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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of George Philip Longmeyer, who passed 4 away on October 9, 2024; and

5 WHEREAS, George Longmeyer was born to Lucy (Wood) and
6 Joseph Longmeyer in Whitehall on October 30, 1940; he
7 graduated from Greenfield High School; he enlisted in the U.S.
8 Marine Corps, serving from 1959 to 1963; he earned his
9 bachelor's degree in political science from Western Illinois
10 University and his master's degree in public administration
11 from Lewis University; and

WHEREAS, George Longmeyer became assistant village manager of Hoffman Estates in 1971, and he was named village manager in 1972; he worked for Arlingdale Home Builders in 1979 before returning to public service as assistant village manager of Schaumburg in 1981; he became village manager of Schaumburg in 1986, where he oversaw the redevelopment of Schaumburg's Town Square, including the building of a new library, the purchase of Schaumburg Airport, and the approval to build the baseball stadium known as Wintrust Field; he retired in 1998; and

WHEREAS, George Longmeyer was elected to the Schaumburg Park District Board in 2001, where he served until retiring

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- from public service in 2021; during his tenure, he helped 1
- 2 bring a number of projects to fruition, including a new Sports
- 3 Center, the Kay Wojcik Conservation Area, the Atcher Island
- Water Park, the Bison's Bluff Nature Playground, and the 4
- renovation of the Schaumburg Golf Club; and 5
- 6 WHEREAS, George Longmeyer was an avid golfer, and he
- 7 received the honor of having a lake at the Schaumburg Golf Club
- named after him in 2021; and 8
- 9 WHEREAS, George Longmeyer was preceded in death by his
- 10 older brothers, Joseph and John; his twin sister, Margaret;
- and his younger sister, Mary Lee; and 11
- 12 WHEREAS, George Longmeyer is survived by his children,
- 13 Jennifer (Christian Wood) Longmeyer-Wood, Brian
- 14 Longmeyer, and Jeffrey Longmeyer; six grandchildren; and
- numerous nieces, nephews, grandnieces, and grandnephews; 15
- 16 therefore, be it
- RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL 17
- 18 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
- 19 George Philip Longmeyer and extend our sincere condolences to
- his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it 20
- 21 further

- 1 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 2 presented to the family of George Longmeyer as an expression
- 3 of our deepest sympathy.