

House Resolution 626

By: Representative Setzler of the 35th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Recognizing and commending Ernest Gerald McQuade; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Ernest Gerald McQuade 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 Ernest
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 002 and has demonstrated
11 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America
12 program; and
- 13 WHEREAS, for his Eagle project, Ernest constructed and installed large wooden steps
14 leading down to a new two-acre water feature adjacent to the current developed property at
15 the Smith-Gilbert Gardens in Kennesaw, Georgia; and
- 16 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Ernest has truly exhibited a commitment to the
17 scouting principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a
18 manner becoming an Eagle Scout; and
- 19 WHEREAS, the perseverance and determination displayed by this exceptional young leader
20 is an example for all Georgians, and great success is surely in this young man's future.

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

25 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
26 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Ernest Gerald McQuade.