

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

## Between The General Association of General Baptists and the Boy Scouts of America



WHEREAS, the General Association of General Baptists and the 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 the General Association of General Baptists and the BSA will assist one another in areas of mutual interest.

WHEREAS, the General Association of General Baptists is a leader in these areas: personal character building, leadership development, and good citizenship; and provides needed skills through development of standards and training materials; and

WHEREAS, the General Association of General Baptists' programs and the BSA allow interested persons the opportunity to develop leadership skills and responsibility, experience teamwork, and gain an awareness of their duties to God and country; and

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;

BE IT RESOLVED that the General Association of General Baptists and the 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 boys and young men and women may grow in character and citizenship responsibility, and with the personal fitness necessary to achieve their greatest potential;

All public communications and/or announcements about this initiative will be mutually approved by both the Boy Scouts of America and the General Association of General Baptists before they are issued.

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