State of South Dakota

NINETY-FIRST SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2016

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HOUSE COMMEMORATION NO. 1003

Introduced by: Representatives Bolin, Anderson, Bartling, Brunner, Craig, Cronin, Deutsch, Feickert, Greenfield (Lana), Haggar (Don), Heinemann (Leslie), Holmes, Hunt, Kirschman, Klumb, Langer, Latterell, Marty, McCleerey, Otten (Herman), Partridge, Qualm, Rasmussen, Ring, Rounds, Rozum, Russell, Schoenfish, Schrempp, Sly, Stalzer, Stevens, Tulson, Werner, Wiik, Willadsen, and Zikmund and Senators Shorma, Haggar (Jenna), Haverly, Heineman (Phyllis), Jensen (Phil), Olson, Otten (Ernie), and Van Gerpen

A LEGISLATIVE COMMEMORATION, Recognizing Helen Sweeter of Worthing for the honors and recognition she has received for an exemplary life of service to her family, church, and community.

WHEREAS, Helen has been a lifelong resident of Lincoln County and attended and obtained her high school education at the Augustana Academy in Canton; and

WHEREAS, Helen began learning to play the piano at the age of five and has been the organist at West Prairie Lutheran Church since the age of thirteen; and

WHEREAS, Helen and her husband, Don, have raised their children on the family farm and continue to promote agriculture in our state; she has had a lifelong interest and involvement with youth through the 4-H program; and

WHEREAS, Helen helped begin the Open Class Division for adults in the Lincoln County Achievement Days in Canton; and

WHEREAS, Helen was recently honored by South Dakota State University by being named a recipient of the Eminent Homemaker Award:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT COMMEMORATED, by the Ninety-First Legislature of the State of South Dakota, that the Legislature recognizes Helen Sweeter for the honors and recognition she has received for an exemplary life of service to her family, church, and community.