

## House Resolution No. 351

**Whereas**, Laran Casey Beverlin of Trenton, Missouri, received the rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony on February 3, 2002, at Wesley United Methodist Church; and

**Whereas**, a member of Boy Scout Troop 99, Laran culminated his Scouting endeavor with the successful completion of his required Eagle project by designing and installing a display at the Grundy County Museum in honor and memory of his great-grandfather, Monroe Veach, who had distinguished himself as a cowboy, trick roper, saddle maker, storyteller, Westerner, and member of the Cowboy Hall of Fame; and

**Whereas**, currently Historian, Laran always took the time to perform his duties in the most efficient manner possible and truly excelled while assuming responsibility as Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Assistant Quartermaster; and

**Whereas**, Laran has reason to be proud of his other Scouting achievements which include earning the Arrow of Light, twenty-eight merit badges, and the status of Warrior in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, where he is known as Wild Rider and the blood brother of Phillip "Spotted War Shirt" Elliott; and

**Whereas**, Laran is in his junior year at Trenton High School, where he has also enjoyed recognition by being named an All-American Scholar and Student of the Week; a member of the "B" Honor Roll, Future Farmers of America, Future Teachers of America, and Future Business Leaders of America, where he serves as Vice President; a recipient of the President's Award for Educational Excellence; and a participant in football, basketball, and golf; and

**Whereas**, a junior deacon at First Christian Church, Laran is the son of Larry and Lana Beverlin and the grandson of Frances and Elton Milner, the late Charles Beverlin, and the late Billie and Mary Ruth Veach:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, join unanimously in convey to Laran Beverlin a message of appreciation for his steadfast determination to succeed in Scouts, in congratulating him for having attained the rank of Eagle, and in wishing him much fulfillment in pursuing new avenues of challenge in the years ahead; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Laran Casey Beverlin.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative Jim Whorton  
 District No. 3

I, Jim Kreider, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-first General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 351, adopted February 21, 2002.

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 Jim Kreider, Speaker

