

## House Resolution No. 653

**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**, Derek Moll of Perryville, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on March 16, 2008, at the Perryville Elks Lodge; and

**Whereas**, Derek, a member of Boy Scout Troop 157, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved planting trees by the benches at Legion Lake, where he also sealed the benches and foot bridges and painted the restrooms; and

**Whereas**, during his ten years in Scouting, Derek mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-six merit badges, the Ad Altare Dei award, the Mile Swim award, the 2002 Scout of the Year award, and membership in the Order of the Arrow; and

**Whereas**, Derek demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Assistant Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster, and Patrol Leader; and

**Whereas**, the son of Lindell and Mona Moll, Derek developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending the 2004 Spring Reunion, the 2001 Shawnee District Scout Show, the 2002 Klondike Derby and Camporee, and the 2001, 2002, and 2004 Fall Reunions; and

**Whereas**, Derek'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 Derek Moll 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 Derek Moll.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Representative Steven Tilley  
 District No. 106

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 Representative Scott A. Lipke  
 District No. 157

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. 653, adopted February 14, 2008.

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 Rod Jetton, Speaker