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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2           WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of  
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Robert J.  
4 Frooninckx, who passed away on February 11, 2011; and

5           WHEREAS, Robert J. Frooninckx was born January 19, 1941, in  
6 Clifton, the son of Louis J. N. and Florence M. Hamende  
7 Frooninckx; he was the former mayor of Clifton for 5 1/2 years  
8 and retired from ZLB Behring Corporation; and

9           WHEREAS, He originally campaigned for mayor to get  
10 something done about sewage treatment; he was instrumental in  
11 getting the grant and no-interest loan from the EPA for the  
12 job; after he stepped down as Mayor he was still making the  
13 rounds, checking on the progress of the new sewage system he  
14 had worked so hard to see built; he worked adamantly on the  
15 project and many would have liked for him to see it finished;  
16 and

17           WHEREAS, He never missed any village board meetings and  
18 would attend many other village meetings he was not required to  
19 attend in order to invest time and interest in his community;  
20 and

21           WHEREAS, He was not only a great public servant, but a

1 small business owner, realtor, and avid Cubs fan as well; he  
2 was a member of the Knights of Columbus and enjoyed collecting  
3 antiques, coins, and stocks; and

4 WHEREAS, Robert Frooninckx is survived by his daughter,  
5 Brenda Frooninckx and her companion, Melissa Rhodes; his sons  
6 and daughter-in-law, Craig and Kellie Frooninckx and Michael  
7 Frooninckx; his granddaughter, Tara Frooninckx; and his  
8 sister, Rita Rabideau; therefore, be it

9 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE  
10 NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that  
11 we mourn, along with his family and friends, the passing of  
12 Robert Frooninckx; and be it further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
14 presented to the family of Robert Frooninckx as a symbol of our  
15 sincere sympathy.