

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 627

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A RESOLUTION to recognize Billy Gene Carrigan on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young men with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training, and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout, and Billy Gene Carrigan, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, the son of Greg and Marilyn Combs, Billy Carrigan is a student at Hampshire Unit School, where he is a member of the baseball and basketball teams and has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a member of his Boy Scout troop includes numerous merit badges and distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, Billy's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to give back to his community, Billy Carrigan volunteers his time at Second Harvest Food Bank and the People's Table; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Billy Carrigan as one of the most outstanding young people in our State; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Billy Gene Carrigan on becoming an Eagle Scout and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.