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SENATE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to  
3 hear of the death of William Luebbers of Caseyville, who passed  
4 away on August 29, 2007; and

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WHEREAS, William Luebbers was born on May 8, 1924, in East  
6 St. Louis; his parents were Ben and Francis Mae, nee White,  
7 Luebbers; he married Shirley, nee Billner, Luebbers on October  
8 16, 1948; and

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10 WHEREAS, William Luebbers retired as a switchman and yard  
11 master from Illinois Central Railroad; he served in the United  
12 States Army during the Second World War and was a "Flying  
13 Tiger"; he was a member of St. Peter Lutheran Church; he had  
14 been a past member of the Caseyville Fire Department; and he  
15 was a past Post Commander and member of Caseyville VFW Post  
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17 WHEREAS, William Luebbers served as mayor of the Village of  
18 Caseyville for 4 years and as a village trustee for 17 years;  
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20 WHEREAS, William Luebbers was preceded in death by his  
wife, Shirley, and his parents, Ben and Francis Mae; and

1           WHEREAS, William Luebbers is survived by his daughter, Kay  
2           (Greg) Smith; his son, Kent Luebbers; his brothers, James  
3           Luebbers and Ben Luebbers Jr.; his sister, Doris Lonski; his  
4           special cousin, Royd Benyr; and his grandchildren, Joshua and  
5           Onaliesa Luebbers and Alexis Smith; therefore, be it

6           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL  
7           ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with  
8           his family and friends, the passing of William Luebbers; and be  
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10          RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
11          presented to the family of William Luebbers as an expression of  
12          our sympathy.