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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 Steven W. Shaw of Woodstock, who passed away on May 16, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Shaw was born in Omaha, Nebraska on October 14, 1938 to Willard Lee and Thelma Marie (nee Wolfe) Shaw; he attended school in Malvern, Iowa and graduated from Malvern High School in 1956; he attended the University of Iowa, the University of Kansas City, and Morningside College in Sioux City, Iowa; and

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WHEREAS, Steven Shaw began working for Younkers in 1959, where he served in various capacities in Omaha, Nebraska, Sioux City, Iowa, and Des Moines, Iowa, including as Divisional Vice-President in Des Moines; he also was past-President of the Younkers 20 year club in Des Moines; he retired from Younkers and joined Iowa Realty in the Des Moines area as a residential real estate agent in 1995; in 2000, he joined H&R Block as a seasonal tax professional, working for several years until moving to Woodstock in 2011; and

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WHEREAS, While residing in Sioux City, Iowa, Steven Shaw was a member of the Iowa National Guard and the Sioux City Junior Chamber of Commerce, where he served a term as

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1 treasurer; while working for Younkers in Des Moines, Iowa, he  
2 was a member of the Des Moines Chamber of Commerce and a board  
3 member of the Better Business Bureau; he was past-member of the  
4 Westside Breakfast Club and the Urbandale Little League Board  
5 of Directors; while coaching in Urbandale, he coached 2 teams  
6 that won district tournaments; and

7 WHEREAS, Steven Shaw was preceded in death by his parents;  
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9 WHEREAS, Steven Shaw is survived by his wife, Dianne; sons,  
10 Jeffrey (Michele) Shaw and John (Kristy) Shaw; 2 grandchildren,  
11 Logan and Stefanie; mother-in-law, Virginia Rosner; and  
12 sister-in-law, Lucinda Summers; therefore, be it

13 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
14 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
15 Steven W. Shaw, and extend our sincere condolences to his  
16 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
17 further

18 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
19 presented to the family of Steven Shaw as an expression of our  
20 deepest sympathy.