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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Michael Lee "Mike" Glassner, who 4 passed away on August 3, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Mike Glassner was born in Chicago to Fred and 6 Barbara (Franklin) Glassner on April 4, 1947; shortly 7 afterward, his family moved to Rock Island; when he was six 8 months old, he developed a high fever and convulsions and 9 incurred brain damage from encephalitis; and

WHEREAS, As a child, Mike Glassner worked with Dr. Donald Davis of Augustana College in order to achieve his greatest potential; speech therapy was a huge part of this regimen, and he was able to attend Horace Mann Elementary School in their new special needs department; and

WHEREAS, Mike Glassner was able to get his driver's license by taking the test orally as he could not read; he held many jobs successfully; he worked at Jewel Supermarket and Ericksen Chevrolet, as well as serving as a custodian at corporate offices and schools; and

WHEREAS, Mike Glassner always had a special love of cars, and he asked everyone about their cars; he brought great joy to

- 1 his family and friends with his innocence; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Mike Glassner was preceded in death by his
- 3 parents and his nephew, Jared Carver; and
- WHEREAS, Mike Glassner is survived by his siblings, Ron
- 5 (Joyce) Glassner, Deborah Jennings, and Marcia (John) Carver
- and several other family members and friends; therefore, be it
- 7 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
- 8 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 9 Michael Lee "Mike" Glassner and extend our sincere condolences
- 10 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
- 11 it further
- 12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Mike Glassner as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.