House Resolution 596 By: Representative Jenkins of the 93<sup>rd</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Brendan Scott Walker; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, Brendan Walker, a member of Troop 101 in Bolingbroke, Georgia, will receive

3 the Eagle Scout Award at an Eagle Court of Honor Ceremony on April 12, 2003; 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

WHEREAS, in order for a Scout to reach this goal, he must earn 21 merit badges, 12 ofwhich are mandatory requirements for the Eagle Scout program; and

WHEREAS, in achieving Eagle Scout status, Brendan Walker has brought honor to himselfand to his family and troop.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
Brendan Walker is recognized and commended on attaining the rank of Eagle Scout and he
is extended the best wishes of each member of this body for success and happiness in future
endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorizedand directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Brendan Walker.