

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, Andrew George Ringwald of Fenton, Missouri, received the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony held on May 22, 2005, at St. Paul's Gym; and

Whereas, Andrew, a member of Boy Scout Troop 777, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved finishing the construction of a large bird cage being used by the thick billed parrot at the World Bird Sanctuary; and

Whereas, during his six years in Scouting, Andrew mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty merit badges, the Mile Swim award, the Honor Camper award, the Century Hiker award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Andrew demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, Instructor, and Junior Assistant Scoutmaster; and

Whereas, the son of Leo and Vicky Ringwald, Andrew developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending six summer camps and several Camporees, completing Junior Leader Training Camp, and going on High Adventure trips to the Northern Tier and the Florida Sea Base; and

Whereas, Andrew'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-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Andrew Ringwald 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 Andrew George Ringwald.

Offered by _____
Representative Jim Avery
District No. 95

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. 3828, adopted June 22, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker