

POSITION SUMMARY

POSITION TITLE: Girl Member-at-Large Delegate (10 positions available)

TERM OF APPOINTMENT: One (1) year term

ACCOUNTABILITY TO: Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council Members

MAINTAINS CONTACT WITH: Service Unit Girl Scout Members

AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY:

In carrying out their responsibilities, Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland, Inc. Girl Member-at-Large Delegates:

1. Keep informed and understand policies, standards, and decisions at the national and council level.
2. Communicate with those represented to be sure they understand issues emanating from the Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council Board of Directors and to be sure you are aware of their opinions on such issues.
3. Keep informed of other issues that concern your constituency and be sure that these concerns are heard.

REQUIREMENTS:

1. Must be currently 14 years of age or older and a registered Girl Scout who meets the requirements for membership in Girl Scouts of the USA.
2. Attend the Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Annual Meeting where delegates do the following:
 - Determine general policy direction for Girl Scouting
 - Amend the Articles of Incorporation and bylaws
 - Take action requiring membership vote
 - Conduct business that may come before the council
 - Elect officers, directors, board development (formerly, nominating) committee members, girl member-at-large delegates and national council delegates/alternates
3. Attend Delegate Forum meetings scheduled in October and March and any additional meetings deemed necessary by the delegates. (A Delegate Forum is held semi-annually for each of the nine governmental blocks into which the 30 counties of Girl Scouts of Ohio's Heartland Council, Inc, have been divided. The members in each of these nine areas meet to hear and discuss matters pertaining to council governance on which the board needs input as well as advance governance matters to the board as directed by the members.)
4. Attend service unit meetings to discuss agenda items with the members. Bring opinions and concerns about policy issues to Delegate Forums. Report on action taken at the Delegate Forums and council meetings.
5. Participate as an active member of the Girl Scout Delegate Advisory Council.