

Resolution

ENROLLED HOUSE
RESOLUTION NO. 1033

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A Resolution declaring February 18, 2026, as Scout Day at the Oklahoma Capitol; recognizing the history, importance, and work of Scouting America.

WHEREAS, Scouting America was first established by Englishman Lord Robert Baden-Powell in 1908, and the Boy Scouts of America, the first scouting organization in the United States, was established in the United States on February 8, 1910; and

WHEREAS, since day one (1), Scouting America has espoused the Scout Oath and the twelve (12) points of the Scout Law, establishing that a Scout is Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, and Reverent; and

WHEREAS, Scouting America includes character development programs such as Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing, Sea Scouts, and Exploring that prepare young people through career exploration and skills enrichment programs; and

WHEREAS, Scouting America today exists in two hundred sixteen (216) countries and territories and has fifty million (50,000,000) members worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Scouting America's highest honor, the Eagle Scout award, has instilled in numerous participants a love of service and leadership, including former Presidents of the United States, judges, astronauts, movie producers, and many others; and

WHEREAS, the Arbuckle Area Council, Cherokee Area Council, Indian Nations Council, and Last Frontier Council collaborate to deliver impactful youth development programs throughout the State of Oklahoma; and

WHEREAS, their Scouts and dedicated volunteers collectively contribute more than two hundred and eighty-eight million (288,000,000) volunteer hours annually in service to communities across the state and nation.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 2nd SESSION OF THE 60TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives recognizes the long history of Scouting America.

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives recognizes the important work done by Scouting America.

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives recognizes the community importance of Scouting America.

THAT the Oklahoma House of Representatives commemorates February 18 as Scout Day at the Oklahoma Capitol.

Adopted by the House of Representatives the 18th day of
February, 2026.

Presiding Officer of the House of
Representatives

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

Received by the Office of the Secretary of State this _____
day of _____, 20 _____, at _____ o'clock _____ M.
By: _____