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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Eugene Fowler of Moline, who passed away 4 on April 9, 2017; and

5 WHEREAS, Eugene Fowler was born in Kaufman, Texas to Hugh 6 and Sudie (DeMasters) Fowler on March 1, 1935; he served in the 7 United States Army and married Earlene McCallister in Fort 8 Smith, Arkansas on March 19, 1955; and

9 WHEREAS, Eugene Fowler was a barber at the Esquire Barber
10 Shop in Silvis for 20 years; he was then employed by Moline
11 School District #40 from 1970 to 1987 and the Hickman Mills
12 School District in Kansas City, Missouri until 1993; and

WHEREAS, Eugene Fowler was a devoted husband, father, and grandfather; he had many interests, including gardening, renovating houses, watching his grandchildren play sports, reading, following national politics, and spending time with his family; and

WHEREAS, Eugene Fowler is survived by his wife of 62 years, Earlene; his children, Kathy (Brian) McCaulley, and Dave (Cindy) Fowler; his grandchildren, Grant (Laura) McCaulley, Megan (Rowdy) Frederiksen, Zachary Fowler, Cam Fowler, and

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- 1 Shannon Fowler; his great-grandchildren, Luke and Rachel
- 2 McCaulley, and Cooper, Micah, and Bennett Frederiksen; and
- 3 seven siblings; therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
- 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 6 Eugene Fowler, and extend our sincere condolences to his
- family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 8 further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Eugene Fowler as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.