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RESOLUTION

1 WHEREAS, Benton Tyler Ward of Scouts BSA Troop No. 345 in San
2 Antonio has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, and this
3 accomplishment truly merits special recognition; and

WHEREAS, The Eagle Scout badge is a significant honor 4 5 bestowed on only a small fraction of those who enter the scouting movement; in the course of meeting the rank's demanding criteria, 6 7 Mr. Ward earned 71 merit badges as well as 10 Eagle Palms; moreover, he completed an Eagle Scout project at Camp CAMP in Center Point, 8 which serves children and adults with medical conditions and 9 physical, intellectual, and developmental disabilities; dedicated 10 11 to helping youth experience the joy of raising and caring for 12 animals, he built a rabbit hutch and chicken coops, along with a granite path that provides easy access to the enclosures; and 13

14 WHEREAS, This fine young Texan has demonstrated outstanding ability throughout his scouting career; he joined the Cub Scouts at 15 16 the age of five, and he helped raise more than \$10,000 for the Alamo Area Council; a member of the Order of the Arrow, he has served as a 17 senior patrol leader and has participated in Alamo Area Council 18 leadership programs; moreover, he has guided backpacking and 19 20 canoeing trips at the Philmont Scout Ranch and Northern Tier camps 21 and with the Sea Base program; and

22 WHEREAS, Eagle Scout Ward's dedication to excellence and his 23 perseverance in the pursuit of his goals have proven him worthy to 24 stand among scouting's elite, and he may indeed reflect with pride

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1 on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

2 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 88th Texas 3 Legislature hereby congratulate Benton Tyler Ward on attaining the 4 rank of Eagle Scout and extend to him sincere best wishes for 5 continued success and happiness; and, be it further

6 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be 7 prepared for Mr. Ward as an expression of high regard by the Texas 8 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 880 was adopted by the House on April 10, 2023, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House