

Submit nominations to your service unit manager by a date determined by your service unit. Service units will submit the online form #505 by April 1 to order the award(s) for this nomination.

These awards are for service performed between April 1 and March 31. Candidates for these awards have shown outstanding service to girls and/or adults in Girl Scouts, and actively understand and practice the values of inclusive behavior. See [girlscoutsosw.org/volunteer-awards](http://girlscoutsosw.org/volunteer-awards) for detailed award descriptions and criteria. These recognitions will be presented at local service unit events.

- Outstanding Community Supporter:** Recognizes outstanding contributions of time and/or services to local Girl Scout groups by an individual or business. This award is presented in the form of a certificate and can be awarded year after year for continued support. *Submit **one (1)** letter of endorsement.*
- Outdoor Enthusiast:** Recognizes a volunteer who promotes and champions outdoor skill progression in Girl Scouts. Can only be earned once. *Submit **two (2)** letters of endorsement.*
- Owl Award:** Recognizes a volunteer who provides learning opportunities for girls and/or adults in Girl Scouts. This volunteer does not have to be a member of the GSOSW Trainer Corps. *Submit **two (2)** letters of endorsement.*
- Rising Star Award:** Recognizes the service of an individual who is new to Girl Scouts, has hit the ground running and has performed outstanding work within their first two years as a volunteer. *Submit **two (2)** letters of endorsement.*
- Guiding Star Award:** Recognizes a volunteer whose performance mentoring troops/groups merits recognition by the service unit. *Submit **two (2)** letters of endorsement.*

## Candidate For Award (Use **one** form per nominee)

Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_ Girl Scout Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ SU#: \_\_\_\_\_ Troop#: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

## Endorsements

**All letters of endorsement must accompany this form when submitted to the service unit manager.**

Letters of endorsement should include 150-200 words explaining the reason for endorsing this person for the award, information/list on the impact and results of the candidate's actions, how the candidate went above and beyond the expectations for their volunteer position (if applicable), and how the endorser is familiar with the candidate's performance and contribution to GSOSW.

Nominator #1: \_\_\_\_\_ Girl Scout Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ SU#: \_\_\_\_\_ Troop#: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Nominator #2: \_\_\_\_\_ Girl Scout Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ SU#: \_\_\_\_\_ Troop#: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City/State/ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_