

House Resolution 955

By: Representative Hatfield of the 177th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending William J. Fulford on becoming an Eagle Scout; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, William J. Fulford has earned the rank of Eagle Scout, which was awarded
3 during a ceremony on August 24, 2004; and

4 WHEREAS, since 1911, the Eagle has been the symbol of the highest achievement among
5 the Boy Scouts of America; and

6 WHEREAS, the attainment of Eagle Scout rank indicates that a Scout has developed
7 leadership ability, self-confidence, mature judgment, and mental and physical capabilities
8 that will be of immense benefit throughout life; and

9 WHEREAS, William J. Fulford has amply demonstrated to his Scout leaders and peers that
10 he possesses these qualities along with sterling character; and

11 WHEREAS, for a Scout to reach Eagle rank, he must earn 21 merit badges, 12 of which are
12 mandatory requirements for the Eagle Scout program; and

13 WHEREAS, in achieving Eagle Scout status, William J. Fulford has brought honor not only
14 to himself but also to his family and Troop 304.

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