLI") on the occasion of its 95th anniversary.

3           *Whereas, The Junior League of Indianapolis ("JLI") was*  
4 *founded in 1922, and has spearheaded countless community*  
5 *service initiatives over its 95 years, including founding the*  
6 *Occupational Therapy Department at Riley Hospital for*  
7 *Children, playing a key role in the city's hospitality efforts at*  
8 *the 1987 Pan Am Games, establishing the Docent Program*  
9 *at the Indianapolis Museum of Art, and leading the first*  
10 *Susan G. Komen Race for the Cure;*

11           *Whereas, JLI is committed to furthering its missions of*  
12 *promoting voluntarism, developing the potential of women,*  
13 *and improving the community through the effective action*  
14 *and leadership of trained volunteers;*

15           *Whereas, JLI has served as an incubator of talent and for*  
16 *95 years has invested in the future of its leaders and the*  
17 *community by training, mentoring, and inspiring generations*  
18 *of women to work together to build a better community;*

19           *Whereas, JLI has served Marion County and the*  
20 *surrounding areas with projects focusing on social support,*  
21 *family support, and access to strong educational*  
22 *programming and resources;*



1           *Whereas, JLI members serve as volunteers to the city and*  
 2           *have demonstrated an unparalleled commitment to*  
 3           *community service in Indianapolis for generations;*

4           *Whereas, JLI partners with over a dozen organizations*  
 5           *each year to invest over \$200,000 in funding and countless*  
 6           *volunteer hours to build a better community since 2013,*  
 7           *which equates to an investment of over one million dollars in*  
 8           *Central Indiana;*

9           *Whereas, JLI held its inaugural "Around the Community*  
 10          *- Around the Clock" event in 2016, during which more than*  
 11          *160 members engaged in 94 hours of continuous community*  
 12          *service in donating a combined total of 506 volunteer hours*  
 13          *to 13 nonprofit organizations;*

14          *Whereas, JLI is expanding the "Around the Community -*  
 15          *Around the Clock" event to 95 continuous hours of*  
 16          *community service in honor of its 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2017;*

17          *Whereas, JLI intends to expand "Around the Community*  
 18          *- Around the Clock" by one hour each year, leading up to*  
 19          *100 hours to celebrate its 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary in 2022; and*

20          *Whereas, It is fitting that the Indiana General Assembly*  
 21          *honors JLI on the occasion of its 95<sup>th</sup> anniversary, commends*  
 22          *JLI for its enduring commitment to bettering the community,*  
 23          *and thanks JLI for its immeasurable service to Indianapolis:*  
 24          *Therefore,*

25                   *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*  
 26                   *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives concurring:*

27           SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly honors the  
 28           Junior League of Indianapolis ("JLI") on the occasion of its 95<sup>th</sup>  
 29           anniversary and thanks JLI for its many years of service to the  
 30           community.

31           SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed  
 32           to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Michelle Study-



- 1 Campbell, President of the Junior League of Indianapolis.

