

House Resolution No. 3858

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, John Duane Claussen of Granby, Missouri, received the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony held on June 18, 2005, at New Life Fellowship in Neosho; and

Whereas, John, a member of Boy Scout Troop 34, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building birdhouses to provide a better habitat for the birds inhabiting the parks around Neosho; and

Whereas, during his seven years in Scouting, John mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn fifty-four merit badges and Arrowman membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, John demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Quartermaster, Scribe, Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Assistant Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, the son of Paul Claussen and Beth Otis, John developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending three summer camps at Camp Arrowhead, two Camporees, and one Conclave; and

Whereas, John'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 John Claussen 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 John Duane Claussen.

Offered by _____
Representative Marilyn Ruestman
District No. 131

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. 3858, adopted June 23, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker