

1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, Members of the Senate of the State of Illinois
3 learned with great sadness of the death of Michael V. "Mikey"
4 Springer, Jr. of Zion on November 10, 2002; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Springer was born December 22, 1980 in
6 Waukegan; he graduated from Zion-Benton Township High School
7 in 1999; and

8 WHEREAS, Mr. Springer was an active and energetic member
9 of the community; he was a member of First Baptist Church of
10 Winthrop Harbor where he played drums and belonged to a small
11 Wednesday night Bible study group; in the summer of 2002, he
12 worked at Northpoint Marina; he was a member of Zion-Benton
13 Moose Lodge #667; he was a member and volunteer of the Lake
14 County Republican Federation; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Springer will be remembered for many thing,
16 especially for his love of music and the Green Bay Packers;
17 and

18 WHEREAS, His passing will be deeply felt by many,
19 especially his fiancée, Melissa Kramer; his son, Dylan
20 Michael Springer; his father, Michael V. Springer, Sr.; his
21 mother, Tammy Y. (Billy) Ruple; his siblings, Kasey N. (Rob)
22 Pogue, Michelle L. Springer, Megan M. Springer, and James
23 Branden Ruple; his maternal grandfather, Gary (Maureen)
24 Pospichel; his maternal grandmother, Judith A. (Mike) Douth;
25 his maternal great-grandfather, Donald Daisy; his aunts,
26 Karen (Bill) Blanck, Kim (Jim) Leach, Terri (Earl) Dillow,
27 and Marjorie Griffin; his uncles, Jeff (Linda) Springer, Rick
28 (Teresa) Pospichel, and Jeff (Stacy) Griffin; his nephew,
29 Jakob Robert Pogue; his future father-in-law and
30 mother-in-law, Jerry and Carol Kramer; his future
31 sister-in-law, Sara (Eric) Dowd; his future
32 grandparents-in-law, Dan and Jane Kramer; and many other

1 relatives and friends; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the loss of
4 Michael V. Springer, Jr. and offer our sincere condolences to
5 his family and friends; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of Michael V. Springer, Jr.