

ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 385

Introduced by Hansen, 42; Schilz, 47.

WHEREAS, Nebraska's beef industry has long provided a foundation for the state's economy and culture; and

WHEREAS, the Nebraska Stock Growers Association originated 125 years ago to provide vision in representing ranchers' interests for the strength of their families and beef production; and

WHEREAS, the Nebraska Livestock Feeders Association and the Nebraska Feedlot Council merged with the Nebraska Stock Growers Association in 1988 to form the Nebraska Cattlemen as a strong and powerful voice working for the betterment of Nebraska policy creation at all levels; and

WHEREAS, Nebraska's cow-calf and cattle feeding businesses help Nebraska to rank in the top three states nationally in virtually all beef categories of production annually and provide employment and tax revenue which support state and local programs; and

WHEREAS, beef producers share common goals as members of the Nebraska Cattlemen with the primary focus to make Nebraska the beef epicenter; and

WHEREAS, the Nebraska Cattlemen is a strong and well-respected association that nurtures profitability for Nebraska beef producers and provides leadership to the cattle industry in Nebraska, across the United States, and around the world.

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

1. That the Legislature recognizes the importance of Nebraska's beef cattle industry and thanks the Nebraska Cattlemen for their leadership.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Michael Kelsey, executive director of the Nebraska Cattlemen.