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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 Howard W. Carney of Gillespie, who passed away on October 12, 2020; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Carney was born to LeRoy Carney and Hazel (Linton) Carney Wagner on February 12, 1932; he graduated from Gillespie High School and married Marvella June "Marvey" Meyer in Litchfield on April 16, 1950; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Carney worked as a mine manager for the Monterey Coal Company; he was civic minded and served the City of Gillespie as an alderman for eight years and as mayor for 20 years; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Carney enjoyed fishing and being with his family; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Carney was preceded in death by his wife, Marvey; his parents; his son, Richard Carney; and his brothers, Earl and LeRoy Carney; and

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WHEREAS, Howard Carney is survived by his daughters, Donna (Chuck) Westhoff and Vickie Brown (Tom Sorbie); his son, Ron Carney (Ellen Brown); his grandchildren, Chuckie Westhoff,

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1 Michael Westhoff, Ryan (Robin) Brown, Andy (Alisha) Brown, and  
2 Alex Brown (Cindy Baldwin); seven great-grandchildren; and one  
3 great-great-grandchildren; therefore, be it

4       RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST GENERAL  
5 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of  
6 Howard W. Carney and extend our sincere condolences to his  
7 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it  
8 further

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