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ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 64

Introduced by Avery, 28.

WHEREAS, David M. Cummings has completed the requirements for the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America; and

WHEREAS, to earn the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest achievement rank in scouting, a Boy Scout must fulfill requirements in the areas of leadership, service, and outdoor skills. Although many options are available to demonstrate proficiency in these areas, a number of specific skills are required to advance through the ranks of Tenderfoot, Second Class, First Class, Star, Life, and finally Eagle Scout. Throughout his scouting experience, David has learned, been tested on, and been recognized for various scouting skills; and

WHEREAS, to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout, a Boy Scout is required to earn 21 merit badges, 12 of which are in required areas, and complete a community service project approved by the troop and the scout council. David earned 22 merit badges and built a small group devotional area at Moses Merrill Camp and Conference Center in Linwood, Nebraska, for his community service project; and

WHEREAS, David has received numerous special awards, including the Arrow of Light Award and the Historic Trails Award. He participated in National Youth Leadership Training and also held the troop position of senior patrol leader; and

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WHEREAS, only five percent of the boys who join the Boy Scouts of America achieve the rank of Eagle Scout.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

- 1. That the Legislature congratulates David M. Cummings on achieving the rank of Eagle Scout.
- 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to David M. Cummings.