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3 By Representative Galliher
4 RFD: Rules
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8 COMMENDING JOHN YANCEY KEY ON ATTAINING THE RANK OF
9 EAGLE SCOUT IN THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendation is extended to John
12 Yancey Key of Walnut Grove, on attaining the rank of Eagle
13 Scout, the most advanced rank in the Boy Scouts of America;
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15 WHEREAS, the Eagle Scout Award, earned by only a
16 small percentage of Scouts, involves the completion of an
17 Eagle Project and represents many years of diligence in
18 pursuit of a worthy goal that brings honor to the Scout, his
19 family, and his troop; and

20 WHEREAS, a member of Troop 50 of West Etowah County,
21 John Yancey Key has progressed through the levels of Scouting
22 from Cub Scout to Eagle Scout, meeting the demanding
23 requirements for achieving this coveted award; in addition to
24 completing an Eagle Project, an Eagle Scout must earn many
25 Merit Badges as evidence of mastery in various Scouting
26 skills, and must strive to conduct himself with honor,

1 loyalty, courage, cheer, and service, the five integral
2 responsibilities of a Scout; and

3 WHEREAS, in addition to achieving the rank of Eagle
4 Scout, John Yancey Key has earned 43 merit badges and has been
5 the recipient of numerous awards, including the Hometown USA
6 Award and the Good Turn for America Award for service to the
7 community;

8 WHEREAS, John Yancey Key is a graduate of West End
9 High School who is presently attending Jacksonville State
10 University on a Leadership Scholarship; he is the son of
11 Michael and Pam Key and grandson of Kenneth and Carla Key, Roy
12 and Virginia Cash, and the late Joe Stancil and Judy Key; and

13 WHEREAS, through the years John Yancey Key has
14 exhibited those hard-won characteristics of trustworthiness,
15 self-discipline, and good citizenship, all components of the
16 Scouting program; with the guidance and support of his
17 Scouting leaders, he has earned the esteem of his community,
18 fellow Scouts, and all Alabamians; now therefore,

19 BE IT RESOLVED OF THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
20 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That in recognition of his
21 outstanding achievement in attaining the prestigious rank of
22 Eagle Scout, John Yancey Key is highly commended, and this
23 resolution is offered in tribute to him along with best wishes
24 in all his future endeavors.