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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Bobby "Bob" Ray Cravens of Rock Island, who passed away on November 24, 2022; and

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WHEREAS, Bobby Cravens was born to Otis and Dorothy "Dollie" McRoy Cravens in Cape Girardeau, Missouri on June 23, 1949; he was drafted into the U.S. Army when he turned 18 and served two years in Vietnam; he married Cheryl Jeffrey in Rock Island on September 3rd, 2005; and

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WHEREAS, Bobby Cravens first worked for the City of Rock Island; he then worked for the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers on the Mississippi River for 28 years; and

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WHEREAS, Bobby Cravens was an avid Harley Davidson rider who traveled many miles down the highways with his friends and family; and

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WHEREAS, Bobby Cravens was preceded in death by his parents; his twin sisters, Fran and Freida; and his son, Cody Ray Cravens; and

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WHEREAS, Bobby Cravens is survived by his wife; his children, Kenyon (Tracey) Shepard, Ranae Roberts, Nanette

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1 Shepard, Kandi (Bill) Walker, Carissa (Jon) Hanson, Jeremy  
2 (Kelly) Jeffrey, and James Jeffrey; and his several  
3 grandchildren and great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
6 Bobby "Bob" Ray Cravens and extend our sincere condolences to  
7 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10 presented to the family of Bobby Cravens as an expression of  
11 our deepest sympathy.