

**WHEREAS**, James H. Smith is an active Boy Scout for Troop 14 of Pacific Skyline Council; and

**WHEREAS**, James H. Smith earned 25 merit badges to obtain his rank of Eagle Scout and many awards and patches, including the “50 miler” for a long backpacking trip and a “125 miler” award for canoeing in the Ontario wilderness; and

**WHEREAS**, James H. Smith successfully lead a team to build a “developmental learning device” for the First Congregational Church Nursery School in Palo Alto; and

**WHEREAS**, James H. Smith’s leadership roles included Patrol Leader and a long-time Troop Guide, leading younger scouts in learning new skills; and

**WHEREAS**, James H. Smith has achieved a milestone that very few men who enter the Boy Scouts receive.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, does hereby recognize and commend

## **JAMES H. SMITH**

as he receives his rank of Eagle Scout.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED**, this Thirteenth Day of December, Two Thousand Five by unanimous vote.

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Liz Kniss, Chair  
Board of Supervisors

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Donald F. Gage  
Supervisor, District One

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Blanca Alvarado  
Supervisor, District Two

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Pete McHugh  
Supervisor, District Three

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James Beall, Jr.  
Supervisor, District Four

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Attest: Phyllis Perez  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors