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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 5488

2 AMENDMENT NO. _____. Amend House Bill 5488 on page 2,
3 line 2, by replacing "created." with "created, shall meet on a
4 quarterly basis for 4 years after the effective date of this
5 Act, and shall, by no later than June 30, 2028, submit to the
6 General Assembly, in accordance with Section 3.1 of the
7 General Assembly Organization Act, a report that contains the
8 final recommendations developed under subsection (b)."; and

9 on page 2, by replacing lines 3 through 6 with the following:

10 "(b) The Legacy Tree Program Task Force shall establish
11 recommendations for the creation of a statewide legacy tree
12 designation program to promote the identification, awareness,
13 commemoration, and preservation of significant trees in the
14 State."; and

15 on page 2, line 9, by replacing "Coalition" with "Council";
16 and

1 on page 2, by replacing lines 21 through 23 with the following:

2 "(7) one representative of the University of Illinois
3 Extension forestry program, appointed by the Governor;

4 (8) one representative of an association that
5 represents Illinois arborists, appointed by the Governor;

6 (9) two representatives of the Department of Natural
7 Resources, appointed by the Governor;"; and

8 on page 2, line 24, by replacing "(8)" with "(10)"; and

9 on page 2, line 26, by replacing "(9)" with "(11)"; and

10 on page 3, line 2, by replacing "(10)" with "(12)"; and

11 on page 3, line 5, by replacing "(11)" with "(13)"; and

12 on page 3, line 7, by replacing "(12)" with "(14)"; and

13 on page 3, line 9, by replacing "(13)" with "(15)"; and

14 on page 3, line 11, by replacing "(14)" with "(16)"; and

15 on page 3, line 14, by replacing "(15)" with "(17)"; and

16 on page 3, line 16, by replacing "(16)" with "(18)"; and

1 on page 3, line 25, after "standards", by inserting "that can
2 be used on a variety of trees"; and

3 on page 4, by replacing lines 1 and 2 with the following:

4 "(2) criteria for which the historical and cultural
5 significance of a tree could be measured"; and

6 on page 4, by replacing lines 5 through 8 with the following:

7 "(4) exploring partnership opportunities with units of
8 local government for oversight of the legacy tree program
9 and participation in the program;

10 (5) creating a public awareness program, including
11 digital media, a website, a legacy tree tool kit and
12 educational materials to be made available by the
13 Department of Natural Resources for use by units of local
14 government;

15 (6) exploring funding sources for the maintenance of
16 the statewide legacy tree program, including grant funding
17 opportunities to facilitate participation in the program
18 by units of local government"; and

19 on page 4, line 9, by replacing "(6)" with "(7)"; and

20 on page 4, line 10, by replacing "(7)" with "(8)"; and

1 on page 4, line 11, by replacing "(8)" with "(9)"; and

2 on page 4, line 13, by replacing "(9)" with "(10)"; and

3 on page 4, line 15, by replacing "(10)" with "(11)".