

### Adult Candidate Recommendation

**Required information:**

Name _____	Phone _____ / _____
Address _____	Council/District/Troop # _____
City, State, ZIP _____	E-mail Address _____
Birth date _____	Current Position _____
BSA Registration Number _____	Occupation _____
2009 Summer Camp _____	Location _____ Dates _____

Adult members shall be elected to membership at the discretion of the lodge adult selection committee. Recommendation for induction into the Order of the Arrow of an adult Scouter should take place only when the adult’s job in Boy Scouting will make Lodge membership more meaningful in the lives of the youth membership. **Adult membership is not intended as recognition for service, achievement or tenure with the Unit.** Any candidate should show strong, ongoing commitment of direct service to youth.

**To recommend an adult, a Unit must have a proper election for youth and elect at least one youth (11-21 years of age).** One Adult per 50 active, registered youth may be recommended (Does not apply to District or Council nomination). The adult nominee must be 21 years old, or older, and a registered member of the Boy Scouts of America in a Scout Troop, District, or Council position in Clinton Valley Council. A candidate can only be considered once per year with their primary registration taking precedence.

**Unit Election Requirement**

Date of Unit Election: \_\_\_\_\_, 2009      Number of Youth Elected: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Youth Registered: \_\_\_\_\_

**Camping Requirement**

The camping requirement, which applies to youth candidates, applies to adults. The adult must have experienced fifteen days and nights of Boy Scout camping during the two-year period prior to the election. The fifteen days and nights must include one long-term camp consisting of six consecutive days and five nights of resident camping, approved and under the auspices and standards of the Boy Scouts of America. Only one long term camp can be considered, the balance of the camping must be overnight, weekend or other short-term camping.

<b>Resident Camp:</b>	Scout Camp	Date	Number of days/nights
	_____	_____	_____

<b>Short-term Camp:</b>	Date	Number of days/nights	Location
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

**Commitment to youth, Scouting and the Lodge: (Attach addition sheet if needed)**

Since the Order of the Arrow is principally a youth organization, why should this adult be considered for membership?

How will this adult help fulfill the purpose of the Order of the Arrow and the principles set forth in the Scout Oath or Promise and the Scout Law?

How will this adult assist the Lodge in promoting a youth outdoor program in their unit, district, and council?

How will this adult provide a positive example for the growth and development of the youth members of the lodge, especially in the habit of helpfulness into a life purpose of leadership in cheerful service to others?

*The Recommendation will be denied without consideration IF:*

- The **Recommendation** form does not carry the signature of the Troop Committee Chairman/Scoutmaster. (Only the District Chairman, Council President, members of the professional staff, or lodge advisor can submit district or council nominations)
- The **Recommendation** form is not received at the Scout Service Center prior to **April 15, 2009.**

Today's date \_\_\_\_\_ Committee Chairman/Scoutmaster: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Person to inform of **Selection Committee's** decision:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

City, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mail/Deliver the original in a sealed envelope to the Lodge Advisor / Staff Advisor at the Council Service Center no later than April 15, 2009.**

\*\*\*\*\* WARNING \*\*\*\*\*WARNING\*\*\*\*\* WARNING \*\*\*\*\* WARNING\*\*\*\*\*

**This recommendation does not automatically entitle the nominee for membership into the Order of the Arrow. Do not schedule this individual for a Call Out Ceremony until you have confirmation of their selection.**

(NOTE: A Call Out Ceremony is not required to take the Ordeal.)

**Send Recommendation to:**  
Chippewa Lodge Advisor / Staff Advisor  
Clinton Valley Council, BSA  
1100 County Center Drive West  
Waterford, MI 48328

For Lodge use:  
**Adult Selection Committee:**  
Selected: \_\_\_\_\_  
Not Selected: \_\_\_\_\_  
Selection Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Unit Notification Date: \_\_\_\_\_