

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 161

Introduced by Kolterman, 24.

WHEREAS, Ted "T.R." R. Hughes II was born on May 1, 1938; and

WHEREAS, T.R. graduated from Seward High School in 1956 and earned a bachelor of science degree from the University of Nebraska in 1961; and

WHEREAS, T.R. was a member of the United States Marine Corps from 1957-1962; and

WHEREAS, T.R. was instrumental in starting several service organizations in Seward including the Seward County chapter of the Izaak Walton League, the Seward Foundation, and the City of Seward Recycling Center; and

WHEREAS, in 1984, T.R. was awarded the Seward County Community Service Award; and

WHEREAS, T.R. was a long-time board member of the Mari Sandoz Heritage Society and received the In the Spirit of Mari Sandoz Award in 2009; and

WHEREAS, T.R.'s passion was working with the Northern Cheyenne Tribe, the Great Plains Buffalo Association, the Spanish Barb Horse Association, as well as supporting environmental conservation and education; and

WHEREAS, in 1972, T.R. began a bison herd and used the offspring to establish other tribal and conservation herds. He recently sold the last of his herd to establish a conservation herd at the Crane Trust in Wood River; and

WHEREAS, T.R. passed away on March 17, 2015.

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

1. That the Legislature honors Ted "T.R." R. Hughes II for his service to his community, state, and country.

2. That the Legislature extends its deep sympathy to the family of Ted "T.R." R. Hughes II.

3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Ted "T.R." R. Hughes II.