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ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 480

Introduced by Davis, 43; Hansen, 42.

WHEREAS, Dr. Margaret Cavanaugh-Boyer, originally from Omaha, and Dr. Steve Boyer, from Mullen, met at a rural health meeting during their first year of medical school, married in 1985, and have been together ever since; and

WHEREAS, after graduating from the University of Nebraska Medical Center (UNMC), Margaret and Steve practiced medicine in Gordon, Nebraska, and in 1992 opened Sandhills Family Medicine in Mullen; and

WHEREAS, Margaret and Steve deliberately chose a rural setting in which to raise their two children and have been dedicated to providing medical care to Sandhills residents who are very appreciative of the care they are given; and

WHEREAS, Margaret and Steve were presented with the Alumnus of the Year Award from the Family Practice Residency Program at UNMC in June 2012; and

WHEREAS, this award is given each year to graduates from the program who have demonstrated leadership and service to their community and innovation in their field; and

WHEREAS, Margaret was named the Hooker County Tribune's 2013 "Sandhills Someone Special" to recognize her personal and professional contributions to the community of Mullen and Hooker County; and

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WHEREAS, Steve regularly travels to other communities and states to assist colleagues in their medical practices; and

WHEREAS, the staff of Mullen's Pioneer Memorial Rest Home and Health Services believe having Margaret as its medical director, and Steve as a board member, provides invaluable service to their facility and residents.

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

- 1. That the Legislature congratulates Dr. Margaret Cavanaugh-Boyer and Dr. Steve Boyer for receiving the 2012 Alumnus of the Year Award from the Family Practice Residency Program at the University of Nebraska Medical Center and recognizes their personal and professional contributions.
- 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Dr. Margaret Cavanaugh-Boyer and Dr. Steve Boyer at Sandhills Family Medicine and to the Pioneer Memorial Rest Home and Health Services in Mullen, Nebraska.