

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15

WHEREAS, The Senate of the State of Texas is pleased to recognize June Yvonne Lundgren Creppon in honor of her 56 years of service as the organist for New Sweden Evangelical Lutheran Church in Travis County; and

WHEREAS, A native of Elgin, Yvonne was born to June and Roland Lundgren on February 28, 1942, and she began playing the organ during her high school years; she was baptized, confirmed, and married at New Sweden Evangelical Lutheran Church, and she has been a lifelong member of the congregation; the church was established in 1876 by Swedish immigrants, including her own ancestors, and today, she is the longest-serving organist in the church's history; and

WHEREAS, A gifted musician, Yvonne became the church's organist in 1965, and she remained dedicated to this role throughout her long career as a teacher in public schools; over the years, she has provided musical accompaniment for countless church services, weddings, funerals, and church programs, and her beautiful organ music has been enjoyed and appreciated by all; and

WHEREAS, Yvonne and her beloved husband, Ronnie Creppon, were married on July 30, 1966; they were blessed with two daughters, Suzanne, who married Chad Meads, and Rhonda, who married Mike Grady; she is a loving grandmother to her five grandchildren: Jack, Callie, and Avery Meads, and Jace and Keaton Grady, who enrich her life immeasurably; she shares a close bond and cherishes time spent with her sister, Sandra, and her brother-in-law, Randy, who live in Round Rock; and

WHEREAS, A woman of great talent, grace, and generosity, Yvonne is a treasured member of her congregation and a distinguished citizen of the Lone Star State; she can reflect with pride on more than five decades as organist for New Sweden Evangelical Lutheran Church and on her many outstanding contributions to her church and her community; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, That the Senate of the State of Texas, 87th Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby commend June Yvonne Lundgren Creppon on her exemplary commitment to serving the congregation of New Sweden Evangelical Lutheran Church and extend to her best wishes for success in all her endeavors; and, be it further

RESOLVED, That a copy of this Resolution be prepared in her honor.

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President of the Senate

I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Senate on September 22, 2021.

Secretary of the Senate

Member, Texas Senate