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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of Ellen A. Furtkamp, who passed away on
4 June 23, 2013; and

5 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp was born on December 13, 1927, in
6 Staunton; she married Robert W. Furtkamp on January 29, 1947,
7 in St. Louis, Missouri; and

8 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp attended the University of
9 Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; and

10 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp served as chairperson of the Lake
11 County Board of Review from 1980 to 1981 and was active in
12 numerous local political activities; and

13 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp and her husband volunteered with
14 the Lake County Literacy Program; they were honored by the
15 program for donating over 500 volunteer hours to tutor adult
16 students in a pre-beginning English as a Second Language course
17 at the College of Lake County; and

18 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp was preceded in death by her dear
19 daughter, Leslie; and

1 WHEREAS, Ellen Furtkamp is survived by her beloved husband
2 of 66 years, Robert; and her sons, Eric and Brian; therefore,
3 be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with her
6 family and friends, mourn the passing of Ellen A. Furtkamp; and
7 be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Ellen Furtkamp as an expression of
10 our sympathy.