

House Resolution No. 4302

Whereas, the Missouri House of Representatives is fully cognizant of the important role which the Boy Scouts of America organization plays in offering a well-rounded program of activities designed to prepare young men for the many diverse challenges of responsible citizenship; and

Whereas, Travis Robert Darian of Festus, Missouri, has been privileged to participate in such activities as a loyal, diligent, and industrious member of Troop 407, which will bestow upon him the rank of Eagle Scout during appropriate ceremonies on October 12, 2003, at the Masonic Temple in Crystal City; and

Whereas, Travis culminated six years of Scouting endeavor with the successful completion of his required Eagle project that took him many hours to plan, organize, and carry out for the overall benefit of others by building and installing eight bat houses for VFW Post 3777 in Festus; and

Whereas, Travis always took the time and continually put forth the energy to perform his duties in the most efficient and effective manner possible and truly excelled while assuming responsibility as Order of the Arrow Representative, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, Troop Quartermaster, Troop Guide, Troop Scribe, Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, Travis has ample reason to be exceedingly proud of his other impressive achievements which include working on staff at the Leave No Trace Camporee; participating in eight Camporees, three Klondike Derby's, one Spring Conclave, three Fall Reunions, Extreme Scouting 2000, Aviation Day St. Louis, and the County Fair and Air Show; and earning twenty-seven merit badges and Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, it is only with the commitment, ability, and enthusiasm of such young Missourians as Travis Darian that America can continue to maintain respect as the greatest nation in the world:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in conveying to Travis Darian a message of appreciation for his steadfast determination to succeed in Scouts, in congratulating him as he attains 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 Travis Robert Darian.

Offered by _____
 Representative Mark C. Abel
 District No. 103

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. 4302, adopted October 1, 2003.

 Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker