

2011 National Convention



November 10–13, 2011

National Delegate Information

The Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa & Western Illinois will begin electing delegates to represent the council at the 52nd National Convention in Houston, Texas that will be held November 10–13, 2011.

National Delegates for Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa & Western Illinois have the opportunity to attend and participate in meetings of the national body, represent local views, and take actions that are in the best interest of the Girl Scout movement throughout the nation. This is a chance to raise your hand and let your voice be heard!

The number of delegates a council is allowed is determined by a membership based formula. The Girl Scouts of Eastern Iowa & Western Illinois will elect 7 National Delegates for 2011. The application process will begin in May, 2010. An election committee will review the applications and present a slate of nominees to be voted on at the Annual meeting in November 2010. If elected, a delegate will represent the council for a three-year term.

It is important for us to have representation from all corners of our council. We urge you to seriously consider applying to be a delegate to the National Convention. If you have an interest in the future of this organization and helping us to keep it strong for another 100 years, then please consider this a great opportunity to get your voice heard. This will be an historic convention, as it will be the kick-off to the 100th Anniversary Celebration of the Girl Scouts.

All volunteers and girls who will be 14 years of age by September 30, 2011 are eligible to apply. Applications are available online at www.GSEIWI.org, or by contacting your local council office. Application deadline is October 1, 2010.

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