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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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H O U S E R E S O L U T I O N

**EXPRESSING SINCERE CONDOLENCES ON THE PASSING OF ALICE JANE COSTELLO
BOSS-ALTMAN**

Introduced By: Representatives Ajello, Tanzi, McEntee, Shekarchi, and Solomon

Date Introduced: April 11, 2019

Referred To: House read and passed

1 WHEREAS, It is with great sadness that this House has learned of the passing of Alice
2 Boss-Altman, the beloved wife of Sanford Altman, the devoted mother of Geoffrey Boss and his
3 wife, Monica, Andrew Boss and his wife, Melissa, and Peter Boss and his wife, Megan, and the
4 doting "Nani" of seven grandchildren, Charlotte, Sydney, Morgan, Hannah, Teeden, Hayes and
5 Pippa, whom she loved dearly; and

6 WHEREAS, Born in the City of Providence, a daughter of the late Raymond Costello and
7 Bessie Costello-Landrigan, Alice Costello grew up in Pawtucket and Narragansett, and was the
8 sister of John Costello and the late Elizabeth Ann Costello Sheridan, and the loving aunt of many
9 nieces and nephews; and

10 WHEREAS, Mrs. Boss-Altman attended the Convent of the Sacred Heart, and earned her
11 degree from Garland College; and

12 WHEREAS, In addition to making a warm and welcoming home for her family and
13 many close friends, Mrs. Boss-Altman was passionate in her devotion to numerous altruistic
14 causes including, serving as a board member of WaterFire Providence, and volunteering her time
15 and talents with The Met School, RISD Museum Associates, Providence Art Club, Meeting Street
16 School, as well as a panoply of mixed arts and educational organizations throughout her life; and

17 WHEREAS, In her leisure hours, Mrs. Boss-Altman enjoyed time with her family and the
18 company of her friends. She was also a member of the Dunes Club, the Providence Art Club, the
19 University Club and Handicraft Club, and a former member of Point Judith Country Club, Rhode

1 Island Country Club, Agawam Hunt Club and Lyford Cay Club; and

2 WHEREAS, Our thoughts and hearts hold great empathy and sorrow for the family and
3 friends of Alice Boss-Altman. The most fitting tribute to her would surely be a celebration of her
4 life, a life in which each and every day was lived fully and joyfully embraced. She will be dearly
5 missed and forever remembered by all who had the good fortune to be part of her glorious life;
6 now, therefore be it

7 RESOLVED, That this House of Representatives of the State of Rhode Island and
8 Providence Plantations hereby extends deepest condolences on the passing of Alice Jane Costello
9 Boss-Altman; and be it further

10 RESOLVED, That the Secretary of State be and hereby is authorized and directed to
11 transmit a duly certified copy of this resolution to Mr. Sanford Altman and Family.

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