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SENATE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened
3 to learn of the death of Richard Donald "Dick" Grawe of Coal
4 Valley, who passed away on July 18, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Dick Grawe was born to Irvin and Maggie (Tobin)
6 Grawe in Worthington, Iowa on February 8, 1935; he served in
7 the U.S. Navy; he married Nancy Holman in Yuma, Arizona on
8 February 14, 1955, and she preceded him in death on February
9 16, 2018; and

10 WHEREAS, Dick Grawe owned and operated Valley Open-Air
11 Market for over 15 years, retiring in 2002; and

12 WHEREAS, Dick Grawe was a member of St. Maria Goretti
13 Catholic Church in Coal Valley, Kewanee American Legion Post
14 #31, and Forty and Eight; he enjoyed hunting, fishing, and
15 going to the casino; he was an avid Iowa Hawkeyes and Chicago
16 Cubs fan; and

17 WHEREAS, Dick Grawe was preceded in death by his parents;
18 his wife, Nancy; his granddaughter, Rebecca Grawe; and his
19 siblings, Dan Grawe and Mary Ann Krantz; and

20 WHEREAS, Dick Grawe is survived by his children, Diana

1 (Tim) Peterson, Donald Grawe, David (Kay Jones) Grawe, and
2 Debra (Ed) Greif; his grandchildren, Jessie Peterson, Jason
3 (Pam Wantuch) Peterson, Justin (Liz) Peterson, Kristen (Nick)
4 Miller, Mason (Nikki Mills) Grawe, and Courtney Grawe; his
5 great-grandchildren, Ellis, Jackson, Liam, Alexander,
6 Mackenzie, Bailey, Ryan, and Sage; and his sweetheart, Anita
7 Hatalsky; therefore, be it

8 RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL
9 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn the passing of
10 Richard Donald "Dick" Grawe and extend our sincere condolences
11 to his family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be
12 it further

13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
14 presented to the family of Dick Grawe as an expression of our
15 deepest sympathy.