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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 Elizabeth Agnes Philyaw "Betsy" Boettle of Waukegan, who passed away on November 14, 2011; and

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WHEREAS, She was born in Zion on December 13, 1929 and settled in Waukegan to make a career as a legal secretary and bring up her family; she enjoyed music, family, friends, her dogs, and reading; she advocated for animal rescue and was a supporter of the local animal shelter; and

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WHEREAS, She was a gracious listener and will be remembered as being a constant and steadfast presence to many who knew and loved her; and

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WHEREAS, She was preceded in death by her parents, Bertha and A. Everett Philyaw; her husband; Walter Boettle; her brothers, Chester Philyaw, George Philyaw, and Raymond Philyaw; and her sister, June Strezo; and

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WHEREAS, Elizabeth Agnes Philyaw "Betsy" Boettle is survived by her daughter, Roberta A. Ross; her son, Randy M. Ross; her sisters, Barbara Kessler and Pat Camper; her sister-in-law, Gladys Philyaw; her grandchildren, Rand Matthew Ross, Remington Ross, Katie Lynn Mucklevane, and Talon Vincente

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1 Walter Ross; and her many nieces, nephews, and special nephew,
2 Steve Strezo; therefore, be it

3 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL
4 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
5 her family and friends, the passing of Elizabeth Agnes Philyaw
6 "Betsy" Boettle; and be it further

7 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
8 presented to the family of Elizabeth Agnes Philyaw "Betsy"
9 Boettle as a symbol of our sincere sympathy.