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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Michael L. "Mike" McGaughy of Moline, who passed away on November 5, 2023; and

WHEREAS, Mike McGaughy was born to Lyal and Irene (Newman) McGaughy in Monmouth on April 21, 1949; he graduated from Winola High School, where he participated in track and field, baseball, and basketball and was crowned prom king his senior year; he graduated with a Bachelor of Science from Sterling College; he served in the U.S. Army, where he was initially stationed in Germany before going to Vietnam; he was honored with the National Defense Service Medal and the Marksman M16 award; he married Sandra McGaughy in Viola; and

WHEREAS, After his military service, Mike McGaughy taught third grade at Winola Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, Mike McGaughy will be remembered for his kindness, generosity, and sense of humor; he enjoyed working in the yard, cooking on the grill, spending time outdoors, and keeping up with the weather; he was an avid sports fan who enjoyed watching football, basketball, baseball, and golf; and

WHEREAS, Mike McGaughy was preceded in death by his

- 1 parents and his wife; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Mike McGaughy is survived by his brother, John
- 3 McGaughy, and his son, Eric McGaughy; therefore, be it
- 4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
- 5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 6 Michael L. "Mike" McGaughy and extend our sincere condolences
- 7 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
- 8 it further
- 9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 10 presented to the family of Mike McGaughy as an expression of
- 11 our deepest sympathy.