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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of Mark Hinojosa, who passed away on
4 February 21, 2020 at the age of 63; and

5 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa was born on August 17, 1956 to John
6 G. and Emma Hinojosa and grew up in Los Angeles; and

7 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa earned his bachelor's degree from
8 Pepperdine University, where he studied mass communications;
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10 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa worked as the Associate Managing
11 Editor for Multimedia for the Chicago Tribune; he and his staff
12 received various awards for their multimedia projects; and

13 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa later became the Director of
14 Interactive Media for The Detroit News and developed their
15 social media strategy; and

16 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa finished his career as an associate
17 professor at the Missouri School of Journalism, where he taught
18 and inspired many; and

19 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa had a passion for photography,

1 starting in middle school, and pursued it throughout his life;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa will be remembered by his friends,
4 coworkers, and students not only for his influence on
5 journalism but also for his ability to make deep friendships
6 anywhere he went; and

7 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa was preceded in death by his
8 parents; and

9 WHEREAS, Mark Hinojosa is survived by his wife of 31 years,
10 Katherine Foran; therefore, be it

11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL
12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing
13 Mark Hinojosa and extend our sincere condolences to his family,
14 friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
16 presented to the family of Mark Hinojosa as an expression of
17 our deepest sympathy.