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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of James M. Matesevac Sr., who passed away
4 on April 18, 2017 at the age of 66; and

5 WHEREAS, James Matesevac was a longtime member and former
6 treasurer of Painters Union Local 33 in Joliet; and

7 WHEREAS, James Matesevac enjoyed fishing, gardening,
8 whittling, storytelling, and was an amateur gold prospector; he
9 would never pass up the opportunity for an adventure and had a
10 magnetic personality with a kind and caring heart; and

11 WHEREAS, James Matesevac was affectionately known as
12 "Poppa Donut" to his grandchildren; and

13 WHEREAS, James Matesevac was preceded in death by his
14 parents, Edward Sr. and Edna (Worden) Matesevac; his brothers,
15 Thomas L. Matesevac, Edward Matesevac Jr., Raymond Matesevac,
16 and Robert Matesevac Sr.; and

17 WHEREAS, James Matesevac is survived by his loving wife of
18 26 years, Nancy M. (Goldasich); his children, Candace L.
19 (Brian) Thomas, Justin D. Ashley, Emily C.M. (Miklos) Simon,
20 Elizabeth A. Ashley, Mary A. Ashley, James M. (Catanya)

1 Mateševac Jr., Nicholas E. F. Mateševac, and Matthew J.
2 Goldasich Mateševac; his grandchildren, Aurora and Zayd
3 Mateševac, and Bennett and Graham Thomas; his sisters, Mary Jo
4 (Tom) Kirk, and Terri Lynn (Tim) Higgins; and many nieces and
5 nephews; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 James M. Mateševac Sr., and extend our sincere condolences to
9 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
10 further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of James Mateševac as an expression of
13 our deepest sympathy.