SPECIAL REQUEST

TO: Store Manager, Business Owner

FROM: Spencer Page, Scout Executive/CEO Gulf Coast Council, Boy Scouts of America

RE: Your support of local Scouting Programs

The Gulf Coast Council serves more than 8000 youth and adult members in the Florida Panhandle and South Alabama. Our members represent more than 150 different charter partners throughout the region who use Scouting as an outreach to youth in your community.

The Scouting program is open to all youth and attempts to meet its’ mission of instilling character and life skills in its members by offering outdoor activities which challenge young people to become their best as they learn leadership and teamwork.

As you can imagine, it takes funding to be able to accomplish this mission.

Each year, the Gulf Coast Council organizes an annual POPCORN SALE which our scout units can use to raise much needed fees for their program year and help support our local scout camping facilities. This is an official Council fundraiser.

On behalf of our members, I would ask that you consider allowing a unit to set up a sale location in front of your location. Your commitment to the community and willingness to allow them to set up will help them to raise needed funds in a safe and local environment.

The Gulf Coast Council is a 501c3 organization and our scouts are covered under our insurance for liability and accidents. We can provide documentation to you upon request.

Allowing our unit to sell in front of your business will help with their success and show your support to a program that is important to the growth of our communities.

Thank you for your consideration.