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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 Jerome F.
4 "JR" McBride, Jr. of Glen Ellyn, who passed away on October 24,
5 2014; and

6 WHEREAS, Jerome McBride, Jr. graduated from Fenwick High
7 School in Oak Park and from Loras College in Dubuque, Iowa in
8 1990 with a Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration; and

9 WHEREAS, Jerome McBride, Jr. began his professional career
10 with Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance; he then joined his
11 father and brother at the McBride Insurance Agency, where he
12 worked for 19 years; and

13 WHEREAS, Jerome McBride, Jr. represented District 4 on the
14 DuPage County Board since 2006; he advocated fiscal
15 responsibility, open communication, and accountable government
16 that actively solicits the public's views and advice; he served
17 as Chairman of the Board's Legislative Committee and the
18 Emergency Telephone System Board; he also served as precinct
19 committeeman for the Milton Township Republican Central
20 Committee; and

21 WHEREAS, Jerome McBride, Jr. was a member of St. Petronille

1 Parish in Glen Ellyn and Immaculate Conception Parish; he was a
2 volunteer and fundraiser for Misericordia Heart of Mercy in
3 Chicago and a board member of the Metropolitan Family Services
4 of DuPage; in the past, he was a member and committee chair of
5 the Main Street Redevelopment Committee in Forest Park, a
6 member of the Board of Directors for the DuPage Chapter of the
7 American Cancer Society, a member of the Architectural Review
8 Committee in Glen Ellyn, a member of the Rotary Club of Glen
9 Ellyn, a member of the Site Committee for Ben Franklin
10 Elementary School in Glen Ellyn, a board member of the Glenbard
11 West High School Booster Club, a founding member of the Jubilee
12 Board for Outreach Community Ministries in Wheaton, a volunteer
13 for Meals on Wheels in Glen Ellyn, and a volunteer in Glen
14 Ellyn Youth Sports; and

15 WHEREAS, Jerome McBride, Jr. was the adored and adoring
16 husband of Becky and the proud and beloved father to 5
17 children, Lauren, Molly, Abigail, Sara, and Marty; therefore,
18 be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
20 NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
21 we mourn the passing of Jerome F. "JR" McBride, Jr., and extend
22 our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who
23 knew and loved him; and be it further

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