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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 Marjorie
4 Ann Klise of Peoria, who passed away on April 24, 2016; and

5 WHEREAS, Marjorie Klise was born in Peoria to Dallas Monroe
6 and Margaret (Feeney) Costello on December 24, 1931; she
7 attended St. Mark School and graduated from the Academy of Our
8 Lady in 1949; she graduated from Clarke College in Dubuque,
9 Iowa with a degree in theater and education; she married Thomas
10 Klise in Peoria on August 24, 1957; and

11 WHEREAS, Marjorie Klise taught at Von Steuben School before
12 devoting herself to raising her family; she later served as
13 President of the Thomas S. Klise Company; she was involved in
14 countless neighborhood, civic, cultural, and social justice
15 efforts; and

16 WHEREAS, Marjorie Klise felt passionately about historic
17 preservation, neighborhood gatherings, liberation theology,
18 progressive politics, and the annual Moss-Bradley sale; she
19 never tired of traveling and trying new things; and

20 WHEREAS, Marjorie Klise was preceded in death by her
21 parents; her husband, Thomas; her two sisters, Joan Costello

1 McQuillen and Gertrude Holly; and her son, David Klise; and

2 WHEREAS, Marjorie Klise is survived by her children,
3 Elizabeth (Michael von Zerneck) Klise, Margaret Klise, Sarah
4 Klise, Kate Klise, Julia (Joe Augustine) Klise, and James
5 (Michael Kuras) Klise; her eight grandchildren, Peter,
6 Sebastian, Lorenzo, Eliza, Flora, Milo, Lionel, and Desmond;
7 her sister, Mariclare Costello Arbus; and numerous nieces,
8 nephews, and friends; therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
10 NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
11 mourn the passing of Marjorie Ann Klise, and extend our sincere
12 condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved
13 her; and be it further

14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
15 presented to the family of Marjorie Klise as an expression of
16 our deepest sympathy.