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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 John R. Hunt of Silvis, who passed away on June 22, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, John Hunt was born in Rock Island to Frank and Marie DeVacht Hunt on September 16, 1929; he served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War and married Marcella Degraer at St. Mary's Catholic Church in East Moline on April 24, 1954; and

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WHEREAS, John Hunt retired from the Moline Consumers Company in 1994 after 39 years of service; he served with the Silvis Fire Department, retiring in September of 1995 as the assistant fire chief; he was alderman for the Silvis First Ward from 1997 to 2001; and

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WHEREAS, John Hunt enjoyed golf and fishing; and

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WHEREAS, John Hunt was preceded in death by his parents; his wife, Marcella; and his son, David Hunt; and

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WHEREAS, John Hunt is survived by his daughter, Therese Hunt; his brother-in-law, Robert (Mildred) Degraer; his nieces and nephews, Rob (Mary) Degraer, Michelle (Bill) LaVoy, and Dan, Tom, and Cathy Maertens; and his grand-nieces and

1 grand-nephews; therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL  
3 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
4 John R. Hunt and extend our sincere condolences to his family,  
5 friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it further

6 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
7 presented to the family of John Hunt as an expression of our  
8 deepest sympathy.