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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 James W. "Jim" Dee of Bloomington, who passed away on August 22, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Jim Dee was born in Bloomington to James G. and Pearl M. Hines Dee Sr. on April 22, 1929; he graduated from Trinity High School in 1947; he attended Purdue University; he served in the United States Marine Corps during the Korean War; and

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WHEREAS, Jim Dee was a lifelong farmer; he retired in 2004 at the age of 75; and

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WHEREAS, Jim Dee was a member of the Knights of Columbus Council 574, Bloomington and the McLean County Farm Bureau; he was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church of Merna, where he served on the finance committee; and

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WHEREAS, Jim Dee was preceded in death by his parents and his brother-in-law, Allan C. King; and

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WHEREAS, Jim Dee is survived by his sister, Rosemary King; his nieces, Mary (Morrie) Sweeney and Ann (Gene) Harvey; his nephews, Bob (Vicki) King, Dave (Julie) King, John (Domine)

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1 King, and Steve (Laurel) King; his 17 great-nieces and  
2 great-nephews; and several great-great-nieces and  
3 great-great-nephews; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
6 James W. "Jim" Dee and extend our sincere condolences to his  
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10 presented to the family of Jim Dee as an expression of our  
11 deepest sympathy.