

## Adult Recognitions At-A-Glance GSUSA and GSSNE Official Recognitions

EARNED RECOGNITION		APPLICATION PROCESS	APPROVAL PROCESS
Milestones of Membership Pin	Number of years (girl and adult combined) as a Girl Scout	Self-nomination after you accrue five or more years as a Girl Scout	<ul> <li>Submit form to the Recognition Committee</li> <li>5-45 years presented at the Service Unit</li> <li>50 years and up presented at the Annual Meeting</li> </ul>
Ruth Haslegrave Milestones of Membership Award	75 years or more of service to Girl Scouting	Self-nomination or recommendation from volunteers or GSSNE Council staff	<ul> <li>Recognition         Committee and             Board of Directors     </li> <li>Presented at the         Annual Meeting     </li> </ul>
Volunteer Years of Service Pin	Number of years of service as a volunteer	Self-nomination after you accrue five or more years as a Girl Scout volunteer	<ul> <li>Send form to the Recognitions Committee</li> <li>5-10 years presented at the Service Unit</li> <li>15 years and up presented at the Annual Meeting</li> </ul>
Outgoing President's Pin	Awarded to the outgoing Board Chair	Upon the conclusion of her/his final term of office	Approved by the Board of Directors
HONORARY RECOGNITION		APPLICATION PROCESS	APPROVAL PROCESS
Volunteer of Excellence	<ul> <li>Contributed outstanding service while partnering directly with girls</li> <li>Support of the Council's mission delivery to increase or retain girl and adult members</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Two letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	Approval by     Recognition     Committee
Kit Hammett Award	<ul> <li>Service exceeds         expectations in two or more         positions for at least two         years</li> <li>Full criteria listed on         application</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Two letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>

Appreciation Pin	<ul> <li>For outstanding service beyond the expectations of the position</li> <li>Service benefits one or more Service Units and contributes to the Council goals</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Two letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
Honor Pin	<ul> <li>For outstanding service beyond the expectations of the position</li> <li>Service benefits two or more Service Units or the entire Council</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Three letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
Thanks Badge	<ul> <li>For truly outstanding service which benefits the entire Council or the Girl Scout organization as a whole</li> <li>The service must be significantly above and beyond the call of duty</li> <li>No other award would be appropriate</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Four letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
Thanks Badge II	<ul> <li>For recipients of the Thanks Badge whose continued service merits further recognition</li> <li>Service must meet all of the criteria of the Thanks Badge</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation</li> <li>Four letters of endorsement</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
Mira Hoffman Award	<ul> <li>For outstanding contributions to the work of the Council</li> <li>Exemplifies the finest spirit of Girl Scouting</li> </ul>	Submit nomination form along with supporting documentation	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
President's Award	For outstanding service by the volunteers in a Service Unit in achieving their goals and objectives	Submitted by Council Staff	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>
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Special Supporter Award	To honor a group or individual who has supported Girl Scouting in the community	Submitted by Council Staff or the Service Unit	<ul> <li>Approval by Recognition Committee</li> <li>Recommended to the Board of Directors for final approval</li> </ul>