

Sample Letter of Endorsement

February 15, 2018
Nomination for Volunteer of Excellence

Dear Girl Scouts of Southeastern New England,

I am very happy to support Juliette Low, leader of Troops 123 & 456 in the Westerly Service Unit, for the GSUSA Volunteer of Excellence Award. Juliette has been a Girl Scout leader for the past 7 years. She is a strong woman who leads two very active and involved Girl Scout troops for her two daughters. She works full-time as a teacher and involves the troops in school ceremonies and activities.

I have worked alongside Juliette, as her co-leader in both troops, for the last two years. Our girls know they can count on her to always do her very best to make sure that their Girl Scout experience is a great one. She ensures this by keeping current with Council policies & training, and she makes sure the girls are always involved in the decision making process in regards to troop programming and direction.

Under her leadership, the girls have grown as individuals and as scouts. The Cadettes are offered outstanding leadership opportunities when they help with our Brownie troop, sharing Girl Scout ways and teaching the younger girls new skills, while working on portions of their Journeys and badges. Juliette goes out of her way to recruit girls from underserved neighborhoods and bring them into our troops. The Brownies have been learning to relate to each other, as well as the older girls, as part of their extended Girl Scout family. They are thrilled to "teach" the Cadettes songs they have learned. Each girl has earned many recognitions, including (for the older girls), the Bronze Award. Many of our Cadettes are currently working to earn the Silver Award.

Juliette has helped to instill in the girls a sense of purpose, self-confidence, and accomplishment. The girls in both troops, along with all of us in the Westerly Service Unit, are so incredibly lucky to have Juliette as a leader. She is talented, dedicated, loyal, and competent. She is also fun and insightful. She is a fabulous person and a true Girl Scout who shares herself, her time, and her knowledge without hesitation.

For her incredible dedication, and for the many lives she has touched as a Girl Scout Leader, I whole heartedly support the nomination of Juliette Low as a deserving recipient of the GSUSA Volunteer of Excellence Award.

Sincerely,
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