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**HOUSE
RESOLUTION No. ____**

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A RESOLUTION honoring Aaron Holden.

Whereas, Aaron Holden was among the 11 Hoosiers recently inducted into the Red Cross Hall of Fame;

Whereas, These brave Hoosiers are heroes because they faced an extraordinary moment and responded bravely;

Whereas, Aaron Holden, a resident of Pendleton, Indiana, confronted his extraordinary moment on June 15, 2006;

Whereas, Jim Ashcraft, Aaron's neighbor, had been mowing his yard when his wife Jo Ann could not hear the lawn mower that Jim had been running;

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Whereas, She looked for him and found a tire sticking out of the pond and her husband's hat on the bank;

Whereas, Jo Ann ran to Aaron Holden for help;

Whereas, Aaron Holden flipped over the 800 pound mower, freed his friend, and dragged him out of the pond; and

Whereas, Heroic acts deserve special recognition: Therefore,

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

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives thanks
2 Aaron Holden for his bravery and quick actions without concern for his
3 own well-being and congratulates him on his induction into the Red
4 Cross Hall of Fame.

5 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
6 Representatives shall transmit a copy of this resolution to Aaron
7 Holden and his family.

