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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 Ethan Harold Mahoney of rural Alexander, who passed away on April 15, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Ethan Mahoney was born in Springfield to Michael A. and Becky (Leach) Mahoney on July 7, 2005; and

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WHEREAS, Ethan Mahoney was a senior at A-C Central High School in Ashland; he was a member of the basketball team, the bass fishing team, and the Future Farmers of America; he was also a member of St. Augustine Catholic Church in Ashland; and

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WHEREAS, Ethan Mahoney loved listening to country music in his truck and was an avid fan of the St. Louis Cardinals and University of Illinois basketball; he loved helping on the family farm and being around the animals; and

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WHEREAS, Ethan Mahoney always had a smile on his face, never met a stranger, and had a knack for making everyone laugh; and

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WHEREAS, Ethan Mahoney is survived by his parents; his siblings, Quinlan, Wyatt, and Ainsley Mahoney; his grandparents, Donald and Linda Mahoney, Lyn and Roger Dietz,

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1 and Ed and Dianne Leach; his great-grandfather, Gordon
2 Smedley; his uncles and aunts, Mark (Grainne) Mahoney, Chad
3 (Jenny) Mahoney, Beth (Jeff) Hopkins, Brett (Kerry) Leach, and
4 Sara (David) Thomas; and numerous cousins; therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Ethan Harold Mahoney and extend our sincere condolences to his
8 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Ethan Mahoney as an expression of
12 our deepest sympathy.