



## Gulf Ridge Council Boy Scouts of America James E. West Fellowship Application

James E. West was appointed to the position of Chief Scout Executive in 1910 by the founding leadership of Scouting in America. On January 2, 1911, West and others formed the National Council, BSA. During that year the Scout Oath, Law, badges of rank, and fundamental policies were established. Under his leadership over the next 33 years, Scouting grew and matured into the program we recognize and enjoy today.

The *James E. West Fellowship Award* is a recognition authorized by the National Council, BSA and presented by the Gulf Ridge Council to individuals or organizations who contribute \$1,000 or more in cash or marketable securities to the council endowment fund. This contribution is in addition to, and should not diminish or replace, the donor's annual gift to the council's Friends-of- Scouting Campaign. Organizations or individuals may contribute an award in honor of someone or in memory of a departed loved one. Those who are recognized by the *James E. West Fellowship Award* will cast their own "lengthened shadow" as they help ensure the Scouting legacy by helping create the financial stability needed to carry Scouting into the next century.

### ***Biographical Information Of Nominee***

(Please print clearly or type)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

(Name as you would like it to appear on the certificate)

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone Number (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_ (email) \_\_\_\_\_

Nomination in honor of \_\_\_\_\_

(Eagle Scout, Silver Beaver, Graduation, Retirement, Scouting Service, In-Memory of, etc.)

This nomination/award is intended as a surprise to the recipient. Please do not send notification.

***Nominated By***

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone number (H) \_\_\_\_\_ (B) \_\_\_\_\_

Cash payment in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ or Marketable Securities in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

This is an anonymous gift. I do not wish for the nominee to be informed of the gift source.

Return Application and payment to: Gulf Ridge Council, BSA

13228 N Central Avenue

Tampa, FL 33612

Please allow up to 60 days for processing.

Only one name may be listed on the certificate for the minimum gift of \$1,000.