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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

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, read first time and referred to Committee on



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1	A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing the home
2	of the Charley Creek Inn for 100 years as the hub of downtown
3	Wabash, Indiana.
4	Whereas, The Charley Creek Inn occupies a building
5	located at 111 West Market Street in Wabash, Indiana, that has
6	been used continuously for 100 years;
7	Whereas, Open for business in 1920, the building opened
8	as the home of Hotel Indiana;
9	Whereas, The building later housed the Red Apple Inn, and
10	was used primarily as residential apartments;
11	Whereas, In 2007, when the building was threatened with
12	demolition, Richard E. Ford bought the building and led a \$15
13	million renovation to save the structure;
14	Whereas, The building reopened in 2010 as the Charley
15	Creek Inn and was added to the National Register of Historic
16	Places;
17	Whereas, The renovation to the building earned the 2011
18	Outstanding Commercial Rehabilitation Award from the
19	Indiana Department of Natural Resources;
20	Whereas, The Charley Creek Inn has become the
21	destination of choice for business travelers, entertainers,
22	weekend adventurers, and couples seeking a romantic retreat;



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1	Whereas, Today, the Inn forms the hub of the Wabash Arts
2	and Entertainment District, and features fine dining, a
3	convenient location close to many popular tourist spots, and a
4	nostalgic feel; and
5	Whereas, Richard Ford's renovation of the building saved
6	a Wabash County institution that has served thousands of
7	customers over the years, and will be enjoyed for generations
8	to come: Therefore,
9	Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly
0	of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives
1	concurring:
2	SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly
3	recognizes the home of the Charley Creek Inn for 100 years as
4	the hub of downtown Wabash, Indiana.
5	SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
6	to transmit copies of this Resolution to the Charley Creek Inn
7	and to owner Richard F. Ford

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