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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 Louis J. "Lou" Gnadt III, who passed away on July 20, 2016; and

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WHEREAS, Louis Gnadt III was born on August 29, 1949 in Chicago; and

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WHEREAS, Louis Gnadt III was a member of the first graduating class from Stevenson High School; he served as a volunteer firefighter with the Vernon Fire Protection District and moved his way up the ranks to Captain before his retirement in 1998 after 31 years of service; and

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WHEREAS, Louis Gnadt III enjoyed making jokes, talking about sports and his family, and playing bingo and blackjack; and

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WHEREAS, Louis Gnadt III was preceded in death by his parents, Buzz and Dolores; and

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WHEREAS, Louis Gnadt III is survived by his wife, Deb Gammon; his brothers, Allen (Patsy) Gnadt and Dave (Pat) Gnadt; his sisters-in-law, Sandy (Bob) Kliver, Wendy (Gene) Gabry, and Kim (Rodney Dawson) Gammon; his nieces and nephews, Theresa,

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1 Christina, Margaret, Allison, Mike, Dave, Megan, Beth, and  
2 Carrie; his godchildren, Christie, Brian, and Kristina; and his  
3 nephews of the heart, Ben and Scott; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we, along with his  
6 family and friends, mourn the passing of Louis J. "Lou" Gnadt  
7 III; and be it further

8 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
9 presented to the family of Louis Gnadt III as an expression of  
10 our sympathy.