

ONE HUNDRED FOURTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 440

Introduced by Garrett, 3.

WHEREAS, Justice Antonin Gregory Scalia, as the son of a first-generation American, Salvatore Eugene Scalia, is a testament to the American dream and American ideas; and

WHEREAS, in high school, Justice Scalia handled rifles as part of his training in his school's junior military training program and used to ride the subway from Queens to Manhattan with his rifle. As a child, he learned a proper appreciation for the Second Amendment and the Bill of Rights from his grandfather, who took him rabbit hunting on Long Island; and

WHEREAS, Justice Scalia promoted the proper interpretation of the Second Amendment through his lifetime. He was an avid hunter and took fellow Justice Elena Kagan bird and deer hunting; and

WHEREAS, Justice Scalia was a tireless advocate for an originalist interpretation of the United States Constitution, previously championed by liberal Justice Hugo Black.

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

1. That the Legislature commends Justice Antonin Gregory Scalia for his life of service.