

OA Adult Nomination Form (Age 21 and older)

READ: Each year, upon holding a unit election for youth candidates, which results in at least one youth candidate being elected, the unit committee may recommend to the lodge one registered unit adult, 21 years of age or older, for every 50 active, registered youth members or fraction thereof. The lodge adult selection committee or designates, with the approval of the Scout executive, will decide who will be candidates for induction provided the following conditions are fulfilled. 1) Selection of the adult is based on the ability to perform the necessary functions to help the Order fulfill its purposes and is not for recognition of service, including current and prior achievements and positions. 2) The individual will be an asset to the Order because of demonstrated abilities that fulfill the purpose of the Order. 3) The camping requirements set forth for youth members are fulfilled. 4) The adult leader's membership will provide a positive role model for the growth and development of the youth members of the lodge.

Circle One:	TROOP	TEAM	DISTRICT/COUNCIL	Home Phone	_____
Unit Number	_____	Bus. Phone	_____		
District	_____	Wood Badge	_____		
Nominee's Position	_____	Scouter's Key	_____		
Last Name	_____	Scout as a Youth	_____		
First Name	_____	Highest Rank:	_____		
Middle Name	_____	Years registered as an Adult:	_____		
Address	_____	Position(s) held:	_____		
City	_____	Church Activities:	_____		
Zip	_____	Vocation:	_____		
Birth date: (Month, Day, Year)	_____	Special Interest:	_____		

NOMINATOR: The following conditions are the basis for this person's selection and **MUST** be completed to be considered. You, not the nominee, must make a brief statement regarding the individual for each item.

1. Selection of the adult is based upon ability to perform the necessary functions and not for recognition of service, including current or prior achievement and position. The individual's abilities include: _____

2. This adult will be an asset to the Order due to demonstrated skills and abilities, which fulfill the purpose of the Order, in the following manner: _____

3. The camping requirements that apply for youth candidates apply to adult candidates and must have been fulfilled within the most recent two years prior to recommendation for membership. The requirement, which is a minimum of fifteen days and nights of camping under the auspices and standards of the Boy Scouts of America, including six consecutive days and nights of long term camping, was fulfilled as follows (list events/dates): _____

4. The adult leader's membership will provide a positive role model for the growth and development of the youth members of the lodge because: _____

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Nominee's Statement of Commitment

The nominee for candidacy must complete the following section to indicate a willingness to be an asset to the Order. As a candidate for membership in the Order of the Arrow, I commit to perform the following task(s) to assist the Order to fulfill its purposes if I am accepted:

(Attach a separate page if more space is needed)

Nominee's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Nominee's email address (print): _____



Troop, Team, District & Council Nominator(s)

The adult Scouter herein described, who fulfills the aforementioned requirements, is nominated for membership consideration in the Order of the Arrow. **By signing below, I understand and will communicate to the nominee:**

1. They are considered a nominee until approved by the Lodge Adviser and Great Lakes Council Scout Executive; at which time the nominee will become a candidate for the Order of the Arrow.
2. The nominee can only participate in a Call-out ceremony and Ordeal event after they become a candidate.
3. The approval process takes approximately three weeks, sometimes longer. The time estimate is based on when the Chapter Adviser approves the nomination and sends it to the Lodge Adviser. **PLAN ACCORDINGLY!!!**
4. The nominee should expect an interview, either in person or by phone, with the Lodge Adviser or his designate.

_____	_____	_____
Unit Leader signature (unless nominee)	Unit Committee Chairman signature (unless nominee)	Date
Phone: _____	Phone: _____	

OR;

_____	_____	_____
District or Council Signature	Position/Phone	Date



Adult Selection Committee: Selected ___ Not Selected ___

Comments:

Authorizing Signature & Date

Chapter Adviser: _____ **Selection Chairman (opt):** _____

Lodge Adviser: _____ **Lodge Staff Adviser (opt):** _____

Scout Executive: _____