

House Resolution 360

By: Representative Reichert of the 126th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Jacob Cox; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Jacob Cox of Troop 477 in Moultrie, Georgia, attained the rank of Eagle Scout,
3 the most distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and

4 WHEREAS, only one Scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and Jacob
5 Cox pursued scouting since elementary school as a Cub Scout and ably mastered the various
6 special skills taught through the Boy Scout program; and

7 WHEREAS, he attained several awards, including the bronze and gold Eagle Palms, 31 merit
8 badges, the God and Country award, the mile swim award, the 50 mile afoot/afloat award,
9 and the Suwannee River Area Council's Thunderbird District Scout of the Year for 1986; and

10 WHEREAS, his Eagle project involved the coordination of representatives from public safety
11 and emergency management to determine and employ locations for fire extinguishers,
12 emergency lighting, and maps detailing fire and tornado evacuation routes for his church; and

13 WHEREAS, the rank of Eagle Scout was officially conferred upon him in an Eagle Scout
14 Court of Honor in 1987.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body commend Jacob Cox for his diligence and dedication in pursuing
17 the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on attaining
18 the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
20 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Jacob Cox.