

House Resolution No. 1942

Whereas, it is with special pleasure 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, Burket R. Jones of Troop 206 in Independence, Missouri, will receive the prestigious Eagle Scout Award during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held May 15, 2005, at Saint Mark's United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, Burket Jones earned the praise and respect of many for the initiative and enthusiasm he displayed in regard to his Eagle Project which involved the installation of a flagpole and lights at Saint Mark's United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, during his ten years in the Scouting program, Burket Jones earned an impressive twenty-three merit badges, received the Presidential Award for Academic Achievement, attained membership in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, and participated in the Klondike Derby, Webelos Camp, Scout Camp, Day Camp, and a trip to Colorado; and

Whereas, Burket Jones has readily prepared himself for the challenges of the outside world through his important terms of service to his Troop as Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Scribe; and

Whereas, Burket Jones has achieved all of this and more with the love, support, and encouragement he has continually received from his proud parents, Burket and Brenda Jones of Independence:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Burket Jones 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 Burket R. Jones.

Offered by _____
Representative Curt Dougherty
District No. 53

Representative Terry Young
District No. 49

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1942, adopted April 6, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker