## Delegate-at-Large

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<td>The Delegate-at-Large serves as a voting member of the Council and is the link between the Girl Scouts of Northern California Board of Directors and the non-Service Unit constituent group she/he represents.</td>
<td>The Board of Directors shall appoint at least one and no more than 12 Delegates-at-Large who represent constituent groups established by the Council that are not Service Units.</td>
<td>One year term. There are no term limits for Delegates-at-Large</td>
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### Responsibilities

- The Girl Scouts of Northern California (GSNorCal) Bylaws, Article I, Section 5 define the Responsibilities of Voting Members as follows:
  - Elect officers of the Council, directors-at-large of the Board of Directors, the members of the Board Development Committee and delegates to the National Council of GSUSA
  - Determine the strategic direction of the Council by receiving and responding to reports and information from the Board and give guidance to the Board
  - Amend Articles of Incorporation and Bylaws
  - Take all other action requiring a membership vote
  - Conduct such other business as may come before the Voting Members

- Additionally, the delegate shall:
  - Be informed but not instructed regarding voting matters
  - Be available to participate in meetings of their constituent group to obtain input on governance issues and serve as a conduit between the members of the group and the Board of Directors
  - Obtain input and reactions to proposed plans and policies being considered by the Board of Directors for discussion at the Annual Meeting and any special meetings
  - Attend the Annual Meeting and any special meetings
  - Report to their constituent group on any action taken at the Annual Meeting or any special meetings

### Qualifications

- Registered member of GSUSA, 14 years of age or older, residing in the Council, participating as an active member of one of the identified council constituent groups

### Expectations

- Be committed to the beliefs and principles stated in the Girl Scout Promise and Law
- Adhere to GSUSA Policies and Standards and the goals and objectives of GSNorCal
- Be committed to serving the diverse population of GSNorCal
- Be willing to take on-line training for the position
- Be willing to attend the Annual Meeting
- Have good communication skills and a willingness to participate in discussions with members