

House Resolution No. 3026

Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize an extraordinary young Missouri citizen who has attained tremendous personal success through achievement in the Boy Scouts of America program; and

Whereas, Mark Timothy Murphey of Troop 83 in Rolla, Missouri, will receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held May 24, 2003, at the First Presbyterian Church in Rolla; and

Whereas, Mark Murphey earned the praise and respect of many for the enthusiasm and initiative he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved the construction of a bridge and a landscaping project for an outdoor classroom/wetland conservation area at Truman Elementary School in Rolla; and

Whereas, during his nine years in the Scouting program, Mark Murphey earned an impressive thirty-one merit badges, attained Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and participated in the Junior Leadership Training Conference, National Boy Scout Jamboree, four years of summer camp, and a High Adventure Trip to Philmont Scout Ranch in Cimarron, New Mexico; and

Whereas, Mark Murphey has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Historian, Den Chief, Senior Patrol Leader, and Order of the Arrow Representative; and

Whereas, Mark Murphey is an exemplary student who excels in his studies, is courteous to his teachers and fellow classmates, and does his best to live each day by the high standards and ideals of Scouting; and

Whereas, Mark Murphey has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud parents, John and Ann Murphey of Rolla:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Mark Murphey at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction, and in wishing him only the very best as he continues to uphold the Scouting tradition with both honor and decorum; 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 Mark Timothy Murphey.

Offered by _____
Representative Bob May
District No. 149

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3026, adopted May 19, 2003.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker