

NATIONAL COUNCIL DELEGATES 2022 - 2025

The national council delegates whom the council is entitled to elect to the National Council of Girl Scouts of the United States of America shall be elected in a single slate as outlined in Article 4 of the Bylaws, by the members of the council at a meeting held the year preceding the National Council Session. The Board of Directors, or the Chair in the absence of a meeting of the board, shall fill national council delegate vacancies from among the persons elected to fill vacancies, which persons shall be elected at the same time and in the same manner as delegates. If there be no such persons, the board of directors, or the Chair in the absence of a meeting of the council. National Council Delegates shall be citizens of the United States of America; shall be elected from the active members of the Girl Scouts of the United States of America who are at least 14 years of age, and who are registered through the council with Girl Scouts of the United States of America; shall serve for a term of three years from the date of their election or until their successors are elected. The number of National Council Delegates shall be based upon the requirements as specified by Girl Scouts USA.

National Delegate Application

Deadline for Submission: December 31, 2021 Return Application to: <u>customercare@gsewni.org</u> Attn: Lori Massey or 1404 N Ash Street, Spokane WA

Name		
Current Girl Scout roles: (Indicate all roles/positions) Address		
City	State/Zip Code	
Phone # Evening		

Why are you interested in being nominated to serve as a national delegate from our council?

How does your experience prepare you to think strategically about the future of the Girl Scout Movement?

Each individual elected by the council as a voting member/delegate to the National Council holds (3) three-year term and takes personal responsibility to:

- Study all items on the agenda, including background information and recommendations of the National Board of Directors, and fully prepare to participate in discussions.
- Attend briefing and/or training meetings conducted by the council; participate in council, board, and association meetings; and participate in council forums and focus groups, as requested.
- Obtain a broad array of the opinions of adult and older girl members from all parts of the council.
- Participate in teleconferences/webinars for voting members, sponsored by the national organization.
- Attend all business meetings and engage in opportunities to discuss, learn, and share ideas across the Movement.
- Report at the council's annual meeting, to the council board of directors, and the council's constituency (as requested) on the National Council decisions and the reasons for such decisions.

I am willing and able to fulfill the responsibilities of a National Council delegate if elected:

Date

Parent Signature indicating approval (if applicant is 18 or under)

Date

Note: All applications will be reviewed and approved by the Board Development Committee (BDC). The BDC will recommend applicants will be brought forth to Council Delegates during the 2022 Annual Meeting for a vote.