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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 Joseph John "Joe" Triolo of Zion, who passed away on January 11, 2018; and

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WHEREAS, Joe Triolo was born in Wilkinson, West Virginia to John Sr. and Mary (Azzar) Triolo on March 3, 1920; he grew up in West Virginia and was raised in a coal mining community; and

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WHEREAS, Joe Triolo joined the United States Navy and was aboard the USS Tangier in Pearl Harbor on December 7, 1941; he had a 21-year career with the Navy, retiring as a Chief Boatswain's Mate; he enrolled in Lake Forest College at the age of 38 and received a bachelor's degree; he furthered his studies at Roosevelt University; and

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WHEREAS, Joe Triolo taught and was a counselor for 21 years for the North Chicago School District; and

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WHEREAS, Joe Triolo and his wife always believed in the power of education and made significant donations to various colleges and community organizations; and

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WHEREAS, Joe Triolo was preceded in death by his parents; an infant son; his brothers, Melvin "Mel", Tony, and John

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1 Triolo Jr.; and his sisters, Catherine and Helen Triolo; and

2 WHEREAS, Joe Triolo is survived by his wife of 63 years,
3 Katherine (Despot) and his sister, Angeline Triolo; therefore,
4 be it

5 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDREDTH GENERAL
6 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
7 Joseph John "Joe" Triolo, and extend our sincere condolences to
8 his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
9 further

10 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
11 presented to the family of Joe Triolo as an expression of our
12 deepest sympathy.