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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 Jack Zucco of Rochester, who passed away on February 13, 2026; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Zucco, the cherished son of Marc and Carrie (Garrett) Zucco, was born in Grayling, Michigan on October 3, 2008; he was a young man of physical, mental, and spiritual grit who lived his faith genuinely and never missed an opportunity to help others; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Zucco grew up trying many different things, but he soon settled on wrestling, soccer, pole vault, and most recently, playing guitar; he was involved with Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts and was an Eagle Scout candidate; he served his community by working the fields at the ballpark for the Rochester Youth Athletics Association and worked as a lifeguard at Springfield Elks Lodge #158; he loved to spend time with his family and friends at Krekel's; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Zucco was an active member of his parish as an altar server and worked at fish fries and Vacation Bible School; he planned on traveling to Rome in August on a youth mission trip; he taught others to love and to let God's light shine; and

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1 WHEREAS, Jack Zucco loved life, as well as his family,
2 friends, and strangers; he was a son, brother, grandson,
3 nephew, cousin, friend, and helper to anyone who would have
4 him; he turned people into the best versions of themselves
5 without even knowing it; and

6 WHEREAS, Jack Zucco was preceded in death by his
7 grandfather, Lary Garrett; and

8 WHEREAS, Jack Zucco is survived by his devoted parents;
9 his grandparents, Michael and Rebecca Zucco and Mary Garrett;
10 his three adoring sisters, Molly, Adele, and Lucy Zucco; his
11 aunt, Sara (Brandon) Goode; his uncles, Matt (Britta) Zucco
12 and Adam (Samantha) Garrett; as well as several cousins and
13 countless friends who meant the world to him; therefore, be it

14 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL
15 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
16 Jack Zucco and extend our sincere condolences to his family,
17 friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

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