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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 Jose  
4 Lewis "Jay" Polanco Webb II, who passed away on June 24, 2023;  
5 and

6           WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb was born to Starice Weddle and  
7 Lewis Polanco Webb on January 4, 2003; he graduated from  
8 Hinsdale South High School in 2021, where he was known for his  
9 infectious smile and bursting personality and was popular with  
10 his teachers, his development team, and his fellow students;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb continued his educational  
13 endeavors at the Hinsdale Township Transition Center, where he  
14 explored the community and learned more about finding  
15 independence as a young adult; and

16           WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb was committed to his faith; he  
17 loved music, especially hip-hop and rhythm & blues, and he  
18 frequented many concerts; and

19           WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb was known for being the comedic  
20 relief with a contagious laugh, and he enjoyed watching  
21 comedies; although he was nonverbal, he found great humor in

1 hearing words with many syllables; and

2 WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb will be remembered for his  
3 adventurous spirit and the joy he brought to others; and

4 WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb was preceded in death by his  
5 great-grandmothers, Frances Pittman, Lillie Webb, and Phyllis  
6 Briggs; his great-grandfathers, Nathaniel Pittman and Israel  
7 Polanco; and his aunt, Juanita Pittman; and

8 WHEREAS, Jay Polanco Webb is survived by his mother,  
9 Starice (Van) Weddle; his father, Lewis (Ericka) Polanco Webb;  
10 his siblings, Jesa (Lilly), Jaylah, Vanquis, Vanide, Sencere,  
11 Jisele, Jenesis, Jinger, Vantiece, Alajiah, Amarion, Van Jr.,  
12 and Vanquan; his grandparents, Diane Pittman, Maurice Briggs,  
13 Marisol Polanco, Albert and Ida Montgomery, Stephanie Baber,  
14 and Brenda (Miles Sr.) Martin; his great-grandparents, Chana  
15 Polanco and Nellie Sanders; and a host of aunts, uncles, and  
16 cousins; therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE  
18 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
19 we mourn the passing of Jose Lewis "Jay" Polanco Webb II and  
20 extend our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all  
21 who knew and loved him; and be it further

1           RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
2 presented to the family of Jay Polanco Webb as an expression of  
3 our deepest sympathy.