



## Gold Award Proposal Troop Leader/Group Volunteer Agreements

The **Troop Leader or Group Volunteer** is a registered adult volunteer with the Girl Scouts of Northern California Council. This role involves a commitment of time and a mentoring relationship to help a Girl Scout succeed in their pursuit of the Gold Award. The Troop Leader is an expert in Girl Scouts rules and regulations as laid out in the Volunteer Toolkit (VTK) and other Girl Scout trainings.

### Troop Leaders and Group Volunteers can support Girl Scouts by:

- Taking a Gold Award training to understand requirements and processes; reviewing supportive Gold Award resources on GSNorCal.org
- Reviewing relevant Girl Scout rules and regulations in the VTK (including money-earning, event management, and insurance rules)
- Helping Girl Scouts connect with potential Project Advisors or other supportive adults
- Supporting Girl Scouts as they hone their ideas and draft their proposal
- Reviewing a Girl Scout’s proposal before submission and offering advice
- Encouraging and supporting your Girl Scout; empowering them to take charge
- Verifying a Girl Scout’s proposal in GoGold Online (required)\*
  - Troop Leaders/Group Volunteers will receive an automated email to verify a Girl Scout’s Gold Award proposal, submitted through GoGold Online. It will ask you to verify that your Girl Scout has completed Gold Award prerequisites, and that you have read the proposal.

A Girl Scout’s parent/guardian may **not** serve as their Troop Leader for the Gold Award. If a Girl Scout is independently registered or their parent/guardian is their Troop Leader, another registered adult Girl Scouts volunteer must sign off in this capacity. This may be a Co-Leader, Troop Helper, another local Troop Leader, or Service Unit volunteer.

Girl Scout Information
<b>Name:</b>

Troop Leader/Group Volunteer Information	
<b>Name:</b>	
<b>Phone number:</b>	<b>Email:</b>
<b>Volunteer title:</b>	
<b>Troop #:</b>	<b>Service Unit #:</b>

### To be completed by the Troop Leader or Group Volunteer:

I certify that I am the Troop Leader/Group Volunteer identified above.

I understand the role of the Troop Leader/Group Volunteer in the Gold Award process.

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_