

Senate Resolution 251

By: Senator Price of the 56th

### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Matthew E. Acuff; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Matthew E. Acuff, a member of Troop 431, received the Eagle Scout Award  
3 at an Eagle Court of Honor Ceremony on October 24, 2002; and
- 4 WHEREAS, since 1911, the Eagle Scout Award has been the symbol of the highest  
5 achievement among the Boy Scouts of America; and
- 6 WHEREAS, only about 4 percent of all Boy Scouts earn the Eagle Scout rank; and
- 7 WHEREAS, the attainment of this rank indicates that a Scout has developed leadership  
8 ability, self-confidence, mature judgment, and mental and physical capabilities that will be  
9 of immense benefit throughout his life; and
- 10 WHEREAS, in order for a Scout to reach this goal, he must earn 21 merit badges, 12 of  
11 which are mandatory requirements for the Eagle Scout program; and
- 12 WHEREAS, in achieving Eagle Scout status, Matthew E. Acuff has brought honor to himself  
13 and to his family and troop.
- 14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that Matthew E. Acuff is  
15 recognized and commended on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout and he is extended the best  
16 wishes of each member of this body for success and happiness in future endeavors.
- 17 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed  
18 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Matthew E. Acuff.