

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Ronnie Scrima has earned the Boy Scouts' Heroism
2 Award for saving a man's life in March 2008; and

3 WHEREAS, Now a junior at Tyler Street Christian Academy in
4 Dallas, Mr. Scrima was living in Arlington at the time; while he was
5 getting his hair cut one day, one of the other customers, an elderly
6 man, stopped breathing; and

7 WHEREAS, Those around the gentleman called out in panic for
8 anyone who knew cardiopulmonary resuscitation, and Mr. Scrima, a
9 member of Boy Scout Troop No. 235 in Arlington, immediately
10 volunteered to help; and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Scrima, who earned one of his first Boy Scout
12 merit badges in first aid, quickly and skillfully revived the man,
13 and he continued to take care of him until the paramedics arrived;
14 and

15 WHEREAS, This outstanding young Texan's composure,
16 compassion, and mastery of an important lifesaving skill enabled
17 him to provide vital assistance to someone in need, and he is truly
18 deserving of this prestigious recognition; now, therefore, be it

19 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 81st Texas
20 Legislature hereby congratulate Ronnie Scrima on his receipt of the
21 Boy Scouts' Heroism Award and extend to him sincere best wishes for
22 a bright future; and, be it further

23 RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be
24 prepared for Mr. Scrima as an expression of high regard by the Texas

H.R. No. 1290

1 House of Representatives.

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Speaker of the House

I certify that H.R. No. 1290 was adopted by the House on April 23, 2009, by a non-record vote.

Chief Clerk of the House