

House Resolution 1701

By: Representative Dollar of the 45th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending David Parker Branch on becoming an Eagle Scout; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, David Parker Branch of Boy Scout Troop 714 has earned the rank of Eagle
3 Scout; 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, David Parker Branch has amply demonstrated to his Scout leaders and peers
10 that 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, David Parker Branch has brought honor not
14 only to himself but also to his family and troop.

15 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
16 the members of this body recognize and commend David Parker Branch 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 David Parker Branch.