

## House Resolution No. 1354

**Whereas**, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to recognize young men who have excelled during their association with the Boy Scouts of America program with its emphasis on physical, mental, and spiritual growth; self-reliance; personal values; service to others; and an appreciation and understanding of the wonderful natural world; and

**Whereas**, Christopher Dale Kemp of Troop 391 has successfully completed all of the stringent requirements for Scouting's highest advancement award, the rank of Eagle Scout, which will be bestowed upon him during an Eagle Court of Honor on March 18, 2007, at Our Lady of the Presentation Catholic Church; and

**Whereas**, attainment of the Eagle Scout rank is dependent upon the sequential completion of each of the Boy Scout steps of Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, and Life, and expected troop service, a requirement admirably fulfilled by Chris through the billets of Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, and Patrol Quartermaster; and

**Whereas**, diligent labors by Chris earned him two skill awards, the Arrow of Light, a Conservation award, the 12-Month Camper award, the name Warrior Silent Sly Red Fox in the Night in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, and thirty-three merit badges that are arrayed on his uniform sash as a visual illustration of the diverse skills and knowledge which he has acquired as a Boy Scout; and

**Whereas**, in keeping with Scouting practice, Chris applied the knowledge that he learned at troop meetings in many camping, hiking, and service activities, including Junior Leadership training and seven sessions at H. Roe Bartle Boy Scout Camp; and

**Whereas**, Chris completed an Eagle Project that consisted of directing the construction of a new exterior staircase and emergency fire exit for the Youth House facility at Our Lady of the Presentation Catholic Church to serve as a capstone to his Scouting career and to stand as a constant reminder of his dedication to serving others, an admirable trait which justifies the esteemed role which Scouting plays in today's society:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the outstanding achievements realized by Chris Kemp during his seven-year-long sojourn with Scouting and to congratulate him for having the drive and energy necessary to attain the rank of Eagle; 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 new Eagle Scout Christopher Dale Kemp, son of Paul and Jenean Kemp of Lee's Summit, Missouri.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Will Kraus  
District No. 48

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1354, adopted March 26, 2007.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker