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BALTIMORE AREA COUNCIL

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Scouting Friends, Family and Supporters:

As we continue to monitor developments in the coronavirus outbreak and the safety directives issued by the State of Maryland and local authorities, the Baltimore Area Council COVID-19 Task Force has recommended extending our current amended operations through May 31. Specifically:

- **The Council Service Center will remain closed to customers, and our council staff will continue to be available to provide service via email, phone and videoconferencing.**
- **Our Baltimore City and Dorsey Road Scout Shops will also remain closed. We are working diligently to support the reopening of the Bel Air Scout Shop on May 27 with limited hours. More information will be forthcoming.**
- **Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation will remain closed to all activities/camping.**
- **All council- and district-sponsored events remain postponed.**
- **Summer Camp programs at Broad Creek Memorial Scout Reservation are slated to be held as scheduled; updates will be provided as operational information and guidelines from the CDC and Health Department are made available.**

We are continually encouraged and inspired by the countless uplifting stories from Scouts and Scouters across Central Maryland who carry on with our program and our mission despite circumstances out of our control. Please continue to share Scouting's good deeds and creative program implementation on social media using hashtag #ScoutingContinuesBAC.

At-home and virtual Scouting program ideas are available at www.baltimoreBSA.org/ScoutingAtHome.

Continual updates are available at www.baltimoreBSA.org/COVID-19.

Thank you for your support and dedication to Scouting's continued success. We look forward to gathering together again as soon as we are able.

Yours in Scouting,

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