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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 Terry F. "Big T" Mahan of East Moline, who passed away on July 29, 2019; and

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WHEREAS, Terry Mahan was born in Chicago to Charles and Thelma (Fair) Mahan on February 25, 1942; he graduated from United Township High School in 1960, where he set a record in the 440 relay in 1958; he served in the U.S. Army and married Theresa Vallejo in Rock Island in 1970; and

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WHEREAS, Terry Mahan worked for John Deere Harvester as an assembler, retiring in 1997; he was a personal trainer at the John Deere Fitness Center for 20 years; and

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WHEREAS, Terry Mahan mentored many people through AA sponsorship and was set to receive his 39th year chip on August 7, 2019; he was a fitness enthusiast; he coached his children and grandchildren in baseball, softball, football, and track; he was an avid fan of the Chicago Cubs, Chicago Bears, and Iowa Hawkeyes; he never knew a stranger and was a friend to everyone; and

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WHEREAS, Terry Mahan was preceded in death by his parents and his wife, Theresa; and

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1           WHEREAS, Terry Mahan is survived by his children, Terri  
2           Phillips, Lisa (Pat) Kinnee, Scott (Tippi) Mahan, Leigh Ann  
3           (Rick) Breer, and Jeffrey (Hope) Mahan; 10 grandchildren; 12  
4           great-grandchildren; his sister, Cathy Farley; his brother,  
5           Michael Mahan; numerous nieces and nephews; and many close  
6           friends who were like family to him; therefore, be it

7           RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL  
8           ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
9           Terry F. "Big T" Mahan and extend our sincere condolences to  
10          his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
11          further

12          RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be  
13          presented to the family of Terry Mahan as an expression of our  
14          deepest sympathy.