

House Resolution 856

By: Representatives McBee of the 88th, Hudgens of the 24th and Heard of the 89th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Rudy "Doc" Kagerer; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Rudy "Doc" Kagerer of Athens, Georgia, has served with the utmost ability and
3 dedication as a Scoutmaster in the Boy Scouts of America for the past fifty years; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this native of Bridgeport, Connecticut joined the scout program in 1942, served
5 in the US Navy during the Korean War, and became a scoutmaster in college in 1953; and
- 6 WHEREAS, he continued to serve as a troop leader during his years as a graduate student,
7 an extraordinary commitment to this special program for the development of young men; and
- 8 WHEREAS, he joined the faculty of the Department of Management at the University of
9 Georgia in 1971, and became Scoutmaster of Boy Scout Troop 22, the second oldest troop
10 in the nation, where he has served continuously and has proudly guided 37 young men to
11 attain the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout; and
- 12 WHEREAS, his exemplary leadership, steadfast commitment, and constant support have
13 shaped the personal hopes, dreams, and character of countless young men, and his noble
14 efforts are a wonderful legacy.
- 15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body recognize and commend Rudy "Doc" Kagerer for his 50 years of
17 distinguished service to the Boy Scouts of America and express appreciation to his lovely
18 wife, Doris, who has heartily supported his extensive involvement in this very challenging
19 program for the development of young men.
- 20 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
21 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Dr. Rudy Kagerer.