

By: Representative McBride

To: Rules

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING JOSHUA CLAYTON "JOSH"  
2 TAYLOR ON RECEIVING THE EAGLE SCOUT AWARD.

3 WHEREAS, Joshua Clayton "Josh" Taylor, a native of  
4 Batesville, Mississippi, attained the rank of Eagle Scout on  
5 September 24, 2000; and

6 WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor is a member of Boy Scouts of America  
7 Troop 478 of Batesville, Mississippi, where he has held leadership  
8 positions as Senior Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader and Den  
9 Chief and is active in the Order of the Arrow and the Brotherhood;  
10 and

11 WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor attended Boy Scout Summer Camp for four  
12 years including three years at Camp Tallaha and one year at Camp  
13 Kia Kima; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor's Eagle Scout project consisted of  
15 planning, building and placing on site at Arkabutla Lake,  
16 Arkabutla, Mississippi, two handicap hunting ground stands; and

17 WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor, a senior at South Panola High School,  
18 has excelled and maintained a strong academic background evidenced  
19 by his membership in academic honor organizations such as Mu Alpha  
20 Theta and the National Honor Society as well as his selection to  
21 the Superintendent's Honor Roll; and

22 WHEREAS, in addition to his academics and scout activities,  
23 Mr. Taylor participates in several extracurricular activities  
24 including the school golf team, the school paper, playing the  
25 trombone in the school band and playing softball in a church  
26 league; and



27           WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor is a member of Mount Olivet United  
28 Methodist Church and serves as President of the Methodist Youth  
29 Fellowship and on the church drama team; and

30           WHEREAS, Mr. Taylor has been encouraged and supported through  
31 all his endeavors by his family, especially his parents, Ronnie  
32 and Nita Taylor, and his younger brother, Jarrett, who is also a  
33 Boy Scout; and

34           WHEREAS, it is the policy of this Legislature to recognize  
35 and commend excellence especially when evidenced by the young  
36 people of our state, who are its future:

37           NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF  
38 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE SENATE CONCURRING  
39 THEREIN, That we do hereby commend Mr. Joshua Clayton "Josh"  
40 Taylor on receiving the Eagle Scout Award and express our warmest  
41 wishes for success in all his future endeavors.

42           BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That copies of this resolution be  
43 furnished to Mr. Joshua Clayton "Josh" Taylor and to the members  
44 of the Capitol Press Corps.

