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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 Thelma M. Wians, formerly of Chicago, who passed away on October 12, 2014; and

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WHEREAS, Thelma Wians was born in South Dakota on March 25, 1920 to Herbert and Bertha (nee Gunderson) Swedlund; she married Warren August Wians in Chicago on November 15, 1945; and

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WHEREAS, Thelma Wians and her husband raised their family in Chicago, and, in 2001, they moved to the Sun City Huntley retirement community in Huntley; and

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WHEREAS, Thelma Wians was an avid Scrabble player and was a member of the Sun City Scrabble Club and Trinity Lutheran Church in Huntley; and

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WHEREAS, Thelma Wians was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Warren; a son, James Warren Wians; 4 brothers; and 3 sisters; and

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WHEREAS, Thelma Wians is survived by her children, Peggy Altmeyer, Pamela Lanteri, David (Demetria) Wians, and Donna (Jeannette Hatcher) Wians; 10 grandchildren; and 7

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1 great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

2       RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL  
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
4 Thelma M. Wians, and extend our sincere condolences to her  
5 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it  
6 further

7       RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
8 presented to the family of Thelma Wians as an expression of our  
9 deepest sympathy.