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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Jordan
4 Goldstein of Gainesville, Florida, formerly of Chicago,
5 Carbondale, and Carterville, Illinois, on May 14, 2018; and

6 WHEREAS, Jordan Goldstein was born in Chicago to Freida
7 Berman and Irv Goldstein on August 7, 1941; he attended the
8 University of Illinois at Navy Pier and Southern Illinois
9 University at Carbondale, where he majored in physical
10 education and later earned a master's degree in rehabilitation
11 administration; and

12 WHEREAS, Jordan Goldstein met Joyce Pickford in
13 Carbondale; they married in 1966 and remained together until
14 his death; and

15 WHEREAS, Jordan Goldstein excelled in sports and was well
16 known in Southern Illinois as a top-notch slow-pitch softball
17 player; and

18 WHEREAS, For years, Jordan Goldstein refereed youth
19 basketball, umpired softball, and coached youth teams in
20 Southern Illinois; he also helped organize and volunteered for
21 the Special Olympics in Southern Illinois; and

1 WHEREAS, For many years, Jordan Goldstein worked as a
2 rehabilitation counselor for the Illinois Department of
3 Rehabilitation Services in Carbondale, where he helped many
4 people with physical, intellectual, and developmental
5 disabilities and their families connect with government and
6 other services and supports that gave his clients the
7 opportunity to accomplish their life goals; and

8 WHEREAS, Upon retirement, Jordan Goldstein moved to
9 Gainesville, Florida, where he continued his work assisting
10 persons with disabilities in obtaining services, so they could
11 live productive lives; and

12 WHEREAS, Jordan Goldstein is survived by his wife, Joyce;
13 his brother, Ira; his son, Richard; his daughter, Dana Plotke;
14 and his three grandchildren; therefore, be it

15 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
16 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
17 mourn the passing of Jordan Goldstein and extend our sincere
18 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
19 him; and be it further

20 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
21 presented to the family of Jordan Goldstein as an expression of

1 our deepest sympathy.