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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to 3 learn of the death of Ronald L. Sumners of Wadsworth, who 4 passed away on September 8, 2012; and

5 WHEREAS, Ronald Sumners served his country with pride as a 6 nuclear submariner with the United States Navy during the 7 Vietnam War; and

8 WHEREAS, After his discharge from the Navy, Ronald Sumners 9 worked at the Zion Nuclear Power Station until the plant's 10 closure in 1998; he subsequently combined his love of travel 11 with his computer skills and worked as a computer software 12 trainer until his retirement in 2010; and

WHEREAS, Ronald Sumners was preceded in death by his son, Philip, and his parents, Norwood and Mary Sumners; and

WHEREAS, Ronald Sumners is survived by his wife of 42 years, Kathy; his children, Andrew, Nathaniel, and Gillian (Peter) Byron; his grandchildren, Jason Boncodin and Joy Sumners; his brother, John; and his many nieces and nephews; therefore, be it

20 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL

- 1 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
- 2 his family and friends, the passing of Ronald L. Sumners; and
- 3 be it further
- 4 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 5 presented to the family of Ronald Sumners as an expression of
- 6 our sympathy.