

House Resolution 1664

By: Representatives Maxwell of the 17th, Gravley of the 67th, Rakestraw of the 19th, and Alexander of the 66th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Raymond Franklin "Noah" Phillips III; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Raymond Franklin "Noah" Phillips III has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the
4 most distinguished rank conferred by the Boy Scouts 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 Noah
9 has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills taught
10 through the Boy Scout program; and

11 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man has demonstrated great leadership skills and
12 initiative during his years with the Boy Scouts of America program, accumulating over 500
13 hours of community service throughout his scouting career; and

14 WHEREAS, he is very active in his youth group at the Community Fellowship Ministries
15 Church, and he is also the founder and president of Venture Crew 47, which is a youth-led
16 group participating in scuba diving activities; and

17 WHEREAS, Raymond plans to follow a long history of family military service by enlisting
18 in the military as a reservist prior to entering North Georgia College; and

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

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

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

28 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
29 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to
30 Raymond Franklin "Noah" Phillips III.