Award of Distinction

Troop Leader/Assistant Leader

Service Unit				
The	candid	ate meets each of the following criteria:		
Yes	No			
		Took basic leadership training (Orientation, Pathways, Program Leve Class).		
		Took at least one additional training opportunity offered by Girl Scouts San Diego or a community agency appropriate to the position (Let's camp! Troop Treasurer Self Study Guide).		
		Held regular meetings with girls.		
		Recruited other adults to assist with program activities.		
		Troop/group remained open until it reached group standard of at least two leaders/co-leaders and 12 girls (grades K-5) or six girls (grades 6-12) unless special circumstances were approved by troop operations.		
		Attended or sent a representative to service unit meetings.		
		Participated in at least one wider-than-troop activity appropriate to the age and experience of girls.		
		Held troop-planned ceremonies during the year (Investiture, Rededication, Bridging, Court of Awards).		
		Submitted annual financial report, Bank Authority Form, Activity Approval Form, and other paperwork as appropriate.		
		Kept parents involved by conducting occasional parent meetings and held at least one family event.		
		Decisions about the use and spending of money were made through our troop's system of self-government.		
		Fostered an environment of cooperation, encouragement, and engagement in line with the Girl Scout Promise and Law.		



	Followed all council procedures, policies, and standards. Aware of the Girl Scout Leadership Experience keys to leadership-Discover, Connect and Take Action. Utilized the three processes - Girl-led, Learning by Doing and Cooperative Learning in planning activities with and for the girls.		
Signature	e of Service Unit Manager	Date	
Signature	e of Recognitions Chair	Date	
Pin (Recei	ives the First Year Awarded)		
Year Tab (All criteri			

