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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 Brett A. Blume of Glen Carbon, who passed away on October 3, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Brett was born on January 27, 1964 in Kansas City, Missouri, was a graduate of Triad High School, and lived in the St. Louis area all his life; and

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WHEREAS, Brett attended SIU-Edwardsville, earning a degree in Mass Communications in 1986; he worked in the St. Louis area and spent the last 17 years as a reporter for KMOX in St. Louis; and

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WHEREAS, Brett married Kathy (Crowe) Blume on May 19, 1990; he was known for being a hard worker and for his wit; he was an avid comic book collector and enjoyed reading anything Star Wars or Star Trek related; and

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WHEREAS, Brett was preceded in death by his mother, Brenda (Collins) Blume; and

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WHEREAS, Brett is survived by his wife, Kathy (Crowe) Blume; son, Devin Blume; father, Bruce Blume; sisters, Beth (Steve) Barbour and Becky (Wes) Morgan; numerous nieces, nephews,

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1 cousins; and many other close family members and friends;
2 therefore, be it

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

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Brett A. Blume as an expression of
10 our deepest sympathy.