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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 Ronald J. Jonas of Huntley, who passed away on August 20, 2008; and

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WHEREAS, Ronald J. Jonas was born on October 19, 1939 in Des Plaines; and

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WHEREAS, Ronald J. Jonas was a valued and well-respected employee of the Bank of Buffalo Grove; he also served as a member of the Board of Directors and Membership Chairman of the Buffalo Grove Area Chamber of Commerce, as well as serving 7 years as the chamber's president; and

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WHEREAS, Ronald J. Jonas was involved in numerous civic activities, including the BGRA youth baseball program and the Rotary Club of Buffalo Grove; and

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WHEREAS, Ronald J. Jonas was the beloved husband of Judith A. (nee Gramit); the loving father of Michael D. Jonas, Matthew B. Jonas, and the late Michelle Jonas; the dear brother of William Jonas, Thomas (Caryl) Jonas, and the late Rosann Jonas Holbrook; and the fond uncle of many; and

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WHEREAS, Ronald J. Jonas' love of life and ability to live

1 it to the fullest endeared him to his family members, friends,
2 and all who knew him, and enabled him to enrich their lives in
3 ways they will never forget; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-FIFTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
6 his family and friends, the passing of Ronald J. Jonas; and be
7 it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
9 presented to the family of Ronald J. Jonas as an expression of
10 our sympathy.