

House Resolution No. 4117

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, Brandon K. Matson of Blue Springs, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on October 26, 2008, at the First United Methodist Church in Blue Springs, Missouri; and

Whereas, Brandon, a member of Boy Scout Troop 1058, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved building and installing butterfly houses and landscaping the surrounding area at a butterfly garden located on the southeast corner of Vesper Hall in Blue Springs; and

Whereas, during his ten years in Scouting, Brandon mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn thirty-four merit badges, the World Conservation Award, and the status of Firebuilder in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say, where he has taken the tribal name Son of Mighty Flying Golden Eagle; and

Whereas, Brandon demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Patrol Leader; and

Whereas, the son of Kevin L. and Kathleen P. Matson, Brandon developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offers, some of which include attending five summer camps at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, where he also worked on staff; and

Whereas, Brandon'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 Brandon Matson 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 Brandon K. Matson.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

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. 4117, adopted September 12, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker