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HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois House of
3 Representatives are saddened to learn of the death of Margaret
4 J. (Qualls) Wert of Spring Grove, who passed away on April 13,
5 2023; and

6 WHEREAS, Margaret Wert was born to Kenneth and Jennifer
7 Buit in Muskegon, Michigan on December 9, 1964; with her
8 family, she resided in Colorado from approximately 1972 to
9 1979 and had a short stay in Texas before settling in Wichita,
10 Kansas in 1979; she graduated from South High School in
11 Wichita in 1983; following her high school graduation, she
12 attained her cosmetology license; she married Wade McCart
13 after meeting him in Wichita in 1983, and they had two
14 children, Bo and Kalyn McCart; she later married Troy Wert on
15 June 21, 1991, and they settled in Spring Grove, Illinois and
16 had two children, Jordan and Abbey Wert; she began attending
17 the College of Lake County in 2001, where she earned her
18 Associate in Applied Science in Medical Imaging; and

19 WHEREAS, Margaret Wert was known for coaching the Fox Lake
20 Cardinals cheerleading squad, coordinating parent teacher
21 association events, participating in the Fox Lake Chamber of
22 Commerce, and volunteering at Richardson's Adventure Farm,
23 feeding the animals, especially her favorite horse, Rowdy; and

1 WHEREAS, Margaret Wert was an accredited member of the
2 American Registry of Radiology Technologists; and

3 WHEREAS, Margaret J. Wert was an avid animal lover, a
4 country music enthusiast, and an outdoorswoman; she especially
5 enjoyed seeing the Rocky Mountains of Colorado; her favorite
6 hobbies were gardening, holiday decorating, attending live
7 music shows, and watching her favorite films, The Sound of
8 Music and The Wizard of Oz; and

9 WHEREAS, Margaret Wert was preceded in death by her
10 parents, Kenneth Buit and Jennifer Qualls; her previous
11 spouse, Wade McCart; her daughter, Kalyn McCart; and her pets,
12 Rowdy, Daisy, and Molly; and

13 WHEREAS, At the time of her passing, Margaret J. Wert was
14 survived by her children, Bo (Melissa) McCart, Jordan
15 (Krystal) Wert, and Abbey Wert; her grandchildren, Maddie,
16 Jacob, Declan, Irelynn, Hadley, and Harper; her siblings, Kim
17 Conkle and Karla Renteria; and her former spouse, Troy Wert;
18 therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
20 HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
21 we mourn the passing of Margaret J. (Qualls) Wert and extend

1 our condolences to her family, friends, and all who knew and
2 loved her; and be it further

3 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
4 presented to the family of Margaret Wert as an expression of
5 our deepest sympathy.