

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 298**

Introduced by Hilgers, 21.

WHEREAS, on February 26, 2022, the NEBRASKAland Foundation will present the Distinguished NEBRASKAlander Award, recognizing Nebraskans who have distinguished themselves and the state, to Anne Burkholder at the annual Statehood Day Dinner held in the Nebraska State Capitol; and

WHEREAS, Anne has had her paintings accepted in many national and regional juried shows and won first place awards for her oil and watercolors; and

WHEREAS, Anne's works are included in many private, public, and corporate collections in the United States as well as many foreign countries, including England, Austria, Switzerland, Germany, France, Australia, Morocco, and Japan; and

WHEREAS, Anne exhibited in several galleries in the country of Colombia during 1989-1990 and as part of a cultural exchange in 1991 she was invited to Tajikistan where she had exhibitions in both Dushanbe and Khujand; and

WHEREAS, Anne's development of the Burkholder Project at 719 P Street in Lincoln has inspired other artists and entrepreneurs and, through resurrecting an old, rundown building, helped transform the Haymarket into the vibrant area it is today.

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

1. That the Legislature congratulates Anne Burkholder as a recipient of the Distinguished NEBRASKAlander Award and extends its appreciation for her service to the State of Nebraska.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Anne Burkholder.