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Resolution No. R-14-0023

Proclamation Extension Centennial Celebration

WHEREAS, May 8, 2014 marks the Centennial of the signing of the Smith-Lever Act which established Cooperative Extension through land-grant universities in partnership with federal, state and local governments; and

WHEREAS, the University of Nebraska–Lincoln Extension in Lancaster County is a critical component of the teaching, research and extension land-grant university mission and works collaboratively with the University of Nebraska; and

WHEREAS, University of Nebraska–Lincoln Extension education disseminated through Lancaster County for agriculture producers has helped establish Nebraska as a leading agriculture state; 4-H youth development has helped youth prepare for responsible adulthood; and family and consumer sciences has prepared people for healthy, productive lives; and

WHEREAS, University of Nebraska–Lincoln Extension in Lancaster County engages with rural and urban learners through practical, community-based education, resulting in knowledge, skills and motivation to strengthen profitability of animal and plant production systems, protect natural resources, help people make healthful lifestyle choices, ensure a safe and abundant food supply, encourage community vitality and prepare the next generation of leaders

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Lancaster County Board of Commissioners celebrates 100 years of service and accomplishments through the Cooperative Extension system; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Lancaster County Board extends its sincere appreciation to the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Extension for the numerous benefits it has provided to our community.

DATED This 6 day of May, 2014, in the County-City Building, Lincoln, Lancaster County
Nebraska



Larry Hudkins, Chair



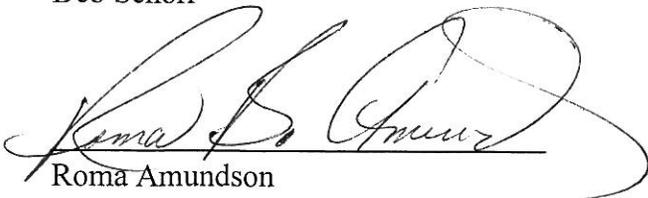
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