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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to  
3 congratulate Glyn Ramage on the occasion of his retirement as  
4 business manager of the Downstate Illinois Laborers' District  
5 Council of the Laborers' International Union of North America  
6 (LIUNA); and

7 WHEREAS, For the past 25 years, Glyn Ramage was elected to  
8 represent the more than 3,000 LIUNA members in 12 counties in  
9 Southwestern Illinois, as well as the newly organized  
10 Downstate Illinois Laborers' District Council, representing  
11 10,000 LIUNA members and 16 local unions within 58 counties of  
12 Downstate Illinois; he first started working out of LIUNA  
13 Local #100 at the age of 15 in 1972, becoming a card-carrying  
14 member in 1977; during his tenure, he was elected to serve in  
15 several positions with Local #100, including as a delegate to  
16 the Downstate Illinois Laborers' District Council, as  
17 recording secretary, and as president before being elected as  
18 business manager of Local #100, serving in that position from  
19 1992 until 2005; and

20 WHEREAS, Glyn Ramage has served as chairman on a number of  
21 boards throughout his career, including the Capital  
22 Development Board, the Foundation for Fair Contracting of  
23 Southwestern Illinois, the Labor Management Work Preservation

1 & Construction Industry Trust of Southwestern Illinois, the  
2 LIUNA Southwestern Illinois Laborers' Political League, the  
3 LIUNA Laborers' Midwest Region Retiree Council, the LIUNA  
4 Laborers' 100 & 397 Health and Welfare and Pension Fund, the  
5 Illinois Laborers' and Contractors Joint Apprenticeship and  
6 Training Fund, and the LIUNA Southwestern Illinois Laborers'  
7 District Council Laborers' - Employers Cooperation and  
8 Education Trust, now named the Downstate Illinois District  
9 Council Laborers' - Employers Cooperation and Education Trust;  
10 and

11 WHEREAS, Glyn Ramage has also served on several boards,  
12 including the LIUNA Laborers' District Council Scholarship  
13 Fund, the Central Laborers' Pension Fund, the Laborers' Home  
14 Development Corporation, United Way, the Leadership Council of  
15 Southwestern Illinois, the Labor Management Committee of  
16 Southwestern Illinois, the St. Clair County Democratic  
17 Screening Committee, the Council of Owners and Construction  
18 Associates, Inc., the Mid America Workforce Investment Board,  
19 Citizens for Modern Transit, the LIUNA Midwest Region  
20 Foundation for Fair Contracting, the LIUNA Midwest Region  
21 Organizing Committee, the LIUNA Midwest Region Laborers' -  
22 Employers Cooperation and Education Trust, the LIUNA Laborers'  
23 Political League, the LIUNA Midwest Region Health and Safety  
24 Fund, and the LIUNA Midwest Region Legislative Committee; and

1       WHEREAS, Glyn Ramage retired as business manager on  
2       February 1, 2025; therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL  
4       ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we congratulate Glyn  
5       Ramage on his retirement as business manager of the Downstate  
6       Illinois Laborers' District Council of the Laborers'  
7       International Union of North America (LIUNA), and we recognize  
8       his dedication to and impact on LIUNA; and be it further

9       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
10      presented to Glyn Ramage as an expression of our esteem and  
11      respect.