

Senate Resolution 557

By: Senator Cowsert of the 46th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending Bradley Stephen Covington; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Bradley Stephen Covington of Boy Scout Troop 1111 of Athens, Georgia, has
3 attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts
4 of America; and
- 5 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
6 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
7 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and
- 8 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and
9 Bradley Stephen Covington has ably demonstrated his aptitude and competency in mastering
10 the various special skills taught through the Boy Scout program; and
- 11 WHEREAS, Bradley earned a total of 30 merit badges, 12 of which are required for the rank
12 of Eagle Scout, and at age 16 is, to date, the youngest scout from Troop 1111 to earn the rank
13 of Eagle Scout; and
- 14 WHEREAS, this outstanding young man has truly exhibited a commitment to the scouting
15 principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a manner
16 becoming an Eagle Scout; and
- 17 WHEREAS, in a world which consistently seems to accentuate the negative aspects of the
18 actions of young people, it is abundantly fitting and proper for this body to recognize with
19 particularity the outstanding accomplishments of this extraordinary individual.
- 20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
21 commend Bradley Stephen Covington for his diligence and dedication in pursuing the

1 highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on attaining the
2 prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

3 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
4 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Bradley Stephen Covington.