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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the passing of Bradley H. Veerman, a devoted public servant and esteemed member of the community who embodied the truest and most valiant virtues of a champion of public safety; and

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WHEREAS, Bradley Veerman was born in Joliet to June (Bailey) and Arthur H. Veerman Jr. on October 6, 1963; at the age of 16, he started his career with Kurtz Ambulance; and

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WHEREAS, Prior to his passing, Bradley Veerman was the current Executive Director of the Laraway 9-1-1 Communications Center and a Will County Forest Preserve Police Officer, two positions that he carried out with the utmost respect and honor; and

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WHEREAS, Bradley Veerman was a former Communications Center Director at the Lincolnway Public Safety 9-1-1; he was a member of the East Joliet Fire Protection District for 23 years, where he retired as captain; he was a police officer for the cities of Frankfort and New Lenox; he was an employee at the New Lenox Communications Center and a former member of the Argonne National Laboratory Fire Department; and

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1 WHEREAS, In addition to serving the community through his
2 public safety roles, Bradley Veerman volunteered his time
3 whenever and wherever he could in order to improve and protect
4 his community; and

5 WHEREAS, Bradley Veerman was a member of the Ingalls Park
6 A.C., a member and past president of the New Lenox Fire
7 Protection District Trustees, a member and past president of
8 the New Lenox and Frankfort F.O.P., and past president of the
9 East Joliet Fire Protection District Volunteer Organization;
10 he served as a volunteer for numerous organizations and was a
11 member of many boards; and

12 WHEREAS, Bradley Veerman leaves behind a great number of
13 family, friends, and neighbors; he was the beloved husband of
14 April (Pearcy); the loving father of Nicole Veerman and Kevin
15 Veerman; and the brother of Arthur "Butch" (Rachel) Veerman III
16 and Kathy (Duane) Hall-Roy; and

17 WHEREAS, Bradley Veerman's legacy lies in his genuine
18 commitment to and care for his neighbor; therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
20 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
21 mourn the loss of Bradley H. Veerman and celebrate his great
22 accomplishments; and be it further

1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
2 delivered to his family as a symbol of our deepest sympathy.