

## ONE HUNDRED THIRD LEGISLATURE

## FIRST SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 30**

Introduced by Nelson, 6.

WHEREAS, Juan Chavez, a 2012 graduate of Burke High School in Omaha, has been awarded the prestigious Gates Millennium Scholarship through the Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation; and

WHEREAS, the Gates Millennium Scholars Program selects only 1,000 students nationwide for a full scholarship covering tuition, books, room and board, and additional fees through graduation at any college or university of the student's choice; and

WHEREAS, the scholarship requires that the student receive a nomination from a teacher or counselor and a recommendation from a member of the community, that the student achieve a minimum grade point average of 3.3 on a 4.0 scale, and that the student demonstrate leadership and perform community service hours; and

WHEREAS, Juan Chavez's teachers and counselors at Burke High School supported his nomination and fostered his academic success; and

WHEREAS, the Legislature recognizes the academic, athletic, and artistic achievements of the youth of our state.

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

1. That the Legislature congratulates Juan Chavez for winning the prestigious Gates Millennium Scholarship.

2. That the Legislature congratulates the teachers and counselors at Burke High School for helping Juan Chavez achieve this honor.

3. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Juan Chavez and Burke High School.