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Proclaiming the week of December 3 through December 9, 1979 as "Scouting Recognition Week".

Whereas Scouting is a firmly established tradition in the United States; and

Whereas youth involved in Scouting are a credit to their communities, their country, and a way of life that can survive only so long as the youth of this Nation are brought up to believe in and practice its principles; and

Whereas the first week of December is an appropriate time to recognize the achievements and objectives of the Scouting movement since the fifty-fifth annual calendar program, a vehicle designed to familiarize the American public with the Scout movement, is conducted during this week; and

Whereas it is appropriate for the Government to recognize the positive principles of patriotism, enthusiasm, and service that Scouting typifies: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the week of December 3 through December 9, 1979 is designated as "Scouting Recognition Week", and the President is authorized and requested to issue a proclamation calling upon the people of the United States to observe that week by appropriate activities.

Scouting
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Designation
authorization.

Approved December 7, 1979.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

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