

## House Resolution No. 448

**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**, Michael Andersen of Olivette, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on February 16, 2008, at Immanuel Lutheran Church; and

**Whereas**, Michael, a member of Boy Scout Troop 664, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved supplying 121 backpacks filled with school supplies for needy families; and

**Whereas**, during his eight years in Scouting, Michael mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-six merit badges, two Mile Swim awards, and Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

**Whereas**, Michael demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader, Scribe, and Troop Guide; and

**Whereas**, the son of Tom and Karen Andersen, Michael 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 and working on staff at various Camporees and Klondike Derbies; and

**Whereas**, Michael'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-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Michael Andersen 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 Michael Andersen.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Jake Zimmerman  
District No. 83

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,  
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,  
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House  
Resolution No. 448, adopted February 6, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker