

R E S O L U T I O N

1           WHEREAS, Steven Shigeo Otake of Boy Scouts of America Troop  
2 No. 285 in San Antonio has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, and  
3 this 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. Otake earned the requisite 21 merit badges, including  
8 those requiring expertise in such diverse areas as rifle shooting,  
9 aviation, and swimming, and he successfully completed an Eagle  
10 Scout project of benefit to Walker Ranch Historic Landmark Park;  
11 and

12           WHEREAS, The son of Xavier and Polly Pena, 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 served as troop scribe and troop representative for the  
17 Order of the Arrow, and he is a recipient of the Arrow of Light  
18 Award; and

19           WHEREAS, Eagle Scout Otake's dedication to excellence and his  
20 perseverance in the pursuit of his goals have proven him worthy to  
21 stand among scouting's elite, and he may indeed reflect with pride  
22 on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

23           RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas  
24 Legislature hereby congratulate Steven Shigeo Otake on achieving

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1 the rank of Eagle Scout and extend to him sincere best wishes for  
2 continued success and happiness; and, be it further

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

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1269 was adopted by the House on April 23, 2009, by a non-record vote.

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Chief Clerk of the House