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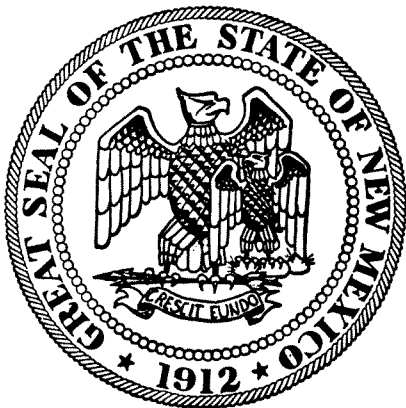
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HOUSE MEMORIAL 48

Introduced by

REPRESENTATIVE SHERYL WILLIAMS STAPLETON

AND ALL MEMBERS OF THE NEW MEXICO HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



1 A MEMORIAL

2 RECOGNIZING ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY AND ITS NEW MEXICO
3 AFFILIATE CHAPTER, IOTA XI OMEGA, ON ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA'S ONE
4 HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY.

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6 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority, incorporated, which
7 was founded on January 15, 1908 on the campus of Howard
8 university in Washington, D.C., is the oldest Greek letter
9 sorority in the United States and is celebrating its one
10 hundredth anniversary; and

11 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority represents a union
12 of thousands of college-trained women who are bound by a
13 powerful, cohesive strength, based on trust and loyalty, that
14 is a motivating factor in the lives of students at more than
15 four hundred institutions of higher education; and

16 WHEREAS, as a significant organization, the sorority
17 supports education, leadership and a strong sense of family in
18 an ever-changing and increasingly complex world; and

19 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority empowers communities
20 through exemplary service initiatives and progressive
21 programs; and

22 WHEREAS, Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority provides an
23 inspiration to many and adheres to its national motto, "by
24 merit and by culture", and to its purpose, to be "supreme in
25 service to all mankind"; and

1 WHEREAS, Iota Xi Omega is the New Mexico affiliate
2 chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha sorority;

3 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF
4 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that it join with
5 the rest of the nation in congratulating Alpha Kappa Alpha
6 sorority for its one hundred years of service to the national
7 and world communities; and

8 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
9 transmitted to the international president of Alpha Kappa
10 Alpha sorority, the director of the sorority's south central
11 region and the basileus of the sorority's Iota Xi Omega
12 chapter.

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