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## SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Dennis "Coach" Sugino of Elgin, who 4 passed away on November 8, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Dennis Sugino was born to Frank and Sumiko 6 (Okamoto) Sugino in Chicago on June 8, 1951; he earned a 7 bachelor's degree in Physical Education from Western Illinois 8 University, where he was a Gold Circle Member of Alpha Tau 9 Omega fraternity; and

10 WHEREAS, Although Dennis Sugino taught math earlier in his 11 career, he spent 35 years as a PE teacher, coach, and fitness 12 and conditioning influencer at Larkin High School for School 13 District U-46, a job he loved; and

14 WHEREAS, Dennis Sugino was preceded in death by his 15 parents; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Sugino is survived by his wife, Karen 16 17 (Hameister Lang) Sugino; his children, Heather (Don) 18 Marczewski, Brian (Lauren) Lang, Sean Lang, and Kellie (Daniel Valdez) Lang; his grandchildren, Hawk and Ruby Marczewski, 19 20 Walker Lang, and Kilian Valdez; his siblings, Kevin and Susan 21 (James) Bolster; his nephew, Matthew; and his niece, Melissa 

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 Bolster; therefore, be it

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2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL 3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of 4 Dennis "Coach" Sugino and extend our sincere condolences to 5 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it 6 further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be 8 presented to the family of Dennis Sugino as an expression of 9 our deepest sympathy.