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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 Nancy  
4 Marie Nozicka, who passed away on July 10, 2022; and

5           WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka was born in Berwyn in 1958; she was  
6 raised in the nearby town of Cicero, where she lived until her  
7 early 20s; she graduated from Morton East High School, where  
8 she played badminton and volleyball; she later earned her  
9 undergraduate degree in Nursing from Loyola University  
10 Chicago; she married Charles "Chuck" Nozicka, and they enjoyed  
11 a 40-year marriage and raised four children; and

12           WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka had a 38-year career in nursing at  
13 Northwestern Lake Forest Hospital, where she was a walking  
14 embodiment of patient-centered care; after decades of  
15 experience in the Emergency Department, she pursued her Master  
16 of Science to become an Advanced Practice Registered Nurse  
17 (APRN); she worked as a clinical nurse specialist in the  
18 Emergency Department, and she later pioneered the role as her  
19 hospital's first heart failure coordinator, a position she  
20 viewed as honoring the lived experiences of her beloved  
21 father; and

22           WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka was an active member of St.

1 Joseph's Catholic Church in Libertyville; she loved long walks  
2 in the mornings, improvised yard games in the afternoons, and  
3 evenings spent sharing good food and better stories at a table  
4 that always had enough seats for everyone; and

5 WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka was a loving wife, mother,  
6 daughter, and grandmother who loved hard, laughed often, and  
7 dedicated her life to quiet acts of big impact for others; she  
8 will be remembered for her good humor, strong faith, optimism,  
9 and her humble way of anticipating the needs of others and  
10 putting all around her at ease; and

11 WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka was preceded in death by her  
12 father, Edward Koscik; her mother-in-law, JoAnn Nozicka; and  
13 her cousin, Susan Rynne; and

14 WHEREAS, Nancy Nozicka is survived by her mother, Claire  
15 Koscik; her brother, Robert (Roni); her sister, Amy (Paul)  
16 Eberhardt; her husband, Charles Nozicka; her daughters, Nicole  
17 Gas (Kevin) and Laura Nozicka (Brian); her sons, Peter and  
18 Michael Nozicka; her grandchildren, Eddie, Alice, and Caroline  
19 Gas; and her numerous nephews, cousins, colleagues, mentees,  
20 and friends; therefore, be it

21 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
22 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that

1 we mourn the passing of Nancy Marie Nozicka and extend our  
2 sincere condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew  
3 and loved her; and be it further

4       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
5 presented to the family of Nancy Nozicka as an expression of  
6 our deepest sympathy.