

House Resolution No. 4165

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, Mitchell Edward Ludwig of Gladstone, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on August 13, 2005, at North Cross United Methodist Church; and

Whereas, Mitchell, a member of Boy Scout Troop 260, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building a memorial around the flag pole at St. Gabriel's Parish/School; and

Whereas, during his eight years in Scouting, Mitchell mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn the Arrow of Light, thirty-two merit badges, the Mile Swim award, the Lone Jack Seventeen Mile Civil War Hike medal, all religious emblems, and the status of Brave in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, where he has taken the tribal name Magical Silver Stag Gliding through the Night; and

Whereas, Mitchell demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Historian, Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Troop Guide; and

Whereas, the son of Mary Ludwig-Whipple and David Whipple, Mitchell developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include going on High Adventures to Packard and the Florida Sea Base, attending five summer camps at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, and taking part in the Katy Trail Bike Ride and the North Star District Klondike Competition; and

Whereas, Mitchell'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 Mitchell Ludwig 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 Mitchell Edward Ludwig.

Offered by _____
Representative Jerry Nolte
District No. 33

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. 4165, adopted August 10, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker