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## 1 House Resolution

2 A resolution designating February 6, 2004, "Ronald Reagan  
3 Day" in Florida.

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5 WHEREAS, President Ronald Wilson Reagan, elected in 1980 as  
6 the 40th President of the United States of America, served his  
7 nation and indeed the entire world with uncommon integrity,  
8 honor, and distinction, and

9 WHEREAS, following his first term in office, President  
10 Reagan was reelected by three-fifths of the electorate, winning  
11 in 49 of the 50 states, a record unsurpassed in the history of  
12 American presidential elections, and

13 WHEREAS, rising from a humble background, President Reagan  
14 was dedicated to an active social policy that resulted in  
15 lowered crime and drug use in the nation's neighborhoods, and  
16 his inauguration of a bold, bipartisan effort to restore  
17 accountability and common sense to government led to  
18 unprecedented economic expansion and opportunity for millions of  
19 Americans, and

20 WHEREAS, President Reagan's commitment to the country's  
21 armed forces contributed to the restoration of a sense of  
22 patriotism and pride in America and her values and those  
23 cherished by the free world and prepared the nation to meet 21st  
24 century challenges; and his vision of "peace through strength"  
25 led to the end of the Cold War and the ultimate demise of the  
26 Soviet Union, resulting in the reinstatement of basic human  
27 rights for millions of people, and

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28           WHEREAS, born February 6, 1911, President Ronald Reagan,  
29 unarguably one of the great figures of the 20th century, has now  
30 attained his 93rd birthday, NOW, THEREFORE,

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32 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of  
33 Florida:

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35           That the superlative character, commitment, and service of  
36 Ronald Wilson Reagan, 40th President of the United States of  
37 America, are acknowledged with genuine honor and gratitude, and  
38 February 6, 2004, is designated "Ronald Reagan Day" in Florida.