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Girl Scouts: Bethany Scriven & Leann Byrne





Meredith Manning

Board Chair, Girl Scouts of South Carolina—Mountains to Midlands

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Annual Meeting Task Force

Tammy Asplund Carla Brewer Christy Ehlers Frances Griggs Karen Kelly Katharine Harbison Lora Tucker Michelle White Shawn Williams



Procedures Delegates Only

Motions
Discussion
Vote



Practice Vote

• Text 1 for YES

• Text 2 for NO

Pledge of Allegiance Girl Scout Promise & Law





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Community Partner Award









Speaker: Ashley Forte, Central Division Operations Manager at Dominion Energy





Community Partner Award









Leslee A. Temple



National Board Member, Girl Scouts of the United States of America

Credentials Report

Approval of Minutes 2020



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GSUSA Movement Strategy

BY 2025, GIRL SCOUTS WILL BE 2 MILLION GIRLS STRONG.

STRATEGIC VISION

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We provide a connected, high-value experience that mobilizes champions of girls, represents all communities and gives girls a platform to change the world.



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Agenda



Annual Business Meeting

- 1. Treasurer's Report
- 2. Stewardship Report
- 3. Election of Board Members
- 4. Election of National Council Delegates
- 5. Proposed Bylaw Revisions





Mary Anne Fitzpatrick

Board Treasurer, GSSC-MM

Financial Position

FY2021 Financials

Income (Total)	
Contributions, Grants, Fundraising Events	\$ 580,942
United Way	79,394
Product Sales	2,847,715
Programs	186,621
Shop & Trading Post	72,378
Interest & Investment Income	439,234
Other	100,264
Other - Forgiveness of Stimulus Loan	467,000
Total Income	\$ 4,773,547

Expense			
Program related		\$	3,819,689
Management			305,998
Fundraising			563,556
	Total Expenses	\$4	,689,242

Surplus (Deficit)	\$	84,305
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Non-cash items (included above)	
Net Gain/(Loss)	\$ 387,308
Depreciation	\$ 371,928

Change in Assets	
Net Assets, Beginning/yr	\$ 10,846,405
Net Assets, Ending/yr	\$ 10,930,710





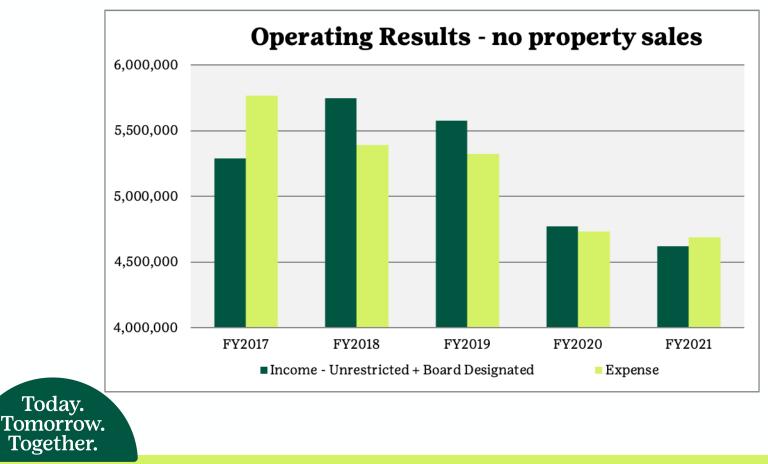
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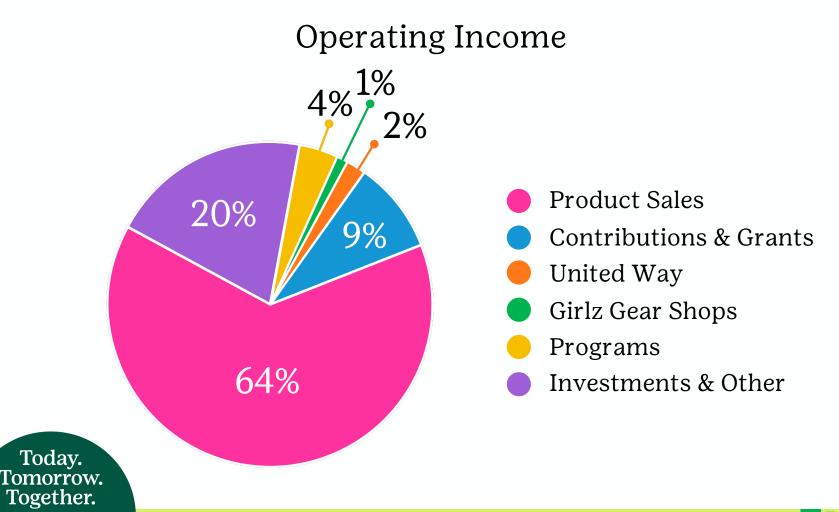
- Cathy Novinger Girl Scout Leadership Center: **\$118,795**
- Camp Mary Elizabeth: **\$42,850**



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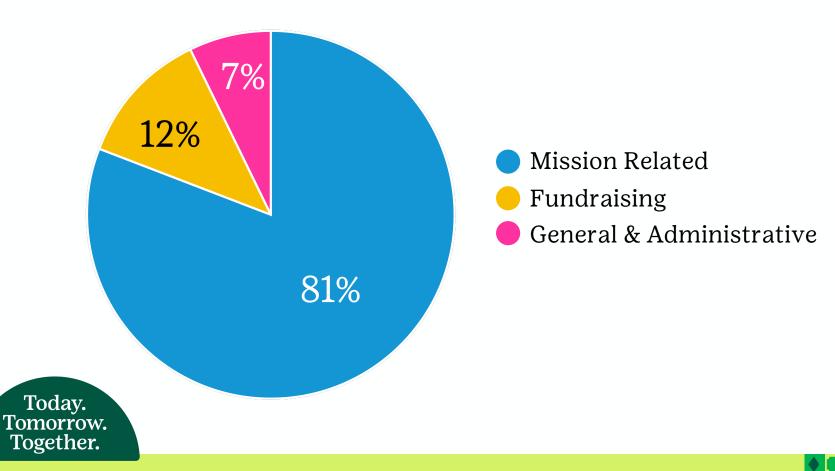
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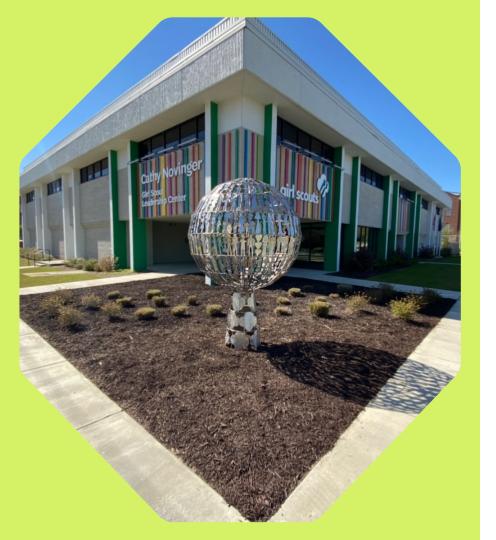






Expenses





Cathy Novinger Girl Scout Leadership Center Refinance

December 2021

• Interest rate reduced from 4.75% to **3.12%**

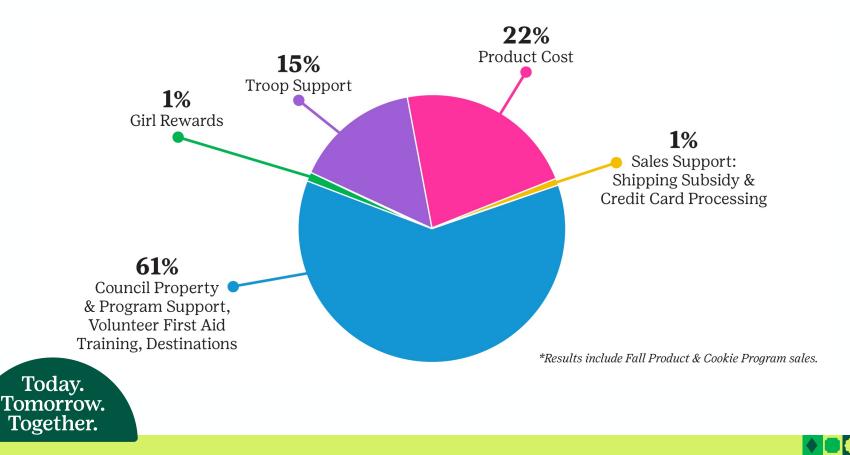


Challenges

Membership
Fundraising

Financial Position

GSSC-MM Product Sales



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Lora Tucker CEO, GSSC-MM



Stewardship Report

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Stewardship Report

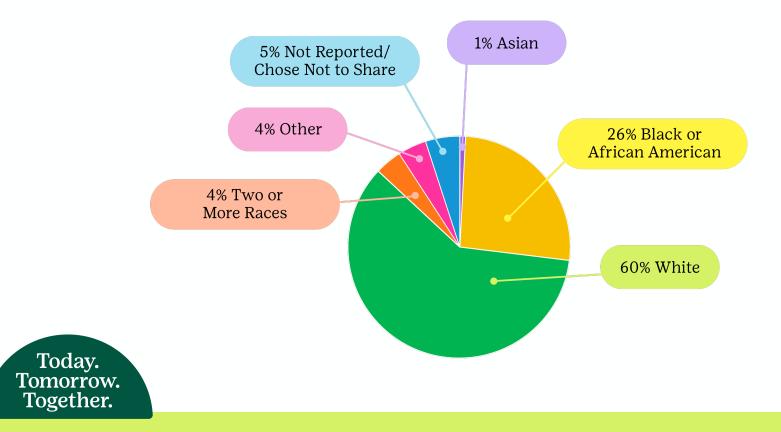


Stewardship Report: Reach & Retain More Girls

In 2021, we served: **5,208** girls & **2,604** adults



Stewardship Report: Reach & Retain More Girls Membership:



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Stewardship Report: Program

- Virtual
- In-person



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Stewardship Report: Program

Signature Events

- Back in the Woods
- Carolina Camporee





Stewardship Report: Program

Overnights Partnerships:

- SC State Museum
- League of Women Voters
- Junior League





Stewardship Report: Program

- Summer Resident Camp: **340** campers
- Summer Day Camp: 207 campers





Stewardship Report: Product Program

- **3,267** Girl Scouts participated
- **878,268** packages sold
- **268** per girl average
- 11,988 Cookies for Soldiers
- \$76,545 in Cookie Dough
- \$652,497 earned by troops





- **7,590** cases closed
- **19.6** business hours





- **24%** of cases regarded Registrations/Reservations
- 9% of cases related to Retail
- **7%** of cases related to Product Programs
- **6%** of cases were general inquiries
- The remaining cases concerned various topics such as IT, donations, etc.

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Stewardship Report: Transform Volunteer Experience

- **67%** Conversion Rate
- **1,332** Online Registration Process

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Retail: Girlz Gear Shops

- In-store
- Pre-orders
- Curbside





Retail: Girlz Gear Shops

- **18%** over budget in-store
- **37%** surplus online







VS 2.0

- Member registration
- Troop planning and participation
- Volunteer training and onboarding
- Event registration



Cloud	Star Green	Sky	Lilac	Bubblegum	Peach	Khaki	Sunshine
R3B	R0B	RGB	RGB	ROB	ROB	RGB	RGB
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TCX 12-4300	TCX 13-0645	TCX 12-4401	TCX 14-3612	TCX 15-2213	TCX 13-1022	TCX 14-0925	TCX 12-0642
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TCX 19-0840	TCX 19-6027	TCX 19-4049	TCX 19-3638	TCX 19-2434	TCX 18-1552	TCX 18-1541	TCX 18-1160

Point of View

When we write for:	Our point of view is:		
Younger girls	We're their champion		
Older girls	We're their champion		
Volunteers	We're their support system.		
Parents/Caregivers	We're their girl's devoted advocate.		
Alum	We're their lifelong community.		
Partners	We're champions of girl ambition.		

Stewardship Report: Relevant Brand

- Visual and Verbal Refresh
- Staff training 100%







Introducing Our New Newsletters: Girl Talk & It's About the Journey Parents, Troop Leaders, Volunteers, Girls

Thank you to everyone who sent in name submissions for our new newsletter. We appreciate your time and creativity. After much discussion and consideration, we have chosen "It's About The Journey" as the name for our new program newsletter!

As a reminder, the G.I.R.L. Talk newsletter will be split into two newsletters going forward. The frequency will be the same as G.I.R.L Talk, and we will rotate these newsletters every two weeks. If you were subscribed to G.I.R.L Talk, you will receive both newsletters each month. Today's newsletter, now called Girl Talk, contains news on our girls, licensing updates, adult trainings, and more. It's



Stewardship Report: Relevant Brand

Communications survey Segmented communication

- It's About The Journey
- Girl Talk



Stewardship Report: Relevant Brand

girl scouts of south carolina mountains to midlands



Fun with friends. New adventures. Making a difference. You're ready to go.

See for yourself what Girl Scouts has to offer. Check out Girl Scouts of South Carolina—Mountains to Midlands.

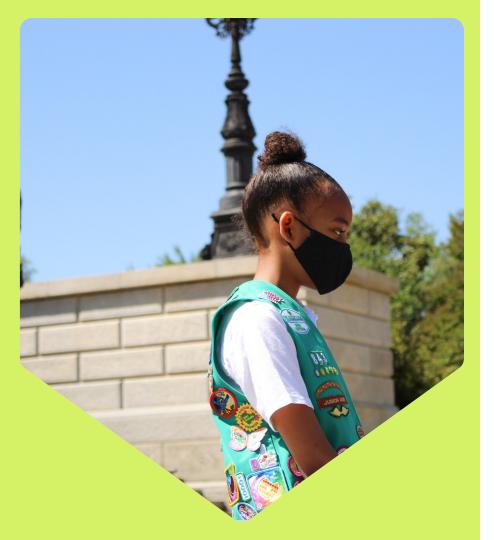
Are you in K5–5th grade? Do you want to join a troop at Morris Chapel Baptist Church today? Text **MORRIS** to **864-980-9976**, email **jbowling@gssc-mm.org**, or scan the QR code below for more information.

Join us today at gssc-mm.org

Trackable QR codes on recruitment flyers



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Stewardship Report: Relevant Brand

- Annual Business Meeting 2020
- Legislator welcome letter and GS Agenda
- Page week honorary guests virtually
- Messaging
- Media Opportunities/PR
- Joint Events with Partners
- Fund Development Events
- Internship Program development
- Multiple videos for the CNGSLC, camps, and girl testimonials

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Stewardship Report: Strengthen & Diversify Revenue

- Sweet Weekend
- Grant funding
 - My Best Self
- GEM (Giving Every Month)







Stewardship Report: Strengthen & Diversify Revenue

Financial Aid:

- **700** girls
- **200** uniforms
- **62** camp experiences
- **3** college scholarships





Stewardship Report: Effective Operations

- Hybrid Schedule
- Staff check-ins
- Staff surveys



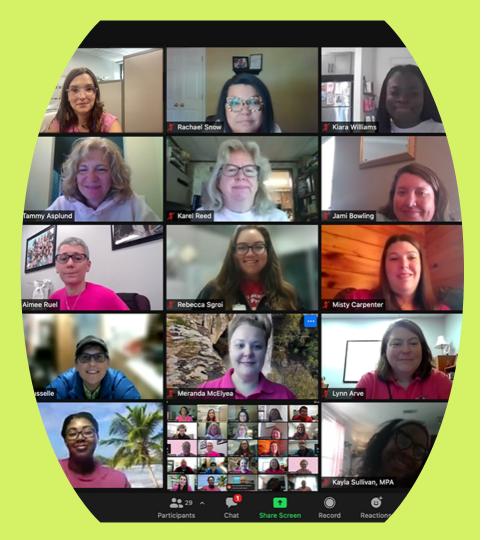


Stewardship Report: Effective Operations

Scheduled trainings

- Group
- Individual





Stewardship Report: Effective Operations

Staff turnover

- MY 2021: **34%**
 - 8 new employees
- MY 2020: **32%**





Stewardship Report: DEIRJ

- Certified training
- DEI Resource Group



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Governance Committee

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Governance Committee Members

Kavita Borsum Debbie Hamm Maggie Meekins Meredith Manning Leigh Ann Puryear Courtney Thomas



Proposed Bylaw Change Summary

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Article III

Replace "delegates at large appointed by the board.." National delegates are voting members



Article III

Add clarification: 10 days for nomination from the floor



Article VI

Add Alternates section



Entire Document

Remove capitalization on items that are not proper nouns



Motion Discussion Vote



Nominating Committee

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Nominating Committee Members

Bridget Bennon-Lytton Latrice Johnson (committee chair) Valinda Littlefield Meredith Manning Lesley Moore Michel Stone



Slate 3-year term 2022-2024

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Members at Large: 1st Term



Travis Faulds *Columbia*

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Kristen Horne *Columbia*



Robert (Will) Kennemur *Columbia*

Members at Large: 2nd Term



Rhonda Hunt Simpsonville



Leigh Ann Puryear *Greenville*

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Members at Large: 3rd Term



Jacquelyn (Jackie) Blakley Anderson



Frances Griggs *Camden*



Carolyn Harbison *Spartanburg*



Members at Large: 3rd Term



Maggie Meekins *Columbia*



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Election

National Council Delegates

- Our Board chair
- Violet Dobbins
- Bethany Leslie
- Rowan Tinker
- Valorie Vance-Kraus

And alternates:

- CEO Lora Tucker
- Board's Governance Committee chair
- Kyra McIver
- Rosalia Martinez-Brandon



Election

Installation

Congratulations!

Thank you for your service:



Board Members: Ruth Cate Gloria Close Debbie Hamm Latrice Johnson Meredith Manning Lesley Moore Phyllis Ward Rich **Robin Stack Courtney Thomas**

Thank you for your service:

National Council Delegates: Bethany Bagwell Tanya Bowman Ashley Dye Debbie Hamm Meredith Manning Lauren Stover Laurie Summerfield And alternates: Stephanie Wofford Manly Summerfield **Rose Washington**



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