



**CERTIFICATION OF COMMENDATION**

WHEREAS, Kyle Alexander Salzman was born to David Lee Salzman and Carol Ann Glover on September 21, 1993 in Manhattan Beach, California, and has continued to reside in Manhattan Beach; and

WHEREAS, Kyle attended Grandview Elementary School and Rolling Hills Preparatory School and is currently attending Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, New York; and

WHEREAS, Kyle had been active in scouting since March 2004 as a member of Boy Scout Troop 849 where his perseverance and tenacious efforts led him to attain the following Boy Scout ranks: Scout on May 1, 2004, Tenderfoot on August 20, 2005; Second Class on September 19, 2006; First Class on April 10, 2007; Star on August 18, 2008; Life on March 17, 2009; Eagle Scout on November 25, 2011; and

WHEREAS, Kyle earned twenty-four merit badges as a Boy Scout; and

WHEREAS, Kyle held leadership positions in the Troop as Assistant Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Assistant Senior Patrol Leader; Senior Patrol Leader; and

WHEREAS, Kyle contributed to his community in many ways including: rebuilding hiking trails in the Angeles National Forest and the Lunada Canyon Preserve, assisting in the renovations at the Hopkins Wilderness Park in Redondo and the Sand Tots Nursery School; and

WHEREAS, Kyle, as an outstanding citizen of Manhattan Beach desired to direct his efforts to an Eagle Scout Leadership Service Project that would benefit the South Bay community; and

WHEREAS, Kyle, while working with the Palos Verdes Land Conservancy demonstrated his organizational and leadership skills by preparing plans for a project with two major components. One to build 13 potting tables for the conservancy's Native Plants Nursery which now provide more space to cultivate native plants that the Conservancy uses for Reclamation projects on the Preserve, and a second component to replace two dilapidated fences at the entrances of the Agua Amarga Reserve. The new fences now provide a locked vehicle gate and access way for hikers and mountain bikers while protecting the canyon from unauthorized vehicles. He managed approximately 370 hours of volunteer time over two days and spent close to 67 hours planning and finalizing the project; and

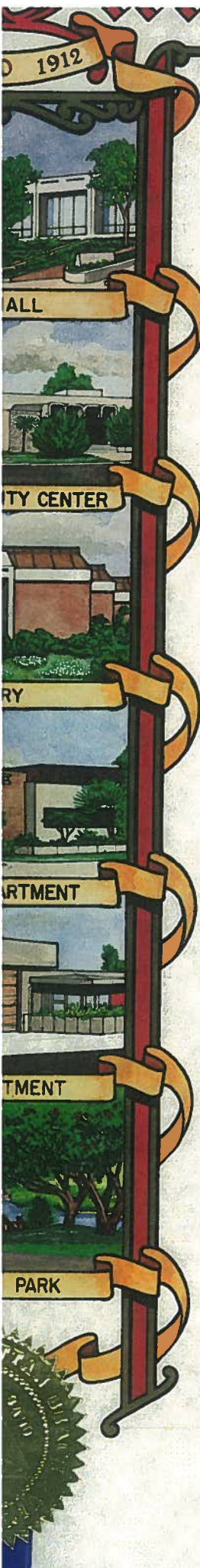
WHEREAS, Kyle is an exceptional example of today's future leaders.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council, on behalf of the residents and citizens of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, does hereby congratulate

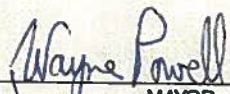
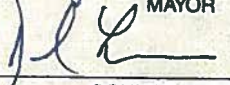


**KYLE ALEXANDER SALZMAN**

on being honored for attaining the Rank of Eagle Scout and for his many achievements.

DATED this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June, 2012.



  
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