

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING



Between
Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity
And
Boy Scouts of America



WHEREAS *Tau Kappa Epsilon Fraternity (TKE)* and Boy Scouts of America (BSA) would like to establish a valuable and productive relationship on behalf of boys, young adults and their families for many years to come; we now enter into this Agreement for the purpose of confirming a framework for a cooperative relationship under which *TKE* and BSA will assist one another in areas of mutual interest.

WHEREAS, *TKE* is a leader in these areas:

Scholarship, character, leadership, teamwork, service, brotherhood, and provides needed skills through development of standards and training materials; and

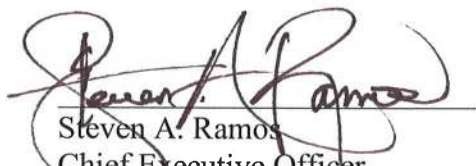
WHEREAS, *TKE* programs and chapter allow interested persons the opportunity to develop leadership skills and responsibility, experience teamwork and gain an awareness of service, philanthropy, brotherhood & education; and

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, Scout Law and Venturing Oath; and


WHEREAS 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;

BE IT RESOLVED that *TKE* and BSA will work cooperatively with each other, within the policies, procedures, safety guidelines and regulations of each organization, to establish and nurture Cub Scout Packs, Boy Scout Troops and Venturing Crews, so that boys and young men and women may grow in character, citizenship responsibility, and with the personal fitness necessary to achieve their greatest potential;

All public communications and/or announcements about this initiative, including websites of *TKE* and their respective affiliates, licensees, vendors and *TKE* will be mutually approved by both Boy Scouts of America and *TKE* before they are issued.


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Chief Executive Officer
Tau Kappa Epsilon

6-13-11
Date


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Chief Scout Executive
Boy Scouts of America