SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1763

A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending Lindy Richardson Lindquist for being inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame.

WHEREAS, The National 4-H Hall of Fame was created in 2002 as a 4-H Centennial project to recognize and celebrate those people who have made a significant impact on 4-H and its members; and

WHEREAS, Each laureate is selected for the National 4-H Hall of Fame because of his or her significant contribution to 4-H, the nation's premier youth development organization that serves over six million youth nationwide. 4-H programs in every state, U.S. territory and the District of Columbia, as well as 4-H's three national partners, nominate outstanding individuals for this honor. Lindy Richardson Lindquist and fifteen other individuals were inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame during a special ceremony on October 9, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Lindy Richardson Lindquist has dedicated her life to the youth of Kansas through the 4-H program. Her extension career started in Chase County, a small rural county in the Flint Hills where she served as Home Economist and 4-H Agent. Finding that working with youth was her passion, she accepted a position as Douglas County 4-H Agent and later became Kansas' first State 4-H Events Coordinator, coordinating state and national educational events; and

WHEREAS, Since retirement, Lindy Richardson Lindquist's service to 4-H has taken on volunteer and philanthropic roles. She has continued to provide instruction and logistical coordination of state-wide events, judge at fairs, sponsor an annual college scholarship and has established an estate gift to 4-H through the Kansas 4-H Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Lindy Richardson Lindquist has helped thousands of young people become confident adults who continue "To Make the Best Better": Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas: That we congratulate and commend Lindy Richardson Lindquist for being inducted into the National 4-H Hall of Fame; and

Be it further resolved: That the Secretary of the Senate shall send an enrolled copy of this resolution to Lindy Richardson Lindquist.

Senate Resolution No. 1763 was sponsored by Senators Tom Hawk and Elaine Bowers.

I hereby certify that the above Resolution originated in the Senate, and was adopted by that body

President of the Senate.