

By: Frullo

H.R. No. 314

R E S O L U T I O N

1 WHEREAS, John Paul Walter of Boy Scouts of America Troop
2 No. 157 in Lubbock has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, and this
3 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. Walter earned the requisite 21 merit badges, and for
8 his Eagle Scout project, he constructed a cedar fence along an
9 alleyway at Lubbock High School, helping to alleviate safety and
10 environmental concerns; and

11 WHEREAS, A lector and acolyte at St. Paul's Episcopal Church
12 and a senior at Lubbock High School, Mr. Walter is a member of the
13 National Honor Society, a senator in the student council, and
14 president of the Entrepreneur Club and the Latin Club; he also
15 serves as captain of the baseball team, and he will continue to play
16 the game in the fall of 2015 at New York University, where he plans
17 to study business finance and engineering; and

18 WHEREAS, The son of Linda and Paul Walter, this fine young
19 Texan has demonstrated outstanding leadership ability throughout
20 his scouting career, serving as a patrol leader and quartermaster
21 and winning the respect and admiration of the fellow members of his
22 troop as he worked toward the highest rank that the organization
23 offers; and

24 WHEREAS, Eagle Scout Walter's dedication to excellence and

1 his perseverance in the pursuit of his goals have proven him worthy
2 to stand among scouting's elite, and he may indeed reflect with
3 pride on a job well done; now, therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, That the House of Representatives of the 84th Texas
5 Legislature hereby congratulate John Paul Walter on achieving the
6 rank of Eagle Scout and extend to him sincere best wishes for
7 continued success and happiness; and, be it further

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