



## Georgia Carolina Council

# AN INTRODUCTION TO THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

***The Mission of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare young people to make ethical and moral choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law.***

### Scout Oath

ON MY HONOR I WILL DO MY BEST  
TO DO MY DUTY TO GOD AND MY COUNTRY  
AND TO OBEY THE SCOUT LAW;  
TO HELP OTHER PEOPLE AT ALL TIMES;  
TO KEEP MYSELF PHYSICALLY STRONG,  
MENTALLY AWAKE AND MORALLY STRAIGHT.

### WHAT YOU CAN EXPECT FROM YOUR SERVICE ON THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

- An opportunity to improve the lives of youth in the CSRA.
- Integrity from management and staff.
- Fellowship with other board members.
- Opportunities to expand your network.
- Opportunities to mentor Council executive staff.
- To join a progressive, fast-moving organization.
- 2020 Board Meeting Dates  
January 15, March 18, May 20, July 15,  
September 16, November 18

### Scout Law

A SCOUT IS:  
TRUSTWORTHY, LOYAL, HELPFUL, FRIENDLY,  
COURTEOUS, KIND, OBEDIENT, CHEERFUL,  
THRIFTY, BRAVE, CLEAN AND REVERENT

### THE ROLE OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

**GOVERNANCE** Offer input on the direction of the Georgia Carolina Council.

- Be a registered volunteer with the Boy Scouts of America.
- Complete the BSA's online Youth Protection Training.
- Attend board meetings every other month, as available.

**LEADERSHIP** Serve on a council committee.

**FUNDRAISING** Support the Annual Campaign of the Georgia Carolina Council with a meaningful direct contribution. Assist with other fundraising events such as annual golf tournament, Fleur-de-Lis Gala, or Distinguished Citizen events.

### **PARTNER WITH EXECUTIVE STAFF**

Understand professional and board roles. Mentor executive staff, make introductions to community leaders and encourage the growth of Scouting in the CSRA.

**ADVOCATE** Bring others into Scouting and extend Scouting's mission in your sphere of influence.