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HOUSE RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Philip Carrigan of Waukegan, who passed away on January 28, 2018; and

WHEREAS, Philip Carrigan was born near Boston, where he began his career as a pharmacist; he moved to Illinois to work for Abbott Laboratories as a research scientist; he was inducted into its prestigious Volwiler Society; he retired in 2004 after 30 years with the company; and

WHEREAS, Philip Carrigan developed an interest in prison reform, volunteering for the prison-reform groups, John Howard Society, and Prisoner Visitation and Support; he was a dedicated member of the Coalition to Reduce Recidivism's executive board as well as the Eddie Washington Center and Staben House advisory councils; and

WHEREAS, Philip Carrigan joined the College of Lake County Board in 2005, serving a six-year term and winning a second term in 2013; he served on advisory boards for organizations that provide Head Start programs, transitional housing, and food pantries; he also served on the Lake County NAACP board; and

1 WHEREAS, Philip Carrigan volunteered with PADS Lake
2 County, going every Friday to the homeless shelter in Waukegan;
3 and

4 WHEREAS, Philip Carrigan and his wife, Mary Clare Jakes,
5 have one daughter, Erin; therefore, be it

6 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
7 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we
8 mourn the passing of Philip Carrigan, and extend our sincere
9 condolences to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved
10 him; and be it further

11 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
12 presented to the family of Philip Carrigan as an expression of
13 our deepest sympathy.