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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 Thomas 4 F. Sheehan of Chicago, who passed away on April 20, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Thomas F. Sheehan was born to Daniel and 6 Catherine (Sullivan) Sheehan on Chicago's West Side on April 4, 1941 and was the second of five children; he was a native of Chicago's Austin neighborhood; as a child, he attended Our 9 Lady Help of Christians and Austin High School; he served in the U.S. Marine Corps from 1962 to 1968; and

WHEREAS, Thomas Sheehan worked as a letter carrier out of the U.S. Post Office in the Austin neighborhood of Chicago; he left the post office for a time, becoming a lead senior auditor for Jewel Food Stores; he returned to the post office as a mail carrier, serving the residents of Oak Park for many years until his retirement; and

- 17 WHEREAS, Thomas Sheehan was passionate about service to 18 his faith, to his country, and for others; and
- 19 WHEREAS, Thomas Sheehan was preceded in death by his 20 brothers, Daniel and Robert; and

- 1 WHEREAS, At the time of his passing, Thomas Sheehan was
- 2 survived by his wife, Carole; his brother, John; his sister,
- 3 Maryann; his son, Michael (Michelle) Sheehan; his daughter,
- 4 Laura (John) Broderick; and his grandsons, Dan (Stephanie) and
- 5 Sean Broderick; therefore, be it
- 6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 7 HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 8 we mourn the passing of Thomas F. Sheehan and extend our
- 9 sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew
- 10 and loved him; and be it further
- 11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 12 presented to the family of Thomas Sheehan as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.