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H.R. No. 490

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Lane Tiernan Ware of Boy Scouts of America Troop No.  
2 104 in Galveston has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, and this  
3 accomplishment truly merits special recognition; and

4           WHEREAS, Receiving the Eagle Scout badge is a significant  
5 honor, bestowed on only a small fraction of those who enter the  
6 scouting movement; in the course of meeting the rank's demanding  
7 criteria, Mr. Ware earned the requisite 21 merit badges and  
8 successfully completed an Eagle Scout project of benefit to his  
9 community; entitled "The Great Galveston Read," his project raised  
10 enough money to provide every third grader in Galveston public  
11 schools with the book *Togo* and organized a special day in which  
12 community leaders led reading sessions for third graders throughout  
13 the city; moreover, Mr. Ware garnered enough donations to fund the  
14 project for two more years; and

15           WHEREAS, This fine young Texan has demonstrated outstanding  
16 leadership ability throughout his scouting career, winning the  
17 respect and admiration of his fellow scouts as he worked toward the  
18 highest rank that scouting offers; and

19           WHEREAS, A sophomore at Ball High School in Galveston, Mr.  
20 Ware is active in numerous activities; he serves on the executive  
21 board of the student council, belongs to the National Honor  
22 Society, and plays on the tennis team; and

23           WHEREAS, Eagle Scout Ware's dedication to excellence and his  
24 perseverance in the pursuit of his goals have proven him worthy to

1 stand among scouting's elite, and he may indeed reflect with pride  
2 on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

3       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 79th Texas  
4 Legislature, 3rd Called Session, hereby congratulate Lane Tiernan  
5 Ware on becoming an Eagle Scout and extend to him best wishes for  
6 continued success and happiness; and, be it further

7       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
8 prepared for Eagle Scout Ware as an expression of high regard by the  
9 Texas House of Representatives.