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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 Suzanne Cooke of Naperville, who passed away on March 13, 2013; and

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WHEREAS, Suzanne Cooke joined Naperville High School in 2001, working there as an administrator; and

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WHEREAS, Suzanne Cooke sponsored the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and was active in her church and its youth groups; she had a passion for sports and spent time interning for the Miami Dolphins and spent 3 years as an assistant athletic director at Naperville North High School; she was a Chicago White Sox fan and would traveling around the country attempting to visit all the Major League Baseball ballparks, making it to 21 of them; and

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WHEREAS, Suzanne Cooke earned her doctorate recently and the Dr. Suzanne Cooke Scholarship Fund was created to be given to a student who leads by example and helps others; and

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WHEREAS, Suzanne Cooke was known for her sense of humor, her drive, and her big heart; she had a passion for working with teenagers and would help them in any way that she could; and

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1 WHEREAS, Suzanne Cooke is survived by her mother Do Cooke;
2 her father, Michael Cooke; her brother, Rick Cooke; and her
3 niece; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-EIGHTH GENERAL
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
6 Suzanne Cooke, and extend our sincere condolences to her
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved her; and be it
8 further

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