



OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEER AWARD GIRL SCOUTS OF GREATER IOWA

The Outstanding Volunteer Award recognizes an adult in a position other than leader whose service benefits a geographic or Service Unit in a way that is beyond the expectations for the position.

The presentation is at a Service Unit recognition event.

Criteria:

1. The candidate is a registered Girl Scout adult.
2. The candidate has completed appropriate training, or demonstrated competence for the job, or both.
3. The candidate has performed at a level that exceeds the expectations of the position and is of the quality that warrants area wide recognition.

Nomination:

An individual or group familiar with the candidate's performance submits an application or narrative account of the candidate's accomplishments to the Recognition Task Group.

One individual or group familiar with the service performed should submit a narrative letter of endorsement to the Recognition Task Group. Endorsements could include information from girls or young women who can attest to the candidate's positive influences; parents, or other Girl Scout members are also appropriate as endorsers.

Approval:

The Recognition Task Group reviews the application or narrative account and the letters of endorsement and recommends approval or denial to the Service Unit.

Potential candidates for the Outstanding Volunteer Award could be the following:

- A recruiter who has retained or increased adult of girl membership in an area beyond the goals set for that area.
- A consultant who consistently provides high quality programs to girls.
- A person who has significantly increased Girl Scouts positive image within a community through a wide variety of methods and media.

The Service Unit purchases the Outstanding Volunteer Pin.