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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 Charles
4 Craig Mannschreck of St. Joseph, Missouri, who passed away on
5 August 21, 2019; and

6 WHEREAS, Craig Mannschreck was born in St. Joseph, Missouri
7 to Charles and Arline Mannschreck on November 6, 1944; he
8 graduated from Central High School in 1962, where he was
9 president of his class for all four years and president of the
10 National Honor Society; he was also tri-captain of the football
11 team and an All-American football player; he graduated from
12 Texas Christian University in 1966 with a Bachelor of Arts and
13 was president of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity; he served in
14 Vietnam as a United States Marine Corps aviator, flying attack
15 helicopters; and

16 WHEREAS, Craig Mannschreck was a pillar of the Saint
17 Joseph, Missouri community; he served as president of the
18 Mannschreck Book Store and on the AAA Board for the Midwest
19 Region; he took great pride in running the chains at Central
20 High School football games for 40 years; he was a pickle ball
21 enthusiast; he was a deacon of Wyatt Park Christian Church,
22 president of the board, and sang in the church choir; and

1 WHEREAS, In 2000, Craig Mannschreck became chief operating
2 officer of Resource One in Springfield, Illinois; he quickly
3 became an irreplaceable part of the Springfield community; and

4 WHEREAS, Springfield, Resource One became a household name
5 for office furnishings; they supplied furniture for nine of the
6 11 state universities, many community colleges, both the House
7 and Senate chambers at the Capitol, the Attorney General's
8 office, the Speaker of the House's office, legislative staff
9 offices, the Illinois EPA, three Illinois National Guard
10 readiness centers, Lincoln's Challenge in Rantoul, numerous
11 city and county organizations, and lobbyist and association
12 offices across the State; and

13 WHEREAS, Craig Mannschreck was proud of the business
14 relationships Resource One maintained with private businesses
15 in Springfield and across Illinois; from the mom-and-pop
16 business to prominent Fortune 500 companies, he treated all
17 with the same level of respect and attention; in 2011, he was a
18 co-recipient, along with his business partner Cindy Davis, of
19 the Greater Springfield Chamber of Commerce Small Business
20 Person of the Year award; and

21 WHEREAS, For 18 years, Craig Mannschreck was a weekday
22 fixture in downtown Springfield, as a business owner, landlord,
23 resident, and merry soul; he would stop in to talk to everyone

1 from a bookshop owner to a bank president, treating everyone
2 with the same level of respect and courtesy; he never walked
3 past a person on the street without asking them how they were;
4 he was a humble man who will be most remembered for his good
5 nature and concern for others; and

6 WHEREAS, Craig Mannschreck was preceded in death by his
7 parents; and

8 WHEREAS, Craig Mannschreck is survived by his wife, Judith;
9 his sons, Chapman (Ashley) and Mitchell (Lauren); his brother,
10 Dannen (Sandy); his sister, Sherrill Adams (Jerry); his
11 grandchildren, Campbell, Colt, Henry, and Dalton; and many
12 nieces, nephews, and cousins; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
14 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
15 we mourn the passing of Charles Craig Mannschreck and extend
16 our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who
17 knew and loved him; and be it further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
19 presented to the family of Craig Mannschreck as an expression
20 of our deepest sympathy.