

ONE HUNDRED FIFTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 37

Introduced by Kolowski, 31.

WHEREAS, Jacob Michael McNeill has been selected to attend the United States Senate Youth Program's 55th annual Washington Week as one of the two delegates from Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, the program was established in 1962 by a Senate Resolution to bring outstanding high school students who are interested in pursuing careers in public service to Washington, D.C., for an intensive week-long educational event; and

WHEREAS, each year two student delegates are selected for this extremely competitive merit-based program from each state, the District of Columbia, and the Department of Defense Education Activity; and

WHEREAS, student delegates will hear major policy addresses by senators, cabinet members, officials from the Departments of State and Defense and directors of other federal agencies, as well as participate in a meeting with a justice of the United States Supreme Court; and

WHEREAS, the Hearst Foundations provide transportation and all expenses for Washington Week and a \$10,000 undergraduate college scholarship for each delegate; and

WHEREAS, Jacob serves as senior class vice president, student council secretary, and captain of the congressional debate team at Elkhorn South High School, in addition to serving on both the Mayor's Youth Advisory Commission for Omaha Mayor Jean Stothert and Senator Deb Fischer's Omaha Youth Advisory Council; and

WHEREAS, Jacob plans to major in English at college, in preparation for a law degree.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH

LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates Jacob McNeill for being chosen as a Nebraska delegate to the United States Senate Youth Program, and extends him best wishes for continued academic success and civic involvement.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Mr. Jacob McNeill.