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WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened to learn of the death of Edward Peters of Aurora, who passed away on November 22, 2012; and

5 WHEREAS, Edward Peters was born in Aurora; his parents were 6 Fred and Lillian (Poss) Peters; he married Jane Ann Feiden on 7 June 18, 1949; and

WHEREAS, Edward Peters was a member of the United States

Navy and traveled to all areas of the South Pacific as a

signalman on a 5-man amphibious landing craft; he was also

involved in the first wave to hit the beach at Okinawa on

Easter morning, April 1, 1945 while aboard the USS Caswell; and

WHEREAS, Edward Peters was the owner and operator of Ed Peters Realty for many years; and

WHEREAS, Edward Peters was a lifetime member and color guard for the Montgomery VFW Post 7452; he was a member of the Luxemburger Club and the Lucky 50 Club; he also served as President of the Serra Club and was a lifetime parishioner of St. Nicholas Church; and

WHEREAS, Edward Peters enjoyed fishing with his family and

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- 1 friends on Lake Delevan for many years; and
- 2 WHEREAS, Edward Peters was preceded in death by his
- 3 parents; his sister, Rita (Don) West; and his nephew, Mike
- 4 West; and
- 5 WHEREAS, Edward Peters is survived by his wife, Jane Ann
- 6 (Feiden); his children, Sheila (Dave) White, Father Dan Peters,
- Jo (Mike) Klein, Diane (Brad) Hansen, Fred (Beth) Peters, and
- 8 Greg (Ellen) Peters; his nephew, Steve (Holly) West; his 23
- 9 grandchildren; and his 23 great-grandchildren; therefore, be
- 10 it
- 11 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SEVENTH GENERAL
- 12 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with
- his family and friends, the passing of Edward Peters; and be it
- 14 further
- 15 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 16 presented to the family of Edward Peters as an expression of
- our sympathy.