

House Resolution 2079

By: Representative Jacobs of the 80th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Matthew Jonathan Segars; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Matthew Jonathan Segars 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 Matt
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 is a member of Troop 554 and has demonstrated
11 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America
12 program; and
- 13 WHEREAS, after earning the rank of Eagle Scout, Matt has continued his participation in
14 the Boy Scout program to earn two Palms, an esteemed and exceptional accomplishment; and
- 15 WHEREAS, a senior at Whitefield Academy, Matt is a member of the National Honor
16 Society and has competed on the academic bowl team and varsity soccer and wrestling
17 teams; and
- 18 WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, Matt built a compost bin and fence for the
19 Whitefield Academy community garden; and

20 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Matt has truly exhibited a commitment to the scouting
21 principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a manner
22 becoming an Eagle Scout; and

23 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
24 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

25 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
26 the members of this body commend Matthew Jonathan Segars for his diligence and
27 dedication in pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and
28 congratulate him on attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

29 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
30 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Matthew Jonathan Segars.