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## RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Jason Michael Ford of Austin joined a select group
of outstanding young men when he received the prestigious Eagle
Scout award on April 10, 2003; and

WHEREAS, A member of Boy Scout Troop 395, Mr. Ford belongs to the Order of the Arrow and is a Venture Scout; in fulfilling the rigorous qualifications for the Eagle Scout insignia, he has earned the requisite merit badges and completed his Eagle Scout project, for which Mr. Ford built an information kiosk and a floating habitat at Hornsby Bend; and

10 WHEREAS, Mr. Ford is a senior at David Crockett High School; 11 he plays the cello in the school orchestra and serves as its vice 12 president and webmaster; this honor student, who enjoys mathematics 13 and science, plans to attend Southwest Texas State University when 14 he graduates; and

15 WHEREAS, In addition to school and scouting, Mr. Ford 16 actively participates in his community through the Colorado River 17 Watch program and various church events; he also volunteers for Ben 18 Hur Shrine Clown fund-raisers, which benefit the Shrine Children's 19 Burn Hospital in Galveston; and

20 WHEREAS, Achieving the elite rank of Eagle Scout is truly an 21 admirable achievement; through his hard work and commitment, Mr. 22 Ford has proven himself to be an exemplary young Texan, and he is 23 truly deserving of special legislative recognition; now, 24 therefore, be it

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1 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 78th Texas 2 Legislature hereby congratulate Jason Michael Ford on becoming an 3 Eagle Scout and extend to him warmest best wishes for continued 4 success and happiness; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 959 was adopted by the House on April 29, 2003, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House