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1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

Illinois House 2 WHEREAS, The members of the of 3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Sergeant 4 Gerald S. "Jerry" Schneider of the Illinois Secretary of State 5 Police, who passed away on January 5, 2025; and 6 WHEREAS, Sqt. Schneider was a dedicated public servant who 7 served and protected his community as a sergeant for the 8 Illinois Secretary of State Police Capitol Division since 9 2015; and 10 WHEREAS, During his tenure, Sqt. Schneider served as an invaluable member of the Command Staff at the Capitol Police 11 Division and received a department unit citation and a 12 13 department commendation; and 14 WHEREAS, Sqt. Schneider previously served as an officer 15 for the Sherman Police Department from January 2008 through December 2014; and 16 17 WHEREAS, Sqt. Schneider also served as an officer for the 18 Tri-City Police Department from December 1999 through January 2008; and 19

WHEREAS, Sqt. Schneider was cherished by his family and

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- 1 friends for his unwavering dedication, his sense of humor, and
- 2 his love for his family and community alike; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Sqt. Schneider was the husband of Sally Schneider
- 4 for 12 years; the father of Kaylie Schneider and Beau
- 5 Schneider; the brother of Jessica (Cory) Formea and Dixie
- 6 (Jake) Hill; and the son of Gerald and Rebecca Schneider;
- 7 therefore, be it
- 8 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
- 9 HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
- 10 we mourn the passing of Sergeant Gerald S. "Jerry" Schneider
- of the Illinois Secretary of State Police and extend our
- 12 sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew
- 13 and loved him; and be it further
- 14 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- presented to the family of Sqt. Schneider as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.