



EAGLE SCOUT RANK AWARD CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE REQUEST

EAGLE CANDIDATE: _____ UNIT NUMBER: _____

Dear Friend of Scouting:

The above candidate for the rank of Eagle Scout has submitted your name as a reference.

Bearing in mind that the Scouting Movement challenges in our youth the finest type of character and citizenship, would you please take a few moments to write a personal reference letter addressing the following issues: Accepts Trust and Responsibility, Leadership Qualities, Example for the Good Influence on other youth, Willingness to help Others, Respect and Courtesy, Punctuality, Cheerfulness, and Tolerance towards those who differ with his opinion. From your knowledge, has the candidate lived up to the Scout Oath and Scout Law, as printed below in his daily life?

Oath On my honor, I will do my best to do my duty to god and my country; to obey the Scout Law; to help other people at all times; to keep myself physically strong, mentally awake, and morally straight.

Law A Scout is: Trustworthy, Loyal, Helpful, Friendly, Courteous, Kind, Obedient, Cheerful, Thrifty, Brave, Clean, Reverent

Please include how long you have known the candidate and in what capacity. Kindly be candid and honest in your appraisal of this young man. The granting of this highest award of the Boy Scouts of America, prior to the Scout being fully qualified for it, may prove detrimental to his development. It will be in the Scout's best interest if you would be impartial in this confidential reference, which will guide the Board of Review in its important decision. Kindly address anything his Board of Review can impress upon the candidate that would be of service to him. Please include your phone number in the event that the board would need to contact you.

The Eagle Scout Reference can be completed one of three ways:

1. You can request a paper copy with a pre-addressed and stamped envelope from the Eagle Candidate and mail it to the District Advancement Chairperson
2. You can fill out the Reference in a PDF and email it to the District Advancement Chairperson
3. You can visit RMCBSA.org/LifeToEagle and click the link to fill out the form online and click submit.

The Candidate's Board of Review will happen on the Last Thursday of the Month, so please allow mail time if you are sending a physical copy.

Thank You.

Yours In Scouting,

The Rocky Mountain Council Advancement Committee

For Questions or to return your reference letter , please see the contact below:

District Advancement Chairperson: _____ Phone: _____

Mailing address: _____ Email: _____

Please return immediately; action on this candidate's application awaits your reply.
CONFIDENTIAL RECOMMENDATION FOR EAGLE SCOUT AWARD
 (Not to be seen by Eagle Candidate)

To: The Eagle Board of Review

I have known the Life Scout _____, of Troop _____ for _____ years and submit the following information for your consideration, based upon my personal knowledge of him.

Please be objective and impartial in this confidential report. It will serve as an important guide to the Board of Review in consideration of the Scout's application for the Eagle Scout Award.

Please use the following letters to react to these statements: E=Excellent, G=Good, P=Poor, and U=Unknown. Please record your responses in the box to the right of the statement.

Does his best at what he attempts	
Regularly attend Religious observances	
General scholastic record in school	
Helps other people whenever possible	
Is mentally alert	
His honor can be trusted	
Is friend to all; respects different ideas and customs	
Is gentle with others, including animal life	
Cheerfully does tasks that come his way	
Participates in activities beyond Scouting	
Shares duties at home, church, school and community	
Loves and respects his country and is loyal to it	
Respects the religious convictions of others	
Regularity of school attendance	
Keeps himself physically strong	
Practices clean speech and actions	
Is loyal to his family, leaders, friends and school	
Is polite to others regardless of age or position	
Obeys rules of his home, church, school and community	
Leads others	
Carefully uses his own and other people's property	
Is a positive example of Scouting in his groups	
Is prepared to take care of an emergency situation; can handle it confidently and effectively	
Protects and conserves natural resources; carefully uses time, property and money	
Has the courage to stand up for what is right, even under the dares of threats of his peer group	

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