



169th Glen Allan

Brian Cottell Group Commissioner
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September 30th, 2016

Office of Elected Officials
Strathcona County
2001 Sherwood Drive
Sherwood Park, AB.
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To Whom It May Concern,

On behalf of the four community-based Scout Groups within Strathcona County, I am pleased to present the attached request for Council Priority Funding. The 169th Glen Allan Scout Group in conjunction with the 193rd Village on the Lake Scout Group, the 203rd Sherwood Park Scout Group and the 153 Ardrossan Scout Group will be undertaking the Respect © Training Program for Scout Leaders - a program which when similarly rolled out for baseball, soccer and other youth-focused sporting programs, saw dramatic reduction in instances of bullying, abuse, harassment and discrimination (BAHD).

This valuable program has recently been identified to us by Scouts Canada as *required training* for all Scouters currently enrolled in the 2016 / 2017 program which commenced September 1st, 2016. Unfortunately, this requirement came after we had already established our operating budgets for the year. Recognizing the immediate need for this training and not wanting to adversely impact the *active and accredited* status of our numerous volunteer leaders, we respectfully request you consider this proposal for funding assistance.

Should you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me personally at my number or e-mail address offered below.

Sincerely,

(Original Signed By)

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Group Commissioner
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Cc; Councillor Brian Botterill – Ward 3
Councillor David Anderson – Ward 2



Strathcona County Scout Groups
Request for Funding Assistance
Roll-out of RESPECT TRAINING PROGRAM for Scouters

Enclosure I

BUDGET

Group Name

No. of Scouters	Price per Course GST incl.	Totals
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169th Glen Allan

43	\$ 31.50	\$ 1,354.50
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193rd Village on the Lake

22	\$ 31.50	\$ 693.00
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203rd Sherwood Park

18	\$ 31.50	\$ 567.00
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153rd Ardrossan

15	\$ 31.50	\$ 472.50
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	TOTAL	\$ 3,087.00
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