



# BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA®

## QUIVIRA COUNCIL

### **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.

### **Scout Law**

A Scout is:

Trustworthy  
Loyal  
Helpful  
Friendly  
Courteous  
Kind  
Obedient  
Cheerful  
Thrifty  
Brave  
Clean  
Reverent

### **Scout Motto**

Be Prepared

### **Scout Slogan**

Do a good turn daily.

Dear Sir or Madam,

The Quivira Council Advancement Committee requires each Eagle Scout candidate to solicit “letters of reference” to submit with his application. You have been selected by the candidate to provide a letter of reference.

Please provide a letter on the form provided giving your frank and confidential opinion of the Scout’s qualifications in the areas of character, demonstrated leadership, and his ability to live his everyday life by the Scout Oath and Law, which are printed on the side of this letter.

Your letter, along with other components of the Scout’s application, will be presented to an Eagle Board of Review. The Eagle Board is made up of adult community volunteers and Scouters. At the successful conclusion of the board of review, consistent with their confidential nature, the reference letters will be destroyed.

Your letter will be helpful if you comment on such qualifications as these:

- Is he active in the meetings and projects of organizations to which he belongs?
- Does he accept and carry out responsibilities?
- Is he a leader?
- Does he help in his home, school, church or synagogue, and community?
- How does he care for things that belong to him?
- Does he respect the property of others?
- Does he understand and take part in the conservation of our natural resources?
- How does he use Scouting knowledge and skill in his everyday life?
- Does he exemplify what you believe to be a good citizen?

Use the above list to help you include useful information. You need not include all, and you are free to add anything you think will be useful to us as we make this important decision.

When you have completed your letter of recommendation, please sign, seal and mail it in the envelope provided. It should be stamped and addressed to the person designated on the form. The Scout’s name and “Letter of Recommendation” should appear on the envelope so the recipient will know not to open it. It will be presented to the Eagle Board of Review where it will be held in strict confidence and used only for the purpose of the Eagle Board of Review.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.