

HOUSE RESOLUTION 8

By Carr

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Austen Joseph Kiser upon attaining the rank of 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 Austen Joseph Kiser, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor on October 13, 2010; and

WHEREAS, the son of Melanie and Gerald Kiser, Austen Joseph Kiser has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 441 includes numerous Merit Badges and distinguished service in several positions; and

WHEREAS, Austen's Eagle project, in which he expertly restored and expanded the Crossway Baptist Church Prayer Trail, greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should recognize Austen Joseph Kiser 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 SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we honor and congratulate Austen Joseph Kiser 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.