

House Resolution No.

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, Matthew Davis of Fenton, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on December 27, 2004, at the Elks Lodge; and

Whereas, Matthew, a member of the Boy Scouts of America organization, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved adopting McCormick Cemetery, an abandoned cemetery on Sugar Creek Road; and

Whereas, during his six years in Scouting, Matthew mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-six merit badges, the God and Me award, the God and Family award, American Red Cross certification, the World Conservation Award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

Whereas, Matthew demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, and Chaplain Aide; and

Whereas, the thirteen-year-old son of Dan and Pam Davis, and the brother of Katy and Sarah, Matthew developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending S-F Scout Ranch and Camp Lewallen; and

Whereas, Matthew'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 Matthew Davis 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 Matthew Davis.

Offered by _____
Representative Rick Johnson
District No. 90

I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. _____, adopted _____, 2004.

Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker