

2017 Regular Session

HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 86

BY REPRESENTATIVE COUSSAN

COMMENDATIONS: Commends Connor William Landry upon his achievement of Eagle Scout

1 A RESOLUTION

2 To commend Connor William Landry upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.

3 WHEREAS, it is appropriate to commend and celebrate the accomplishments of
4 Connor William Landry of Boy Scouts of America Troop 162 on the memorable and historic
5 occasion of his attainment to the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout; and

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

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

14 WHEREAS, only a small percentage of Boy Scouts attain the Eagle Scout rank; it
15 takes a uniquely motivated man to achieve the five important responsibilities of an Eagle
16 Scout, which are honor, loyalty, courage, cheer, and service to God and country, and Connor
17 William Landry embodies these ideals; and

1 WHEREAS, presented with his Eagle Scout badge, Connor William Landry joins the
2 ranks of such esteemed and respected Eagle Scouts as the Honorable Gerald R. Ford, the
3 thirty-eighth president of the United States; Captain James Lovell, the commander of the
4 Apollo 13 space flight; Neil Armstrong, the first man to walk on the moon; acclaimed
5 filmmaker Steven Spielberg; and Bill Gates, the founder of Microsoft; and

6 WHEREAS, the legacy for the Boy Scouts is indeed a rich one, for it not only
7 includes a history of service and proud citizenship which spans a century, but it also includes
8 the history of service and singular accomplishments of Connor William Landry, a young
9 man to be recognized and commended by future Eagle Scouts and his community for the
10 deep human values and genuine spirit of good fellowship that he inspires.

11 THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the
12 Legislature of Louisiana does hereby commend and honor Connor William Landry on the
13 historic occasion of his attainment to the rank of Eagle Scout; does hereby express utmost
14 gratitude and respect for the exemplary strides he has taken as a Scout and a citizen; does
15 hereby congratulate Connor William Landry and the members and leaders of Troop 162 as
16 they commemorate the significant event of Mr. Landry's pledge of eternal loyalty to the code
17 of the Eagle Scout; and does hereby extend best wishes to Connor William Landry for full
18 measures of happiness and success in all of his future endeavors.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a suitable copy of this Resolution be transmitted
20 to Connor William Landry.

DIGEST

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