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	BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
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Contact: (Full name, title) (Office and home phone numbers)

## EAGLE SCOUT AWARD TO BE PRESENTED

(Full name, age), of (address), has earned the highest advancement award the Boy Scouts of America offers to Scouts, the Eagle Scout Award.

(Last name) will be recognized in ceremonies on (day, date, and time) at the (location).

A member of (chartered organization, Troop #), (last name) is one of approximately 4 percent of all Boy Scouts who attain the Eagle rank, according to Scoutmaster (full name).

Each candidate must earn 21 merit badges and successfully complete a community, church, or

synagogue-related service project to earn his Eagle; (last name) chose to (describe project).

He has served as (leadership position) and received (Scouting honors). (Last name) joins other outstanding American citizens who have become Eagle Scouts, among them former President Gerald R. Ford, Jr., astronaut Neil A. Armstrong, cinematographer Steven Spielberg, and the head of the F.B.I., William Sessions.

(Last name) is a member of (church or synagogue) and is active in (school activities, i.e.: debate team, drama club, band, sports) at (name) High School, where he is a (class).

He is the son of (parents) of (city).

(date)

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