

SENATE RESOLUTION No. 1863

A RESOLUTION congratulating and commending Christopher Lynn Davenport upon becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, Christopher Lynn Davenport, age 18, will be honored as an Eagle Scout at an Eagle Court of Honor to be held at the Topeka Bible Church in Topeka, Kansas, on June 1, 2003. This honor caps a long record in scouting which began at the age of 7 and included earning the Arrow of Light, the highest award in Cub Scouting, and being selected as a member of the Order of the Arrow in Boy Scouts. Christopher has been home schooled since first grade and resides at 135 W. David Street in Carbondale, Kansas, with his parents, Gary and Susan, and brothers and sister, William, Jonathan, Joshua, Carrie and Andrew; and

WHEREAS, As part of the work involved in earning his Eagle Scout badge, Christopher organized a group of scouts and adults to construct a 24 foot bridge over a creek bed followed by a half-mile nature trail through woods and meadow at Camp Tucker in Osage County near Carbondale, Kansas; and

WHEREAS, Christopher participated in activities at Cornerstone Family School and has been a letterman in basketball and soccer, receiving recognition as the Metro Christian Athletic Association Most Valuable Player in Basketball for the 2002-2003 season and All League and Christian Character honors in both sports; and

WHEREAS, Christopher has been an active member of his church and youth group and participated in a summer mission trip to Mexico where the group helped with the construction of a church; and

WHEREAS, This body acknowledges the hard work and dedication it has taken for Christopher to become an Eagle Scout and congratulates him on his athletic endeavors at Cornerstone Family School: Now, therefore,

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas:* That we congratulate and commend Christopher Lynn Davenport upon achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, his achievements as a young man of integrity, and wish him great success as he goes beyond scouting and high school to pursue a career in the United States Marines; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the Secretary of the Senate be directed to provide an enrolled copy of this resolution to Christopher Lynn Davenport, and one to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Davenport, both addressed to 135 W. David Street, Carbondale, Kansas 66414.

Senate Resolution No. 1863 was sponsored by Senator Anthony Hensley.

I hereby certify that the above RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

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*President of the Senate.*

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*Secretary of the Senate.*