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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 342

Offered January 18, 1999

Commending Adam Hower.

Patrons—Marye; Delegates: Griffith and Tate

WHEREAS, on March 14, 1998, a man riding a bicycle on a lake trail lost control of his bike, was thrown 15 feet into a tree, and fell over a steep embankment; and

WHEREAS, some time later, Adam Hower, an Eagle Scout with Marion Boy Scout Troop 93, happened upon the scene and took immediate action to help the victim; and

WHEREAS, thanks to Adam Hower's quick thinking and Boy Scout training, the victim, who suffered two broken ribs and a punctured lung, was rescued and transported to a hospital; and

WHEREAS, for his immediate action and act of heroism, Adam Hower was awarded the Heroism Award and was cited by the National Recognition Committee, the National President of Boy Scouts of America, and the Chief Scout Executive; and

WHEREAS, Adam Hower's quick thinking, his knowledge of proper procedures, and his willingness to take immediate action helped a person in need and averted a more serious tragedy; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate, the House of Delegates concurring, That the General Assembly hereby commend Adam Hower for his heroic actions on March 14, 1998; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the Senate prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Adam Hower as an expression of the General Assembly's admiration and gratitude for his helping a fellow citizen in need.

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