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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 Charles Richard "Charlie" Barr of Thomasboro, who passed away on March 8, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Barr was born in Gibson City to George and Ruth (Higgins) Barr on December 21, 1931; he graduated from Drummer Township High School in 1950 and served in the United States Navy from 1950 to 1954; he married Ruby Swarm in Gibson City on May 9, 1952; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Barr worked in the print shop for the Gibson City Courier for many years; he later retired from the Carle Print Shop; he served on the Thomasboro Village Board for 12 years; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Barr was a founding member of the Thomasboro Improvement Association; he was also a member of the Fisher AMVETS; he loved to go fishing, and in his younger days, he was an avid hunter; and

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WHEREAS, Charles Barr was preceded in death by his wife, Ruby; his parents; his two sisters; his son, Stephen; and his grandson, Kristoffer; and

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1 WHEREAS, Charles Barr is survived by his son, Michael D.
2 (Karen) Barr; his two grandchildren, Brad (Patti Herges) Barr
3 and Katie (Blake) Giles; his two step-grandsons, James Reed and
4 Jon Reed; and his longtime companion, Laura Wooters; therefore,
5 be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
7 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
8 Charles Richard "Charlie" Barr, and extend our sincere
9 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
10 him; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Charles Barr as an expression of our
13 deepest sympathy.