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## SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4008

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*Celebrating the life of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich-Nixon.*

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WHEREAS, Katherine Anne Marie Lusich-Nixon, a loving wife and mother in Virginia Beach who served the community for 10 years as a member of the Virginia Beach Department of Public Utilities, died on May 31, 2019; and

WHEREAS, a native of Bakersfield, California, Katherine "Kate" Lusich-Nixon lived in Florida and California before settling in Virginia Beach after college; and

WHEREAS, as an engineer with the Virginia Beach Department of Public Utilities, Kate Lusich-Nixon enhanced the quality of life in the city by supporting critical public infrastructure projects; and

WHEREAS, Kate Lusich-Nixon was selfless and kind towards everyone she met; she earned the respect of her coworkers for her keen intellect and willingness to help anyone in need; and

WHEREAS, a woman of deep and abiding faith, Kate Lusich-Nixon enjoyed fellowship and worship with the community at Saint Gregory the Great Catholic Church, where she was an active member of their Bible study group; and

WHEREAS, Kate Lusich-Nixon was an avid swimmer in her youth, and she relished every opportunity to spend time with her children by supporting them in their own athletic pursuits; and

WHEREAS, Kate Lusich-Nixon will be fondly remembered and greatly missed by her beloved husband, Jason; her children, Morgan, Madilyn, and Mackenzie; her parents, Bob and Julie; and numerous other family members, friends, and colleagues at the Virginia Beach Department of Public Utilities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of Virginia hereby note with great sadness the loss of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich-Nixon, a dedicated civil servant and an active member of the Virginia Beach community; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to the family of Katherine Anne Marie Lusich-Nixon as an expression of the Senate of Virginia's respect for her memory.

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