

## House Resolution 623

By: Representatives Ridley of the 22<sup>nd</sup>, Ballinger of the 23<sup>rd</sup>, Anulewicz of the 42<sup>nd</sup>, Cummings of the 39<sup>th</sup>, Jones of the 47<sup>th</sup>, and others

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Madison Smith; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, Madison Smith has earned the highest and most prestigious award in Girl  
3 Scouting, the Girl Scout Gold Award; and
- 4 WHEREAS, requirements for this award include leadership activities, a service project, and  
5 the completion of a Gold Award project that is sustainable and has a measurable outcome;  
6 and
- 7 WHEREAS, for her service project, Madison addressed the issue of lakefront water safety  
8 by producing a video designed to inform and educate parents and children about the risks  
9 associated with water as well as speaking to local elementary school students; and
- 10 WHEREAS, Madison used all of her background skills, her knowledge of the Girl Scouts  
11 program, and the support and guidance of her troop advisers to complete her project and be  
12 honored with this prestigious award; and

13 WHEREAS, this hard-working young woman has demonstrated outstanding integrity,  
14 honesty, and leadership and is a positive role model for young women in the Girl Scouts  
15 program and throughout this state; and

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

18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that  
19 the members of this body commend Madison Smith for her diligence and dedication in  
20 pursuing the highest honor awarded by the Girl Scouts program and congratulate her on  
21 earning the Girl Scout Gold Award.

22 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized  
23 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to  
24 Madison Smith.