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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of 3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Ja'lon 4 James of Chicago, who passed away on June 16, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Ja'lon James had recently completed fifth grade 6 at Herzl Elementary School, where he was noted for his passion 7 for learning; and

WHEREAS, Ja'lon James was an energetic and warm-hearted child; he loved video games, making his brothers laugh, and exercising; he enjoyed playing tag, practicing his boxing skills, tending to the garden, and spraying his siblings with the water hose; and

WHEREAS, Ja'lon James is survived by his mother, Naquita Harrison; his twin brother, Ja'len James; his five other siblings; and his grandmother, Nicole Harrison; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Ja'lon James and extend our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

- 1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 2 presented to the family of Ja'lon James as an expression of our
- 3 deepest sympathy.