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Commending Jeremy Mogollon Rivera.

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WHEREAS, Jeremy Mogollon Rivera, a dedicated and hardworking member of Boy Scouts of America Troop 1146 in Annandale, attained the rank of Eagle Scout in 2014; and

WHEREAS, a candidate for this highest rank in Scouting must complete a rigorous program of training and demonstrate proficiency in leadership and other Scouting techniques; and

WHEREAS, only a limited number of Scouts meet the standards of excellence necessary to achieve the rank of Eagle Scout; Jeremy Rivera met the requirements by earning at least 21 merit badges, demonstrating Scout Spirit and leadership in his troop, and planning and completing a service project; and

WHEREAS, for his Eagle Scout project, Jeremy Rivera sought to preserve and protect the local environment by cleaning up a tree-planting site near the entrance to a hiking trail at Lake Accotink Park in North Springfield; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy Rivera helped remove numerous invasive species of plants to allow local plant life to flourish in the area and ensure that trees at the site continue to grow, directly benefiting local residents and visitors to the park; and

WHEREAS, Jeremy Rivera exemplifies the ideals of the Boy Scouts of America and carried out a valuable service to the community through his Eagle Scout project; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, That Jeremy Mogollon Rivera hereby be commended for attaining the rank of Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America; and, be it

RESOLVED FURTHER, That the Clerk of the House of Delegates prepare a copy of this resolution for presentation to Jeremy Mogollon Rivera as an expression of the House of Delegates' admiration for his accomplishments in service to the community.