

By: Raney

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R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, Emil Ogden has demonstrated exemplary leadership  
2 and service in behalf of the Boy Scouts of America and is a  
3 deserving recipient of the first annual Arrowmoon District Scouting  
4 Patron Award; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Ogden was lauded for his embodiment of the  
6 group's highest values, exemplified by his helpful manner towards  
7 his fellow citizens and his commitment to follow the famous scout  
8 slogan of "do a good turn daily"; and

9 WHEREAS, After joining the Boy Scouts in 1939 in Bowling  
10 Green, Missouri, Mr. Ogden earned his Star Badge as a 13-year-old  
11 and was recognized as the city's Most Courteous Boy Scout; now the  
12 father of six children, he speaks proudly of his family's  
13 continuing involvement with scouting and the opportunities that it  
14 provides to build character and integrity; and

15 WHEREAS, Mr. Ogden has been a member of the Arrowmoon board  
16 of directors for many years and served as chair of the district  
17 committee from 1999 to 2000; additionally, he volunteers with his  
18 church, veterans groups, and numerous other community  
19 organizations; and

20 WHEREAS, In all of his endeavors, Mr. Ogden enjoys the love  
21 and support of his wife, Clementine, and their treasured family of  
22 two daughters, Mary Katherine and Laura, and four sons, Steve,  
23 Paul, Michael, and Joseph; and

24 WHEREAS, Emil Ogden incorporates the high ideals of the Boy

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1 Scouts of America into his own activities in which he does much for  
2 the benefit of his community, and it is indeed fitting that he be  
3 honored at this time; now, therefore, be it

4       RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 83rd Texas  
5 Legislature hereby congratulate Emil Ogden on receiving the first  
6 annual Arrowmoon District Scouting Patron Award and extend to him  
7 sincere best wishes for the future; and, be it further

8       RESOLVED, That an official copy of this resolution be  
9 prepared for Mr. Ogden as an expression of high regard by the Texas  
10 House of Representatives.