By: Leibowitz H.R. No. 912

RESOLUTION

- 1 WHEREAS, William Patrick McDonough of Boy Scouts of America
- 2 Troop No. 814 in San Antonio has attained the rank of Eagle Scout,
- 3 and this accomplishment truly merits special recognition; and
- 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. McDonough earned the requisite 21 merit badges,
- 8 including those requiring expertise in such diverse areas as
- 9 forestry, horsemanship, and archaeology, and successfully
- 10 completed an Eagle Scout project involving the construction of a
- 11 footbridge at the Lost Maples State Natural Area; and
- WHEREAS, The son of Joe and Lori McDonough, this fine young
- 13 Texan has demonstrated outstanding leadership ability throughout
- 14 his scouting career, winning the respect and admiration of his
- 15 fellow scouts as he worked toward the highest rank that scouting
- 16 offers; he has served as den chief and troop guide, and he is a
- 17 recipient of the Arrow of Light Award; and
- 18 WHEREAS, Eagle Scout McDonough's dedication to excellence
- 19 and his perseverance in the pursuit of his goals have proven him
- 20 worthy to stand among scouting's elite, and he may indeed reflect
- 21 with pride on a job well done; now, therefore, be it
- 22 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
- 23 Legislature hereby congratulate William Patrick McDonough on
- 24 achieving the rank of Eagle Scout and extend to him sincere best

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- 1 wishes for continued success and happiness; and, be it further
- 2 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
- $3\,\,$ prepared for Mr. McDonough as an expression of high regard by the
- 4 Texas House of Representatives.