

# REPORT OF THE NOMINATING COMMITTEE

## June 24, 2025

**To: Voting Members**

**From: Council Nominating Committee**

**Chair** – Michael Turzai

**Members** – Scott Hardy, Rick Hillenbrand, Paul Pigman, Dean Pontius, and James Tracy  
Todd McGregor (Secretary to the Committee)

### **For ELECTION to the Council**

The Nominating Committee of the Laurel Highlands Council, Scouting America would like to submit the following as its slate for a one-year term or until the next Council Annual Business Meeting.

#### **I. EMERITUS Members**

The local council may elect as emeritus members of the local council, persons whose election may further the Scouting program. Emeritus members are not elected as Board of Directors nor as Leadership Council members and shall have no vote.

#### **For ELECTION as Emeritus Members**

James Crawford

R. Michael Daniel

Richard Harshman

Scott Lammie

James Liken

C. J. Queenan

Jim Rohr

#### **II. MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL COUNCIL**

The active membership of the local council shall consist of chartered organization representatives and Leadership Council members.

Chartered organization representatives shall represent organizations or community groups operating units. Each organization or community group to which a charter is granted by the Boy Scouts of America to operate one or more recognized Scouting units shall elect or appoint a chartered organization representative, who shall be other than the unit leader or assistant unit leader, as a member of the local council.

Leadership Council members of the local council shall include persons chosen from the various business, civic, educational, labor, professional, social, and religious interests of the communities in the corporation's territory.

Additionally, members may be former members of the executive board who have served but can no longer attend regular meetings, wishing to continue their relationship with the corporation in an advisory or consulting capacity; or such other persons who, being unable to devote time to Scouting on a regular basis, wishing to serve Scouting upon special assignment.

Members of the Leadership Council shall be entitled to receive notice of and attend the annual meeting of the local council, and all regular meetings of the Executive Board upon advance written notice of attendance but shall have no vote. Those persons serving on the Leadership Council will participate on one of the functioning committees of the Leadership Council.

**For ELECTION as LEADERSHIP COUNCIL MEMBERS**

David Anderson	Steve Frank**	Ronald Lawrence	Kathleen Piccoli
Nicholas Andreycheck	Todd Fuller	Douglas Lee	Mel Pirchesky
Richard Bausher, Jr.	Andrea Geraghty	Kim Leonard	Donald G. Scandrol
Sylvester Beozzo	Kenneth Halliday	Bernard Lockard, Jr.	Fran Sehn
Patrick Corr**	Ronald Herring	Tom Lusk	Vernon Smith
Richard Daffner	Diane Hyziak	James Malaney	Brian Tedeschi
Steve Dimiceli**	James Kester	Alex Matthews**	David Thompson
Joseph Elwell, Jr.	CW Kreimer	Fr. James Orr	Craig Zender
Rob Forcey	Norman Krumenacker	Jason Pannone	

**III. Council MEMBERS AT LARGE and BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

The board of directors of the corporation shall consist of not fewer than 25 nor more than 50 members elected by the local council from among its active members.

Robert Baldini	Aubrey Glover	Dean Pontius
Carl "Buck" Belt	W. Scott Hardy	George Robinson, II
Katherine Berquist	Kim Harkobusic	Ted Rogers
Jack Boyde	Frederick Hillenbrand	Rupesh Santoshi
Mark Breedlove	Dan Koller	Douglas Schwab
Nathan Catanese	Anastasiya Maksakova	Daniel Seibel
Brian Collery*	Michael McKay	Robert Thomas
Roger Dickhans	Kevin McManus	James Tracy
David Down	Eric Newman	Michael Turzai
Kevin Flannery	Heidi Ondek	Daniel Zimmer
John Glaneman*	Paul Pigman, Jr.	

**Youth Member:**

Elena Miller, Order of the Arrow Chief *(Term is January 1, 2025 through December 31, 2025)*

*\*New Member to the Board of Directors // \*\*District Chair – new to Leadership Council*

**IV. Recommended as Council Commissioner**

Daniel Zimmer

**V. For ELECTION as Council President**

Paul Pigman, Jr.

**VI. OFFICERS**

The officers of the corporation shall be a President and/or Chair, up to five (5) Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, a Council Commissioner, and a Scout Executive who shall also fill the office of Secretary. The officers, with the exception of the Scout Executive, shall be elected annually by the Nominating Committee to serve for one year or until their successors have been elected and qualified.

Any vacancies that exist in these offices between annual meetings of the local council may be filled by the Nominating Committee. Nominations to fill vacancies shall be made by the Nominating Committee. The Scout Executive shall be appointed by and shall serve at the pleasure of the Board of Directors.

**For ELECTION as OFFICERS of the COUNCIL and BOARD of DIRECTORS:**

**Council President:** Paul Pigman

