

Regular Session, 2014

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 192

BY REPRESENTATIVE IVEY

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Landon Breckwoldt upon attaining the rank of Eagle Scout

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Landon Breckwoldt upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

3 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend and celebrate the accomplishments of
4 Landon Breckwoldt of Boy Scouts of America Troop 169 of the Istrouma Area Council,
5 Tunica District, on the memorable and historic occasion of his attainment of the prestigious
6 rank of Eagle Scout; and

7 WHEREAS, the purpose of Boy Scouts of America, incorporated on February 8,
8 1910, and chartered by the United States Congress in 1916, is to provide an educational
9 program for boys and young adults to build character, to train in the responsibilities of
10 participating citizenship, and to develop personal fitness; and

11 WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in Scouting, a Boy
12 Scout must fulfill all requirements in the areas of leadership, service, and outdoor skills, and
13 the Eagle Scout must earn twenty-one merit badges which signify the mastery of Scoutcraft
14 skills, including Citizenship in the Community, Citizenship in the Nation, and Citizenship
15 in the World; and

16 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt began his Scouting career in the Cub Scouts and
17 earned the Cub Scouts highest honor, the "Arrow of Light", before he crossed over into the
18 Boy Scouts; and

19 WHEREAS, while in Troop 169, Landon Breckwoldt has attended summer camps
20 at Camp Skymont in Tennessee, Camp Powhatan in the Blue Ridge Mountains of Virginia,
21 and Camp Orr in Arkansas; and

1 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt has earned a total of twenty-three merit badges and
2 is now working on earning his Eagle Palms; and

3 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt has also held various leadership positions in the
4 Troop including Historian, Scribe, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

5 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt's Eagle project was a renovation of the elementary
6 school's swing set area at Victory Christian Academy, which involved over one-hundred-
7 forty man hours donated by Landon and other members of Troop 169; and

8 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt is a student at Central High School and was on the
9 football and basketball teams; and

10 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt is a member of Zoar Baptist Church in Central; and

11 WHEREAS, Landon Breckwoldt is currently planning a trip in 2015 to the Boy
12 Scouts of America Sea Base in Key West, Florida, where he will become S.C.U.B.A.
13 certified; and

14 WHEREAS, we congratulate Landon Breckwoldt, the son of Randy and Vicki
15 Breckwoldt, in attaining the highest award given to a Boy Scout; and

16 WHEREAS, only a small percentage of Boy Scouts earn the Eagle Scout rank,
17 illustrating that it takes a uniquely motivated young man like Landon Breckwoldt to strive
18 to embody the five integral responsibilities of an Eagle Scout, which are honor, loyalty,
19 courage, cheer, and service; and

20 WHEREAS, presented with his Eagle Scout badge, Landon Breckwoldt joins the
21 ranks of such esteemed and respected Eagle Scouts as the Honorable Gerald R. Ford, the
22 thirty-eighth President of the United States, Captain James Lovell, the commander of the
23 Apollo 13 space flight, and acclaimed filmmaker Steven Spielberg; and

24 WHEREAS, the legacy of the Boy Scouts of America is rich indeed, for it not only
25 includes a history of service and proud citizenship which spans over a century, but it
26 includes the momentous and singular accomplishments of Landon Breckwoldt, who is
27 recognized and commended for his deep human values, the genuine spirit of good fellowship
28 he inspires, and his service as a fine example of hard work and integrity in the eyes of future
29 Eagle Scouts and his entire community.

1 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that on the celebrated and historic occasion of
2 his attainment of the rank of Eagle Scout, the House of Representatives of the Legislature
3 of Louisiana does hereby commend and honor Landon Breckwoldt upon achieving the rank
4 of Eagle Scout, does hereby express with utmost gratitude and respect for the exemplary
5 strides he has taken as a scout and as a citizen, does hereby congratulate Landon Breckwoldt
6 and the members and leaders of Troop 169 as they commemorate this most significant and
7 unforgettable event when Landon pledges his eternal loyalty to the code of the Eagle Scout,
8 and does hereby wish Landon and his entire family full measures of happiness and success
9 in all of their future endeavors.

10 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
11 to Landon Breckwoldt.

DIGEST

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