

House Resolution 1378

By: Representative Cox of the 102<sup>nd</sup>

#### A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Noah William Shapiro; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Noah William Shapiro has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most  
3 distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and
- 4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a  
5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques  
6 and attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and
- 7 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and Noah  
8 has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills taught  
9 through the Boy Scout program; and
- 10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man has been active in scouting since 1988 and has  
11 demonstrated great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of  
12 America program; and
- 13 WHEREAS, a senior at Berkmar High School, Noah earned a letter in chorus, was named  
14 choral rookie of the year, and helped restart the school's handbell choir; and
- 15 WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, Noah led a team of scouts and volunteers in  
16 constructing a prayer garden for Norcross First United Methodist Church; and
- 17 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Noah has truly exhibited a commitment to the  
18 scouting principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a  
19 manner becoming an Eagle Scout; and
- 20 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader  
21 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

22 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
23 the members of this body commend Noah William Shapiro for his diligence and dedication  
24 in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him  
25 on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
27 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Noah William Shapiro.