

## House Resolution No. 4878

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

**Whereas**, Zachary T. Cooper, a resident of Windsor, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on January 4, 2004, at St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Clinton; and

**Whereas**, Zachary, a member of Boy Scout Troop 1632, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved planting 125 trees at the Ralph and Martha Perry Memorial Conservation Area as part of an ongoing reforestation and habitat improvement project; and

**Whereas**, during his seven years in Scouting, Zachary mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, thirty merit badges, a religious knot, the Fifty-Miler award, the Den Chief Service Award, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Foxman in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

**Whereas**, Zachary demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Den Chief, Librarian, Scribe, and Assistant Senior Patrol Leader; and

**Whereas**, the son of Steven and Kathy Cooper, Zachary developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include completing Junior Leader Training and attending H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation and various Spring and Fall Camporees; and

**Whereas**, Zachary's attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Zachary Cooper for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; 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 Zachary T. Cooper.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Shannon Cooper  
District No. 120

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. 4878, adopted December 2003.

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Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker