

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, The Boy Scouts of America is celebrating its 100th  
2 anniversary on February 8, 2010; and

3           WHEREAS, Since its incorporation on that day in 1910, BSA has  
4 sought to provide an educational program for boys and young men to  
5 build character, to train in the responsibilities of participating  
6 citizenship, and to develop personal fitness; and

7           WHEREAS, The organization's illustrious history of service  
8 includes selling Liberty Loan bonds and war savings stamps during  
9 World War I, collecting food and supplies for the needy during the  
10 Great Depression, and planting victory gardens and assisting the  
11 American Red Cross during World War II; more recently, scouts have  
12 participated in conservation efforts as part of Project SOAR and  
13 worked to fight hunger, provide shelter, and teach the habits of  
14 healthy living as part of the Good Turn for America initiative; and

15           WHEREAS, In addition to Boy Scouting, BSA has expanded to  
16 offer such programs as Tiger Cubs, Cub Scouts, Webelos Scouts,  
17 Varsity Scouting, and Venturing; moreover, through Scoutreach, BSA  
18 works to ensure that scouting is accessible to both urban and rural  
19 youth; and

20           WHEREAS, The Boy Scouts program unites Americans from all  
21 walks of life; from conservation to character building, BSA's 100th  
22 anniversary commemorates the highest scouting ideals of helping  
23 others and making communities stronger; now, therefore, be it

24           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas

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1 Legislature hereby honor Boy Scouts of America on the occasion of  
2 its centennial and extend to all those associated with this  
3 exemplary organization sincere best wishes for continued success;  
4 and, be it further

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

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Straus	Gattis	Menendez
Allen	Geren	Merritt
Alonzo	Giddings	Miklos
Alvarado	Gonzales	Miller of Comal
Anchia	Gonzalez Toureilles	Miller of Erath
Anderson	Guillen	Moody
Aycock	Gutierrez	Morrison
Berman	Hamilton	Naishtat
Bohac	Hancock	Oliveira
Bolton	Hardcastle	Olivo
Bonnen	Harless	Orr
Branch	Harper-Brown	Ortiz, Jr.
Brown of Kaufman	Hartnett	Otto
Brown of Brazos	Heflin	Parker
Burnam	Hernandez	Patrick
Button	Herrero	Paxton
Callegari	Hilderbran	Peña
Castro	Hochberg	Phillips
Chavez	Hodge	Pickett
Chisum	Homer	Pierson
Christian	Hopson	Pitts
Cohen	Howard of Fort Bend	Quintanilla
Coleman	Howard of Travis	Raymond
Cook	Hughes	Riddle
Corte	Hunter	Rios Ybarra
Crabb	Isett	Ritter
Craddick	Jackson	Rodriguez
Creighton	Jones	Rose
Crownover	Keffer	Sheffield
Darby	Kent	Shelton
Davis of Harris	King of Parker	Smith of Tarrant
Davis of Dallas	King of Taylor	Smith of Harris
Deshotel	King of Zavala	Smithee
Driver	Kleinschmidt	Solomons
Dukes	Kolkhorst	Strama
Dunnam	Kuempel	Swinford
Dutton	Laubenberg	Taylor
Edwards	Legler	Thibaut
Eiland	Leibowitz	Thompson
Eissler	Lewis	Truitt
Elkins	Lucio III	Turner of Tarrant
England	Madden	Turner of Harris
Farabee	Maldonado	Vaught
Farias	Mallory Caraway	Veasey
Farrar	Marquez	Villarreal
Fletcher	Martinez	Vo
Flores	Martinez Fischer	Walle
Flynn	McCall	Weber
Frost	McClendon	Woolley
Gallego	McReynolds	Zerwas

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 236 was adopted by the House on  
February 26, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House