

SERVICE UNIT DELEGATE

PURPOSE	ELECTED BY	TERM
<p>The Service Unit Delegate serves as a voting member of the Council and is a link between the Girl Scouts of Northern California Board of Directors and the adult and girl membership in the Service Unit she/he represents.</p>	<p>Members of the Girl Scout movement 14 years of age or over and registered with GSUSA residing in or affiliated with the Service Unit.</p>	<p>One year term. There are no term limits for Service Unit Delegates.</p>
<p>RESPONSIBILITIES</p>	<p>The Girl Scouts of Northern California (GSNorCal) Bylaws, Article I, Section 5 define the Responsibilities of Voting Members as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 <p>Additionally the delegate shall:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Be informed but not instructed regarding voting matters • Be available to participate in forums, Service Unit meetings, and older girl meetings within their Service Unit, to obtain input on governance issues and serve as a conduit between the membership 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 the Service Unit membership on any action taken at the Annual Meeting or any special meetings 	
<p>QUALIFICATIONS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Registered member of GSUSA, 14 years of age or older residing in the Service Unit 	
<p>EXPECTATIONS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 	