

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 197

Introduced by Slama, 1; Pansing Brooks, 28.

WHEREAS, Nancy Hoch was born on October 10th, 1936, in Nebraska City, Nebraska;

WHEREAS, Nancy grew up in Nebraska City, graduated from Nebraska City High School, attended the University of Nebraska, and graduated from the University of Kansas with a degree in political science;

WHEREAS, Nancy was the first woman elected to the University Of Nebraska Board Of Regents from the 4th District where she served for 12 years;

WHEREAS, Nancy served her community through her time on the University of Nebraska's President's Advisory Council, the University's Alumni Association and Executive Board, Chancellor's Search Committee, Chancellor's Board of Counselors of University of Nebraska Medical Center, and several other university-related boards and organizations;

WHEREAS, Nancy was the 1983 recipient of the Nebraska City Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizen Award and was awarded "Woman of the Year" by the Business and Professional Women in Nebraska City;

WHEREAS, Nancy was the first woman to join Rotary in Nebraska;

WHEREAS, Nancy was nominated by the Nebraska Republican Party for the U.S. Senate in 1984 and in 1986 and was also one of the first women to run for governor in the State of Nebraska;

WHEREAS, Nancy served 20 years on the Nebraska City Library Board and acted as its president much of that time;

WHEREAS, Nancy served as the President of the River Country Economic Development Corporation in Nebraska City, resulting in important industrial economic growth;

WHEREAS, Nancy volunteered with the Nebraska Community Foundation,

Nebraska Children and Families Foundation, the Nebraska City Housing Task Force, and other civic organizations;

WHEREAS, Nancy portrayed a deep love for her family, community, and state;
and

WHEREAS, Nancy Hoch died peacefully in her sleep in San Miguel de Allende, Mexico, on May 5, 2021, at the age of 84.

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

1. That the Legislature honors Nancy Hoch for her community service in Southeast Nebraska and beyond.
2. That the Legislature offers its condolences to the family of Nancy Hoch.
3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the family of Nancy Hoch.