

### **Board of Directors**

Tuesday, March 28, 2017

4:30-6:30 pm

Conference Call: 1-877-621-0220, code: 475994

### Approve Agenda – Roll Call



#### **Girl Scout Promise**

On my honor, I will try:

To serve God and my country,

To help people at all times,

And to live by the Girl Scout Law.



#### **The Girl Scout Law**

I will do my best to be honest and fair, friendly and helpful, considerate and caring, courageous and strong, and responsible for what I say and do, and to

respect myself and others,
respect authority,
use resources wisely,
make the world a better place, and
be a sister to every Girl Scout.

## Consent Agenda

Attachments A & B

## **Board Chair Report**

Ellen Iobst, Board Chair

## Girl Scout Financial Empowerment

Chris Salley Davis, Senior Director of Program & Product Sales

### **Entrepreneurship**

In Girl Scouting

### Agenda

What are we talking about?



Chris Salley-Davis
Senior Director of Program and
Product Sales



### Four Pillars

#### Entrepreneurship

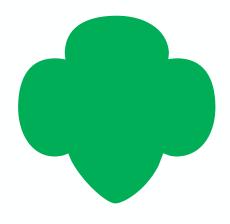
Our famous Girl Scout Cookie Program, fall sale program and more!



#### **Outdoors**

Summer camp, camping weekends, outdoor skills and simple outdoor activities with girls.





#### **STEM**

Science, technology, engineering and math programming



Career exploration, conflict resolution, healthy living, problem solving, grit and more!





#### The Research

What do girls say?

#### There is hope!

Girls expect to be independent and financially empowered, see few gender barriers in their way and have high expectations for their future financial lives.

#### There are gaps

Girls don't feel very confident in making financial decisions. They often do not have access to financial literacy curriculum through school and many parents lack the knowledge to help girls build skills beyond basic knowledge about saving and spending.

#### The Good News

Girls have bright ideas about their future



94% of girls would rather make their own money than rely on their parents.



80% would rather make their own money than marry someone who would support them financially.



Only 13% believe that men are better with money than women.



86% say that both household parents should make financial decisions for the family.



96% of girls expect to be able to provide for their families



95% of girls expect they will own a home one day.



87% of girls expect they will make a lot of money



87% of girls expect they will give back to their communities.

### The Gap:

Only 12% of girls feel "very confident" making financial decisions.

### Five Skills

What do girls gain from participation



**Goal Setting** 



**Decision Making** 



Money Management



People Skills



**Business Ethics** 





### Entrepreneurship

With Girl Scouts of Western Ohio

7,034

Girls participating in the Fall Sale Program Gross \$1,136,688 21,430

Girls participating in the Cookie Program On target to gross over \$14,389,420

#### Me2

This year **3,095** girls created a Me2 site and sold products using this digital tool as a part of their fall sale experience

## Financial Literacy & Cookie Badges

**12,647** girls earned Financial Literacy or Cookie Business Badges in 2016. We don't have 2017 numbers yet.

#### Service Unit Cookie Rallies

**5,462** girls participated in service unit rallies. Across the country we have found that girls who participate in a program focused rally have a higher per girls package average

#### **Digital Cookie**

We are in our second year with this new tool that allows girls to connect with new and existing customers in a new way which broadens their business skills. This year

**5,195** girls participated in Digital Cookie.

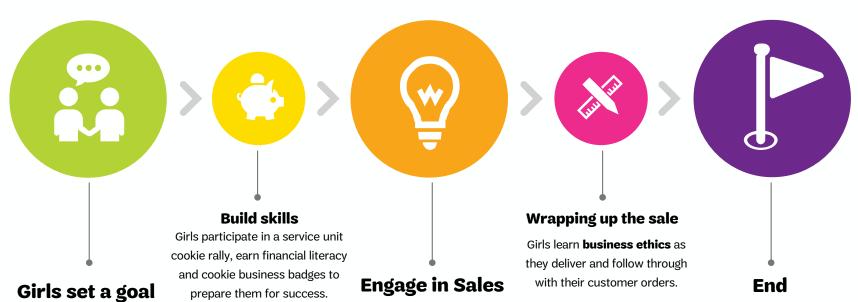
#### **Cookie Booths**

Cookie booths allow girls to build their money management and people skills by selling directly to customers in partnership with local businesses. This year

**9,263** girls participated in cookie booths.

#### What does this look like?

Bringing it all together



Girls set **goals** individually and work **cooperatively**. The individual rewards motivate girls on a personal level and then they rally together to make **decisions** about shared group goals.

Girls gain **decision making skills** as they decide how to market their sale and reach their goals as barriers come up. They gain **people skills** as they engage in order taking, door to door and booth sales.

Girls learn **money management** skills as they debrief their sale, talk about what they would do differently next year and how they will use their funds.

### **Future Work**

What's next?



### Outreach Curriculum Development

Revamp financial literacy curriculum to be more focused on entrepreneurship combining innovation badges + Financial literacy badges



#### **Toyota Grant**

1,111 girls will be served by the Toyota Financing My Future grant targeting low income girls financial empowerment



#### **Community Partners**

Focus on building community partners who can support troops to earn the financial literacy badges



## Fund Development Task Group

Jody Wainscott, Task Group Member
Attachment C



#### **Board Fund Development Plan**

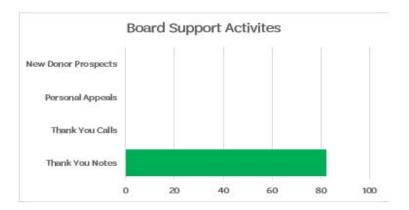
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Attachment C





















## Governance Task Group

Victoria Nilles, Task Group Chair

### **The Policy Governance Model**

Carver's model provides a framework that:

"separates issues of organizational purpose (ENDS) from all other organizational issues (MEANS)"
 and

2. "places the primary importance on the ENDS"

### **Four Policy Categories**

- Ends
- Executive Limitations
- Governance Process
- Board-CEO Linkage

### **Ends**

Ends Policies answer the questions:

#### What Benefits, for Whom, at What Cost?

- > Demonstrate courage, confidence, and character, and make a difference
- > Girls
- > At a cost that balances time, resources, and results

### **GSWO Executive Limitation Policies**

- Treatment of Girls and Volunteers
- Treatment of Staff
- Compensation and Benefits
- Financial Planning/Budgeting
- Financial Condition and Activities
- Asset Protection
- Ends Focus of Grants, Commitments or Contracts
- Emergency CEO Succession
- Communication and Support to the Board

### **Job Products - Policy 3.2**

- Linking with the Ownership
- Policy Development
- Assurance of Successful Operational Performance

## Board-CEO Linkage A Comparison with Traditional

#### **Traditional**

- Directs Employees
- Narrow Policies
- Operations
- Dictates Means
- Reactive Fixers
- Advisors to CEO

#### Governance

- Directs CEO
- Broad Policies
- Prescribe Ends
- Means Limitations
- Forward Thinking
- Governors for Owners

### The Basic Principles of the Model

- 1. Ownership
- 2. Governance Position
- 3. Board Holism
- 4. Ends Policies
- 5. Board Means Policies
- 6. Executive Limitations Policies
- 7. Policy Sizes
- 8. Delegation to Management
- 9. Any Reasonable Interpretation
- 10. Monitoring

## Property/Outdoor Experience Task Group

Sue Gantz Matz, Task Group Chair

### Task Group Agenda



Task Group Progress – Two Sub-Groups



Other Camp Projects



**Progress on Administrative Centers** 



**Next Steps** 

## OD Experience Task Group Two Sub Groups

### **Board Task Group**

- Identify Camp Renovation Priorities based on board criteria
- Monitor progress in administrative facilities with focus on usefulness to volunteers and troops;
- Make recommendations for 2017 2019

### **Camp Operations Sub Group**

**Define and establish standardized processes and resources** to make camp more accessible, appealing and easy to use by volunteers and girls.

### Focus on WhipPoorWill

#### **Administrative Service Centers**

Toledo Service Center

Lima Service Center

**Dayton Service Center** 

Cincinnati Service Center

#### **Camp Properties**

- A. Camp Butterworth\*
- B. Camp Libbey
- D. Camp Stonybrook
- E. Camp WhipPoorWill
- F. Camp Woodhaven
- C. Camp Rolling Hills
- G. Little House (Greenville)



### **Other Camp Projects**

**Camp Libbey -** Rebuild the Libby dining hall kitchen floor joists; includes kitchen and bathroom renovation

Camp Stonybrook - Rebuild the director's cabin; destroyed in 2016 tornado; rebuilding and expanding to increase options for use.





### **Progress on Administrative Centers**

### <u>Lima Service Center / Camp Woodhaven</u>

- Awarded the contract to a local general contractor
- Construction starts on Duffy and Sweetbriar Lodges first week of April
- Construction starts on office early June

### **Dayton Service Center**

- Construction drawings complete
- Bidders' Conference March 29
- Construction Start (est.) June 1

### **Camp Plan - Next Steps**

### **Board Task Group**

 Develop recommendations for 2017-18 Camp Construction Plan and recommendations for projects in next 3-5 years.

### **Camp Operations Task Group**

- Develop standardized processes for checking out program resources, cleaning, maintenance needs, etc.
- Develop consistent standards for kitchen equipment and appliances, cleaning equipment, furniture, electronics recharging stations, etc.

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### **Questions?**



### How Did We Work?

Michelle Krummen, Board Monitor

## Items for Next Agenda

Ellen Iobst, Board Chair

## Adjournment



# Executive Session CEO Performance Review

Ellen Iobst, Board Chair