

Workforce Development Task Force Member Agreement

A strategic task force of top leaders in the construction and manufacturing industry is being established to inspire young adults in northern New Jersey to pursue a career in a skilled trade. The purpose of the task force is two-fold: to recruit and train a future skilled trades workforce and to raise funds necessary to deliver that program. The goal of the Northern New Jersey Council is to create key partnerships with community businesses and corporate leaders that share a common focus of **Workforce Development**.

The Workforce Development Task Force members are selected and elected as a member at large of the council because of their ability and influence to support and grow local Career Exploring programs that will engage young men and women in the Bergen, Essex, Hudson and Passaic counties.

Agreement Expectations:

- **Advise** the Executive Board on ways to better serve the youth and our communities within the council's strategic platform.
- **Invest** in local Scouting's vision by recommending a senior member of your executive team to serve as a Career Exploring Advisor.
- **Advocate** for opportunities where local Career Exploring can be a community partner for change. Promoting youth to pursue skilled trades careers.
- **Engage** other community leaders to invest their time, talent or treasure to grow the Career Exploring program.

Scouting's Promise to You:

- **Listen** to recommendations and advise that you provide to move the Scouting strategic platform forward.
- **Mobilize** to bring business and community leaders together to help young people reach their full potential.
- **Respect** your time, availability and resources when provided to maximize output to Scouting and the community.
- **Deliver** character-building experiences and mentorship that allow youth to achieve their full potential in both life and work

Meetings: Task Force members are asked to attend one annual gathering and bi-monthly 30 minute conference calls to keep working towards goals. Members are welcome to attend meetings of the Executive Board.