



State of Tennessee

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 17

By Representatives Butt, Curcio

and

Senator Hensley

A RESOLUTION to recognize MacKenzie Plunkett 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 MacKenzie Plunkett, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, the son of Toby Plunkett, MacKenzie is a student at Lewis County High School, where he has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 322 includes several merit badges and distinguished service; and

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

WHEREAS, MacKenzie has given his time to help his community by participating in school clean up day, removing a 170-year-old tree from a local family's front yard, assembling bikes, and volunteering with the Toys for Tots program; and


WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize MacKenzie Plunkett 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 MacKenzie Plunkett 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.

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ADOPTED: January 12, 2017



BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



RANDY MCNALLY
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 20th day of January 2017



BILL HASLAM, GOVERNOR