

2 NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE
3 FIRST SESSION
4 LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 53

5 Introduced by Erdman, 47

6 WHEREAS, Andy Messner, Nik Rhiley, Ted Cecava, Brad
7 Slaughter, and Matt Schilz, all of Ogallala, each earned the Boy
8 Scouts' highest honor and rank of Eagle Scout and were awarded
9 Eagle Awards on Sunday, February 25, 2001; and

10 WHEREAS, all five have been active members of Ogallala's
11 Boy Scout Troop 258 for almost thirteen years; and

12 WHEREAS, for their Eagle Scout projects: Messner
13 installed benches and concrete at Ogallala's Collister Park; Cecava
14 built a retaining wall at Legion Field; Schilz constructed and
15 placed mile markers along an Ogallala bike path; Slaughter
16 installed benches at the Western Diamonds Sports Complex; and
17 Rhiley constructed the entry slab at Ogallala's new hospital; and

18 WHEREAS, these young men, all seniors at Ogallala High
19 School, were recognized by the Boy Scouts for their years of hard
20 work, service to community, and commitment to their Scouting
21 duties; and

22 WHEREAS, fewer than four percent of all boys who join the
23 Boy Scouts attain the rank of Eagle Scout; and

24 WHEREAS, Andy Messner, Nik Rhiley, Ted Cecava, Brad
25 Slaughter, and Matt Schilz have all achieved great success as
26 exemplary members of the Scouting program and each has represented

1 his troop and community with excellence.

2 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE
3 NINETY-SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION:

4 1. That the Legislature congratulates Andy Messner, Nik
5 Rhiley, Ted Cecava, Brad Slaughter, and Matt Schilz on their
6 achievement of the elite rank of Eagle Scout and recognizes their
7 outstanding community service efforts in Ogallala.

8 2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to Andy
9 Messner, Nik Rhiley, Ted Cecava, Brad Slaughter, and Matt Schilz
10 and each of their families.