

ONE HUNDRED SIXTH LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 150**

Introduced by Albrecht, 17.

WHEREAS, May 24, 2019, is National Poppy Day; and

WHEREAS, National Poppy Day is celebrated in memory of all veterans who have given their lives, the ultimate sacrifice; and

WHEREAS, red crepe paper poppies have been made, worn, displayed, and distributed for fundraising efforts by veterans' groups such as the American Legion Family and American Legion Auxiliary, for decades to observe both Memorial Day and Veterans Day; and

WHEREAS, each year veteran poppy makers across Nebraska, including Dennis Otte of Wayne, make thousands of memorial poppies each year to fundraise and remember; and

WHEREAS, National Poppy Day serves as a strong renewal of our nation's commitment to a powerful reminder of the cost of our freedom.

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

1. That the Legislature remembers the lives lost in World War I and appreciates the work of veteran poppy makers that help us celebrate Memorial Day, Veterans Day, and National Poppy Day.

2. That copies of this resolution be sent to the American Legion Auxiliary for Nebraska and Dennis Otte.