

House Resolution 1046

By: Representative Tankersley of the 160<sup>th</sup>

## A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending James Nash Welch; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, James Nash Welch has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most distinguished  
3 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 James  
8 Welch has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills  
9 taught through the Boy Scout program; and

10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man has demonstrated great leadership skills and  
11 initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America program; and

12 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, James Welch has truly exhibited a commitment to the  
13 scouting principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a  
14 manner becoming an Eagle Scout; and

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

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
18 the members of this body commend James Nash Welch for his diligence and dedication in  
19 pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on  
20 attaining the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
22 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to James  
23 Nash Welch.