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4 By: Representatives Walker, Schexnayder, Brown, Broadway, Bennett, Roberts, Booker, Keltner, Rodgers, Hale, McGee, and Harris  
5 By: Senator Walker

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## HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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21 WHEREAS, a large portion of the State of Arkansas was ravaged by  
22 tornados on Saturday, March 1, 1997; and

23 WHEREAS, the law enforcement, Red Cross, the Office of Emergency  
24 Services, the National Guard, utilities corporations, financial institutions,  
25 media, a variety of both government and private organizations, as well as  
26 citizen volunteers, responded immediately, efficiently and effectively to  
27 assist the victims of the disaster; and

28 WHEREAS, the disaster has once again demonstrated not only the tenacity  
29 and stamina of the people of this state but also their loving and caring  
30 nature for one another; and

31 WHEREAS, although we are saddened by the losses, especially the great  
32 loss of life and injuries, our hearts are also lifted by the multitude of  
33 reports of people helping people;

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35 NOW THEREFORE,

36 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-FIRST GENERAL

1 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

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3        THAT the House of Representatives expresses appreciation to all the  
4 citizens of the State of Arkansas for their role in assisting the victims of  
5 the recent tornados that ravaged this state, on an individual basis or through  
6 a corporation.

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