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HOUSE RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Kenneth
4 "Kenny" Allen; and

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WHEREAS, Kenny Allen was born in Chicago to Sadie Allen on
6 December 27, 1965; he attended John A. Sbarbaro Elementary
7 School and graduated from Simeon Vocational High School, where
8 he was a star athlete and basketball player; he led the
9 Wolverines to the 1983-84 Illinois High School Association
10 Basketball Championship and was named MVP; and

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WHEREAS, Kenny Allen had an entrepreneurial spirit; he
12 loved exploring new opportunities, generating innovative
13 ideas, and working with his hands; for the last several years,
14 he worked closely with his cousin, John Allen, as an
15 independent contractor for Al's Fast Service; and

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WHEREAS, Kenny Allen was affectionately known as "Red"; he
17 had an infectious smile and loud laugh that would win anyone
18 over; and

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WHEREAS, Kenny Allen was preceded in death by his mother;
20 his brother, Harold Allen; and other family members and
21 friends; and

1 WHEREAS, Kenny Allen is survived by his sisters, Gloria
2 Allen Hodges and Marion Allen; his brothers, Gregory (Karen),
3 Michael, and Maurice Allen; his uncle, Morris (Marlene) Allen
4 Sr.; his aunt, Doris Allen; his great-aunts, Willa and Erma
5 Perry; his sister-in-law, Doris Allen; and numerous nieces,
6 nephews, cousins, and friends; therefore, be it

7 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
8 HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
9 we mourn the passing of Kenneth "Kenny" Allen and extend our
10 sincere condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew
11 and loved him; and be it further

12 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
13 presented to the family of Kenny Allen as an expression of our
14 deepest sympathy.