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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 Jack L. Sawyer of Mapleton, who passed away on May 9, 2024; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer was born to George and Linda (Herrmann) Sawyer in Baxter Springs, Kansas on November 1, 1937; he served in the U.S. Marine Corps during the Korean War; he married Judy Herring in Eureka on February 26, 1976; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer was the owner of Contractors Carpet Services for over 50 years before retiring; he also owned Smith & Company Carpet Supplies; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer was a member of Eastside Bible Church in Morton and the Rocky Mountain Elk Foundation; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer enjoyed elk hunting, fishing, and spending time with his family and friends; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer was preceded in death by his parents; his stepson, Cliff Herring; and his brother, Jerry Sawyer; and

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WHEREAS, Jack Sawyer is survived by his wife of 48 years, Judy; his son, Judd Sawyer; his stepdaughter, Theresa (Brad)

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1 Johanson; his grandchildren, Adam Johanson, Benjamin Johanson,
2 and Billie (Clint) Tibbs; three great-grandchildren; one
3 niece; and two nephews; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Jack L. Sawyer and extend our sincere condolences to his
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
8 further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to the family of Jack Sawyer as an expression of our
11 deepest sympathy.