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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to
3 learn of the death of Julian "Mike" Serzynski, who passed away
4 on October 24, 2015; and

5 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski was born on February 5, 1926 in
6 North Chicago; his parents were Casimir and Mary Serzynski; he
7 attended Holy Rosary Catholic Grade School and Waukegan High
8 School; and

9 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski served his country in the United
10 States Armed Forces during World War II and was honorably
11 discharged in 1946; while serving, he was awarded the Victory
12 Medal, the American Area Ribbon, and the Asiatic Pacific Ribbon
13 with one star; and

14 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski was employed at US Steel, where
15 he retired after 33 years in the tempering department;
16 following his retirement, he worked in the garden shop at
17 K-Mart in Waukegan; while there, he was awarded associate of
18 the month and employee of the year; and

19 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski was a member of St. Anastasia
20 Church and volunteered there for 20 years, helping with bingo;
21 he was also a member of the Holy Child Father's Club, the

1 Waukegan Moose Club, American Legion Post 281, the VFW, St.
2 Joe's Club of North Chicago, and the Swedish Glee Club; and

3 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski enjoyed fishing, bowling, golf,
4 and watching the Chicago Cubs and Cleveland Browns; and

5 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski was preceded in death by his
6 wife, Anna (nee Bollmeyer); his parents; his brothers, John,
7 Alex, Casimir, Stanley, Paul, Joseph, and Aloysius; and his
8 sister, Dorothy Tutino; and

9 WHEREAS, Julian Serzynski is survived by his children, Mary
10 Katherine (Dave) Jouppi, Julie Anne (Richard) Zagorski, Paula
11 Jean (Geoffrey) DeLucca, and Michael Henry; his grandchildren,
12 Gregory (Kristin) Jouppi, Erin (Justin) Ranieri, Kristen
13 Jouppi, James, Russell, Matthew, and Elijah Zagorski, and
14 Nicholas DeLucca; his great-grandchildren, Anthony Joseph and
15 Gabriella Judith Ranieri; and his brother, Peter Serzynski;
16 therefore, be it

17 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL
18 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his
19 family and friends, mourn the passing of Julian "Mike"
20 Serzynski; and be it further

21 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

1 presented to the family of Julian Serzynski as an expression of
2 our sympathy.