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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 Diane Marie (Flamm) McClelland, who passed away on December 16, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Diane McClelland was born to Robert Flamm and Martha (Basler) Flamm in Anna on April 16, 1952; she graduated from Cobden High School; she married Michael McClelland in 1971; and

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WHEREAS, Diane McClelland worked as a reading specialist at Lincoln Elementary School in Anna for over two decades, and she was noted for her kindness by countless former students; and

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WHEREAS, Diane McClelland and her friends marched as costumed troupes in the Cobden Peach Festival Parade every year; and

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WHEREAS, Diane McClelland enjoyed walking, cycling, and running with her friends; she was an avid runner who completed her first marathon at the age of 60 in 2012; she also loved enjoying the outdoors and climbing mountains with her family and friends; and

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1           WHEREAS, Diane McCleland was a loving mother and wife, a  
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4           WHEREAS, Diane McCleland was preceded in death by her  
5           parents and her brother-in-law, Donnie Campbell; and

6           WHEREAS, Diane McCleland is survived by her husband,  
7           Michael; her sons, Jerod McCleland and Jacob McCleland; her  
8           daughter-in-law, Alessandra Perez de McCleland; two  
9           grandchildren; and her sisters, Theresa Hatley, Roberta  
10          Vanover, Nancy Flamm, and Toni Campbell; therefore, be it

11          RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL  
12          ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
13          Diane Marie (Flamm) McCleland and extend our sincere  
14          condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and loved  
15          her; and be it further

16          RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
17          presented to the family of Diane McCleland as an expression of  
18          our deepest sympathy.