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3 By Representative Hill  
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8 COMMENDING JOSEPH RIVERS DOWD ON ATTAINING THE RANK  
9 OF EAGLE SCOUT.

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11 WHEREAS, Joseph Rivers Dowd has successfully  
12 completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout, the  
13 highest honor in the Boy Scouts of America; and

14 WHEREAS, a member of Troop 354 in Chelsea, Alabama,  
15 he is scheduled to receive his Eagle Scout award and special  
16 recognition in a Court of Honor ceremony on March 5, 2012; and

17 WHEREAS, this coveted rank was earned through  
18 countless hours of hard work, diligence, and great  
19 perseverance to complete the required community service  
20 project and to fulfill the additional stringent criteria for  
21 Eagle Scout status; he has also served in positions of  
22 leadership and has received a number of Scouting awards; and

23 WHEREAS, in addition to his Scouting  
24 accomplishments, he is an outstanding student who participates  
25 in extracurricular activities and contributes to the  
26 betterment of his community through volunteering in worthy  
27 causes; and

1                   WHEREAS, Joseph Rivers Dowd is an exceptional young  
2                   Alabamian who has indeed exemplified Scouting's admirable  
3                   attributes of self-discipline, self-reliance, good  
4                   citizenship, devotion to duty, and concern for his fellowman;  
5                   through the years, he has earned the esteem of fellow Scouts  
6                   and his community, and he is truly deserving of this  
7                   significant honor; now therefore,

8                   BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF  
9                   THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, That Joseph Rivers Dowd is  
10                  congratulated and commended for his outstanding achievement of  
11                  attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, and it is directed that he  
12                  receive a copy of this resolution in highest admiration and  
13                  with sincere best wishes for all future endeavors.