

Rep. Faris offered the following resolution:

House Resolution No. 237.

A resolution to declare March 12, 2016, as Girl Scout Day in the state of Michigan.

Whereas, March 12, 2016, marks the 104th anniversary of the Girl Scouts of the United States of America founded by Juliette Gordon Low in Savannah, Georgia, in 1912; and

Whereas, Girl Scouts are inspired with the highest ideals of character, conduct, patriotism, and service in preparation for their growth into society's next generation of leaders; and

Whereas, Throughout the organization's distinguished history, Girl Scouts of the United States of America has developed integrity, confidence, and strong character in millions of girls and women who use those skills to advance themselves and their communities; and

Whereas, Girl Scouting plays an active role in emphasizing the importance of academics and increasing girls' awareness of the career opportunities in all fields of interest; and

Whereas, For more than 100 years, Girl Scouts has served as a voice for girls in Michigan while providing the opportunity to make friends and grow into strong women who are ready to lead; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives, That the members of this legislative body declare March 12, 2016, as Girl Scout Day in the state of Michigan. We commend and congratulate all the girls and women in Michigan who participate in Girl Scouting.