

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.

