



## Family Award overview

The Family Award recognizes service benefiting the entire council, beyond the troop and service unit level, over a period of time, by more than one member of a family.

### Candidate criteria:

- Registered Girl Scout adult members in good standing.
- Assisted in furthering the council's overall mission and goals to serve all girls and increase diversity, membership, visibility, and/or program participation.
- The candidates' service goes above and beyond their position expectations and serves the entire council past the troop and service unit level.

### Nomination process:

- Submit the Family Award nomination with two endorsements to Girl Scouts San Diego.
- Endorsements must be from two individuals or groups (other than the nominator), who are familiar with the service performed by the candidate.
- Nomination will be given to the recognitions task group for review.

### Approval:

The recognitions task group reviews the nomination form and endorsements and approves or denies the award. The volunteer services team notifies the nominators of acceptance or denial, and notifies candidates of acceptance.

**Form of recognition:** A personalized plaque with the family's name and Girl Scout logo

**Forms to be used:** Family Award nomination RE-0173 and Family Award endorsement RE-0174

**Deadline:** April 30 by 4:30 p.m.

**Award presentation:** Annually at the Volunteer Conference and Celebration

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