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SUGGESTION FOR 2014 NATIONAL COUNCIL DISCUSSION TOPIC

Name of Girl Scout Council Girl Scouts of Virginia Skyline

City Roanoke State Virginia

TITLE OF DISCUSSION TOPIC

Outdoor policy

STATEMENT OF TOPIC, QUESTION, OR ISSUE

We (Girl Scouts) are the pacesetter for developing girl outdoor leadership.

REASONS

Girl Scouts provide an industry standard for outdoor programming. GSUSA safety activity checkpoint guidelines include Water Sports 13; Land Sports 17, and Camping Activities 6. GSUSA should promote what Girl Scouts do well. Girl Scouts would be recognized for taking the lead in outdoor leadership. GSUSA would continue to provide safety checkpoint guidelines to meet the girl requests for "new" sports: windsurfing, skateboarding and geocaching. Girl Scouts adults would provide girls leadership opportunities in the outdoors.

Name of chair, or secretary, council board of directors _____

Date of council board meeting _____

On or before October 18, 2013, email to: NCagenda@girlscouts.org
Or mail form to: Office of the National Board of Directors, Girl Scouts of the USA, 420 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10018-2798.

Submission Deadline: October 18, 2013

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