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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to  
3 learn of the death of Raymond W. Wells of Waukegan, who passed  
4 away on March 8, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Raymond Wells was born on April 16, 1922, in  
6 Antioch; and

7 WHEREAS, Raymond Wells was a union carpenter for Ames  
8 Brothers in Waukegan for 30 years and upon his retirement  
9 managed Grand Avenue Shopping Center in Waukegan; and

10 WHEREAS, Raymond Wells was a member of the First United  
11 Methodist Church; he enjoyed dancing, bowling, horseshoes, and  
12 woodworking, and was a avid Chicago Cubs and Chicago White Sox  
13 fan; and

14 WHEREAS, Raymond Wells was preceded in death by his wife of  
15 49 years, Shirley; his daughters, Marilyn and Cherlyn; his  
16 brothers, Howard and Arthur; and his sisters, Lillian, Ruth,  
17 and Shirley; and

18 WHEREAS, Raymond Wells was the beloved father of Roger  
19 (Linda), Russell (Kathleen), Bruce, and Carolyn (Peter)  
20 Dorhout; the loving grandfather of Kristin, Kevin, Melissa

1 (Scott), Rachel, Aimee (Justin) Jacquelyn, and Kathryn; the  
2 dear great-grandfather of Adam and Tyler; and the loving  
3 brother of Virginia Magiera, Warren (Ruth), and Richard;  
4 therefore, be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
7 Raymond Wells, 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 Raymond Wells as an expression of  
12 our deepest sympathy.