



Dear Troop Leader,

The heart and soul of Girl Scouting occurs on the local level in communities with dedicated volunteers like you. As a troop leader, you represent Girl Scouts of Central Texas. Thank you for your time and commitment and for supporting the girls we serve.

The Friends of Girl Scouting (FOGS) campaign is the annual opportunity that gives families the opportunity to invest in girls' futures through council programs, camp improvements, scholarships, and volunteer support. FOGS supports ALL Girl Scouts in their communities and council wide. It costs more than \$320 per Girl Scout per year to provide the premier leadership experience for girls and 100 percent of the \$12 membership fee goes to GSUSA and does not help with these costs. The funds raised through FOGS go to girl programs, volunteer training, support for six Girl Scout Program Centers, camp improvements, financial assistance, and development of new programs.

Your role as the link between families and the success of this year's FOGS campaign is simple. Our expectations are that you will pass out the FOGS donor card to each family, answer any questions that they might have, and encourage all to participate as we move forward toward our 100th anniversary. It is time to honor the past and celebrate the future of Girl Scouts.

Thank you again for all that you do for the girls as they participate in the leadership journey that will help shape their lives. It is an Investment Worth Millions!

If you have any questions, please contact your Service Unit FOGS Coordinator or Service Unit Director.

Thank you,

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