

House Resolution 958

By: Representative Hagan of the 156th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending and congratulating Jerry Smith; and for other purposes.

- 2 WHEREAS, Jerry Smith has attained the rank of Eagle Scout, the most distinguished rank
3 conferred by the Boy Scouts of America; and

- 4 WHEREAS, a candidate for the most exceptional award in scouting must complete a
5 rigorous program of training and demonstrate his proficiency in selected scouting techniques
6 and the attainment of the highest ideals of scouting; and

- 7 WHEREAS, only one scout out of 97 ever reaches this lofty level of achievement, and Jerry
8 has ably evidenced his aptitude and competency in mastering the various special skills taught
9 through the Scouts BSA program; and

- 10 WHEREAS, this hard-working young man is a member of Troop 939 and has demonstrated
11 great leadership skills and initiative during his years with the Scouts BSA program; and

- 12 WHEREAS, an outstanding Georgian, Jerry has truly exhibited a commitment to the scouting
13 principles of honesty and fairness and has consistently conducted himself in a manner
14 becoming of an Eagle Scout; and

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

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
18 the members of this body commend Jerry Smith for his diligence and dedication in pursuing
19 the highest honor awarded by the Boy Scouts of America and congratulate him on attaining
20 the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout.

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