

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 314

Introduced by Murman, 38.

WHEREAS, the TeamMates Mentoring Program was founded in 1991 by Dr. Tom and Nancy Osborne; and

WHEREAS, the mission of TeamMates is to positively impact the world by inspiring youth to reach their full potential through mentoring; and

WHEREAS, TeamMates mentors and mentees meet once a week during the academic year to play board games, work on a craft, or just talk; and

WHEREAS, Melanie Knight is a TeamMates mentor; and

WHEREAS, Melanie has been mentoring her current TeamMates mentee for seven years and has continued to put more of her time and effort into their relationship and meetings, even after moving to a more distant community; and

WHEREAS, Melanie was nominated by her mentee and her mentee's mother to be TeamMates Mentor of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Melanie was chosen by TeamMates to be the 2021-2022 Mentor of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Melanie will be formally honored at the TeamMates Conference this summer; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes the benefits of mentoring and volunteerism.

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

1. That the Legislature congratulates Melanie Knight on being selected TeamMates 2021-2022 Mentor of the Year.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Melanie Knight.