1   SENATE RESOLUTION

2   WHEREAS, The members of the Illinois Senate wish to
3   express   their   sincere condolences to the family and friends
4   of David W. Stoner, who passed away on November 17, 2001; and

5   WHEREAS, David W. Stoner was born on November 9, 1946 in
6   Chicago, Illinois to the late Harry B. and Ann M. Stoner; the
7   Stoner family built Northgate Shopping Center and owned The
8   Lektro Vend Corp.; and

9   WHEREAS, David Stoner and his wife, Gyda, jointly ran the
10   Northgate Shopping Center in Aurora until it was sold in
11   1998; Mr. Stoner was also an engineer at Lektro Vend Corp.
12   from the 1970s through 1993; and

13   WHEREAS, David Stoner was a member of University of
14   Shopping Centers, A.S.P.D. and Certified Shopping Center
15   Managers; in addition, he and his wife Gyda were charter
16   members of the Aurora Exchange Club and helped found the
17   DeKalb Exchange Club; and

18   WHEREAS, Mr. Stoner was a member of the United States
19   Power Squadron, a national boating organization, serving as a
20   Staff Commander; during the early 1970s, Mr. Stoner and his
21   father-in-law wrote a book explaining how to program the
22   latest Hewlett-Packard calculators for ocean navigation; and

23   WHEREAS, Mr. Stoner served as Scoutmaster for Troop #3 at
24   New England Congregational Church in Aurora from 1990 through
25   1995 where he held Vigil Honors, Order of the Arrow and
26   District Award; and

27   WHEREAS, The passing of David W. Stoner will be deeply
28   felt by all who knew and loved him, especially his wife,
29   Gyda, and his sons, William Stoner and David Dale (Danelle)
30   Stoner; therefore, be it

1   RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-SECOND GENERAL

2   ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that we mourn, along with

3   all who knew him, the death of David W. Stoner of Aurora,

4   Illinois; and be it further

5   RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be

6   presented to the family of David W. Stoner with our sincere

7   condolences.