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## 2001 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 34

May 8, 2001 - Introduced by Senator Grobschmidt, cosponsored by Representatives Plale and Sinicki. Referred to Committee on Senate Organization.

2 Whereas, Richard B. Kuzminski was born on November 25, 1929, in Cudahy, 3 Wisconsin, and passed away on March 25, 2001, in Milwaukee; and 4 Whereas, he graduated from South Milwaukee Senior High School and remained there to serve his community and raise his family with his wife Mary; and 5 6 Whereas, he unselfishly served the citizens of South Milwaukee as an alderman 7 for 16 years, including 6 years as common council president; and 8 Whereas, he went on to serve the citizens of South Milwaukee and Cudahy as 9 a Milwaukee County supervisor for 15 years; and 10 Whereas, during these years of service he also ran his own real estate company, 11 Mark Realty, which was aptly named for his family — Mary and Richard Kuzminski; 12 and Whereas, in the early 1950s, he served in the U.S. Army and was a member of 13 14 AMVETS, PLAV, and the Catholic War Vets; and

**Relating to:** the life and public service of Richard B. Kuzminski.

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1	Whereas, he was also an active member of the South Milwaukee Lions Club and
2	St. Mary's Catholic Church in South Milwaukee; and
3	Whereas, after experiencing heart failure in 1992, he was the recipient of a
4	heart transplant and became a spokesperson for organ transplants; and
5	Whereas, he continued to serve his constituency until his retirement in 1996;
6	and
7	Whereas, upon his retirement, he and Mary moved to their home on the Fox
8	River in Waterford, where he enjoyed spending time with his grandchildren, Kristin,
9	Lauren, Preston, Leslie, Joshua, Sam, and Andrea; now, therefore, be it
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