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Greetings!

I'm pleased to welcome everyone gathered for the 11<sup>th</sup> Annual Woodlawn Community Summit.

Hosted by residents for residents, the Woodlawn Community Summit is designed to primarily assist in the development and implementation of the Woodlawn Community's plan to strengthen the economic and social capital of the neighborhood. Since its inception in 2009, the Woodlawn Community Summit has continued to prove its dedication in working to develop programs centered on youth engagement, economic development, and housing. Considered one of the newer models in civic engagement, the summit is the largest of its kind on Chicago's South Side.

This is also a wonderful opportunity to reflect on all you have accomplished over the past 11 years. Your longevity is truly a testament to the relationships this organization has fostered over time.

On behalf of the people of Illinois, I offer my best wishes for an enjoyable and memorable summit.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JB Pritzker". The signature is stylized and written in a cursive-like font.