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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Tom O'Reilly Sr., who passed away on June 9, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Tom O'Reilly was born in Chicago to Kevin and Kathleen (Moran) O'Reilly on May 3, 1937; he spent most of his youth in Waukegan and North Chicago and graduated from North Chicago High School in 1956; he married Carol Bellows on September 30, 1957, and they settled in Mundelein, raising three children; he married Valerie "Val" Coleman in 1982; and

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WHEREAS, Tom O'Reilly worked for the Northbrook U.S. Post Office from 1960 until his retirement in 1992; in his later years, he worked part time as a floral delivery man; and

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WHEREAS, Tom O'Reilly was an avid hunter and enthusiastic fisherman; he enjoyed taking hikes and took advantage of the trails in Lake County; he coached baseball and football in Mundelein; he enjoyed traveling and socializing with family, friends, and neighbors; and

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WHEREAS, Tom O'Reilly was preceded in death by his wife, Val; his parents; and his siblings, Kevin Jr. (Gerry) and Ellen (Slagle) O'Reilly; and

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1 WHEREAS, Tom O'Reilly is survived by his children, Tom Jr.,
2 Patty Popp, and John; his grandchildren, Justin Popp and Ryan
3 and Mickey O'Reilly; his son-in-law, Steve Popp; his
4 daughter-in-law, Mary O'Reilly (Tom Jr.); and relatives from
5 both the O'Reilly and Moran sides of the family; therefore, be
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7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
9 Tom O'Reilly Sr. and extend our sincere condolences to his
10 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
11 further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
13 presented to the family of Tom O'Reilly as an expression of our
14 deepest sympathy.