

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 275

Introduced by Williams, 36.

WHEREAS, Vernon Waldren of Papillion was a lifelong educator dedicated to service, mentoring, and leadership in his communities; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was an invaluable member of the Elkhorn Grange, Carver Grange, and State Grange Executive Board and helped charter the Carver Grange; and

WHEREAS, Vernon received the Nebraska State Grange Distinguished Service Award in 2019; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was the unit leader for the Douglas-Sarpy 4-H Program, the largest such program in Nebraska, from 1976 through 2013; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was a committed member of the National Association of Extension 4-H Agents, attending his first conference in 1977 and eventually serving as Treasurer in 1994 and President in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Vernon was inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame in 2018; and

WHEREAS, Vernon provided immense service to his communities as an extension educator for thirty-seven years; and

WHEREAS, Vernon Waldren passed away on January 7, 2022.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature recognizes Vernon Waldren for his service and leadership to the communities of Nebraska.

2. That the Legislature offers its condolences to the family of Vernon Waldren.

3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Vernon Waldren.