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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 Rudolf V. Kraus, who passed away on June 28, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Rudolf Kraus was born on August 31, 1936 and was a native New Yorker; he served in the U.S. Air Force and graduated from Monmouth University in New Jersey; and

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WHEREAS, Rudolf Kraus worked as a technician at Bell Laboratories; he later transitioned to electronics instruction at AIT and ITT; and

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WHEREAS, Rudolf Kraus was an avid collector and amassed thousands of books, records, videotapes, and DVDs; he loved to cook and paint; he was a strong supporter of the Boy Scouts of America and served as an adult leader to many troops over the years, including troops 118, 222, 138, 53, and 140; he will be remembered as someone who worked hard, did good for others, and loved with all his heart, most especially his family; and

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WHEREAS, Rudolf Kraus is survived by his wife of 53 years, Terry; his son, Rudolf (Hilary); his daughter, Tricia Goodman (Chris); and his grandchildren, Thomas and Tessa; therefore, be it

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

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
7 presented to the family of Rudolf Kraus as an expression of our
8 deepest sympathy.