



## 2024 COMMISSIONER CHALLENGE AWARD – Venturing/Sea Scouts

### Mandatory Requirements: *Complete all 8*

- Yes  No 1) 2024 Journey to Excellence Award: Our unit has or will meet by December 31, 2024 enough criteria to qualify for the Gold level in the Journey to Excellence Award program.  
Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 2) Turned in with on-time charter renewal: All completed and signed charter renewal forms and this Commissioner Challenge form have been turned in and accepted by the Scout office by December 1, 2024 by 5 p.m.  
Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 3) Friends of Scouting: Our unit met our 2024 District determined Friends of Scouting goal.  
**FOS Goal:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Actual:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 4) Product Sales Fundraising Goal: Our unit met our 2024 Popcorn & Scout-O-Rama fundraising goal.  
**Popcorn Goal:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Actual:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Minimum of \$125 of popcorn product/registered scout – as of January 1, 2024)*
- Yes  No 5) District or Council Volunteer: At least one member of our unit provided significant leadership/service on the District Committee or Commissioner staff or to the Council this year.  
Name of Unit volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_  
Service to District/Council: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 6) Membership Plan: Our Unit submitted a completed Membership Plan to DE/District Membership Chair by August 17, 2024. Membership plan must include at least 1 Joining Event and 1 new parent orientation.
- Yes  No 7) Scout-O-Rama: Our Unit had a booth at Scout-O-Rama.  
Booth theme: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 8) Roundtable Attendance: At least one leader from our Unit attended at least eight of the monthly Roundtables in our District. Note that this doesn't need to be the same person every month. Months attended: \_\_\_\_\_

### Elective Requirements: *Complete 4 of 7*

- Yes  No 1) As a unit participate in a non-scouting community event. ie: host a booth at a festival or fair, attend/participate in a parade.  
1. \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 2) Adult Leader or Parent volunteer at a Council/District event. – May count up to 2 events.  
1. Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Event: \_\_\_\_\_  
2. Leader: \_\_\_\_\_ Event: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 3) Unit Leadership to collaborate on a Detailed Assessment with their Unit Commissioner or District Commissioner. Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 4) Log a minimum of 2 Service Hours per youth registered as of February 1, 2024  
# of Scouts \_\_\_\_\_ # of Hours Logged \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 5) 100% Trained Direct Contact Leadership: Advisor, Committee Chair, or Skipper, Mate
- Yes  No 6) \*Sell Scout-O-Rama Camp Cards – Minimum of 2 cards per scout registered as of February 1, 2024.  
# of Scouts \_\_\_\_\_ \$ Sold \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 7) Conduct an Order of the Arrow visitation. Date: \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 8) Conduct a Camp Hi-Sierra Promotional visitation. Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**District:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Unit:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Based on review of this application:

2024 Commissioner Challenge Award achieved

-or-  2024 Commissioners Challenge Award not achieved

\_\_\_\_\_  
Unit Leader/Committee Chair

\_\_\_\_\_  
Unit Commissioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
Council Commissioner

\_\_\_\_\_  
District Executive

\_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Scout Executive

**Crews who qualify for the 2024 Commissioner Challenge are entitled to free cloth rank awards from the Scout Shop for the next charter year (January 1, 2025 – December 31, 2025) if all the requirements are completed and submitted by December 1, 2023 by 5 p.m.**

- Patches include: Star, Life, and Eagle cloth badge, Eagle recognition kit, merit badges, Venturing, Pathfinder, Discovery, and Summit recognition kits as well as Apprentice, Ordinary, Able, and Quartermaster

**\*For Crews/Ships only:** The finance goals will be calculated using the # of youth with primary registration in the crew. It is assumed that youth who are multiplied to a Troop will raise funds for the Troop.

### Tips for Completion:

- Many of the requirements listed above require advanced planning and coordination. Work with your unit committee and delegate responsibilities to ensure all measures are being met accordingly.
- Attend District Roundtable and read weekly issues of the Scouter Weekly to stay up-to-date on all council activities and programming.