SENATE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Larry Gene Hazen of Godfrey, who passed away on October 2, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Larry Hazen was born in Alton to Albert and Carmella (Panapinto) Hazen on December 21, 1945; he served in the United States Air Force and married Jeanette Gobble in Alton on August 16, 1974; and

WHEREAS, Larry Hazen retired from Roberts Ford in 2005 after 29 years as a mechanic and service writer; he was a member of the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary for over 10 years and a volunteer fireman for Godfrey for 13 years; and

WHEREAS, Larry Hazen was a long-standing member of the Alton Motor Boat Club, where he served as treasurer for several years; he was active with the MS 150 Bike Ride and rode with the Piasa Peddlers Group, which raised over $\$ 20,000$; he volunteered at Rolling Hills Golf Course for many years, loved to travel with his grandchildren, and enjoyed his winter months in Arizona; he was a member St. Ambrose Catholic Church in Godfrey; and

WHEREAS, Larry Hazen was preceded in death by his parents and an infant brother, Albert Hazen Jr.; and

WHEREAS, Larry Hazen is survived by his wife, Jeanette; his daughter, Shannon (Jeff) Lauritzen; his grandchildren, Karoline and Kristine Lauritzen; his brother, Harry (Susy) Hazen; his niece, Yvonne (Cliff) Rushton; and his nephew, Albert (Cindy) Hazen; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of Larry Gene Hazen, and extend our sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to the family of Larry Hazen as an expression of our deepest sympathy.

