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1 SENATE RESOLUTION

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2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate are saddened 3 to learn of the death of Eldon Bradley of Lynn Center, who 4 passed away on September 3, 2022; and

5 WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley was born to Leroy and Mable (Adams)
6 Bradley in Cutbank, Montana on May 19, 1945; he served in the
7 U.S. Army during the Vietnam War; he married Linda Riner in
8 Denver, Colorado on November 16, 1977; and

9 WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley worked on oil rigs in Montana for 10 the Texas Oil Company as a young man; he was a fabricator for 11 Coors and later for Alcoa; he and his wife also owned and 12 operated Nan and Paps Apple Butter; and

WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley was a member of the Ophiem VA, where he held the title of adjunct; he was in charge of the VA's monthly meetings and helped place flags on veterans' graves for Memorial Day; he was also a valued member of Ophiem American Legion Post 1077; and

WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley enjoyed gardening and farming; he was an expert carpet installer and enjoyed being able to help his family with his skills; and

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- 1 WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley was preceded in death by his
- 2 parents; his son, Tyge Saylors; and two sisters; and
- 3 WHEREAS, Eldon Bradley is survived by his wife; his
- 4 children, Shane "Bud" (Krista) Bradley, Gwenn Bradley, W. Tim
- 5 (Susan) Sullivan, D. Mark (Jennifer) Sullivan, and Angie
- 6 (Kelly) Saylors-Bundy; 15 grandchildren; and one
- 7 great-grandson; 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 Eldon Bradley and extend our sincere condolences to his
- 11 family, friends, and all who knew and loved him; and be it
- 12 further
- 13 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
- 14 presented to the family of Eldon Bradley as an expression of
- our deepest sympathy.