



HR0596

LRB096 14447 KXB 29303 r

1

HOUSE RESOLUTION

2

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Eleftherios "Larry" Saravanos of Plainfield, who passed away on August 27, 2009; and

3

4

5

6

WHEREAS, He was born in the Village of Karistos, Euboea, Greece, on May 8, 1950; and

7

8

WHEREAS, He ran a small restaurant in Greece before immigrating to the United States in the early 1970s; and

9

10

WHEREAS, He began his career in the restaurant business as a busboy, then as a cook, before opening Saravans in Midlothian; he moved to Plainfield in 1993 and opened Larry's Diner; and

11

12

13

14

WHEREAS, He was known as a generous man, giving away turkey dinners for senior citizens on Thanksgiving Day and giving to the Greek Church and his overall generosity to the Plainfield community; and

15

16

17

18

WHEREAS, He is survived by his children, Sam and Peggy; and his grandchild, Constantine; therefore, be it

19

1 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 NINETY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
3 mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of
4 Eleftherios "Larry" Saravanos; and be it further

5 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
6 presented to the family of Eleftherios "Larry" Saravanos as a
7 symbol of our sincere sympathy.