

Memorandum of Mutual Support



WHEREAS the Islamic Society of North America and the Boy Scouts of America have maintained a valuable and productive relationship on behalf of boys, young adults, and their families. We now enter into this agreement for the purpose of confirming a framework for a cooperative relationship under which the Islamic Society of North America and the Boy Scouts of America will assist one another in areas of mutual objectives.

WHEREAS "It is the mission of the Boy Scouts of America to prepare young people to make ethical choices over their lifetimes by instilling in them the values of the Scout Oath and Law."

WHEREAS "ISNA is an association of Muslim organizations and individuals that provides a common platform for presenting Islam, supporting Muslim communities, developing educational, social and outreach programs and fostering good relations with other religious communities, and civic and service organizations."

WHEREAS The Boy Scouts of America is desirous of lending its aid and support to the citizenship training, character development, and personal fitness of boys and young men and women through community-based organizations.

RESOLVED, the Islamic Society of North America and the Boy Scouts of America will work cooperatively with each other, within the policies and regulations of each organization, to establish and nurture Scout units as an expression of the outreach ministry of the Islamic Society of North America so that boys, young adults, and adults may grow in character, citizenship responsibility, and with the personal fitness necessary to achieve their greatest potential.

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