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COUNTY BOARD, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
REGULAR SEPTEMBER, A.D., 2006 SESSION  
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2005

MEMBERS OF THE LAKE COUNTY BOARD:

Your Chairman presents herewith a RESOLUTION in remembrance of the tragedies suffered in the Gulf Coast Region as a result of Hurricane Katrina. Today we remember the men and women who lost their lives, and we offer our support to families who have been displaced from their homes, that they may find comfort in the love and prayers of their fellow Americans as well as people around the world. We also remember those who have given their time, money and resources to assist those in need.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Suzi Schmidt, Chairman  
Lake County Board

## **RESOLUTION**

**WHEREAS**, Hurricane Katrina was a natural disaster unprecedented in United States history, and

**WHEREAS**, thousands of Americans died and hundreds of thousands of Americans were left without homes, food, water, electricity and other necessities, and

**WHEREAS**, in the aftermath, the people of Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama are struggling to rebuild their lives in the face of this catastrophic loss, and

**WHEREAS**, hurricane victims and their families need continual support from volunteers and donors while they live in evacuation centers throughout the country, and

**WHEREAS**, the generosity of people throughout our nation enriches our country and demonstrates the compassion of the American people.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Lake County Board hereby recognizes the victims of Hurricane Katrina and supports the relief efforts through monetary donations, deployment of Lake County Sheriff's Deputies, volunteer services by specialized County personnel and a donation drive to collect needed materials.

**DATED, at WAUKEGAN, LAKE COUNTY, ILLINOIS**, on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of September, A.D., 2005.