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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 Bob Barnes, who passed away on November 10, 2007; and

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WHEREAS, Bob Barnes was a teacher at LaGrange Highlands Elementary School for 33 years; he served as head teacher for 6 years and was tasked with supervising all evening music performances, helping with school discipline, and assisting the school's principal, as well as supervising the school's lunchroom and playground, which he did instead of taking his lunch period; and

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WHEREAS, Bob Barnes served as Highlands Elementary's seventh grade boys basketball team for 27 years; his basketball teams had a record of over 250 victories; he was also a coach for the middle school's soccer team; and

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WHEREAS, Bob Barnes is survived by his wife, Lenore Barnes, and his son, Matthew; and

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WHEREAS, Bob Barnes will be remembered by all who knew and loved him as a kind and gentle man who earned the respect of his colleagues, his students, and his community; therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL
2 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
3 his family and friends, the passing of Bob Barnes; and be it
4 further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the family of Bob Barnes as an expression of our
7 sympathy.