



## Residential Agreement Form

Typically, GSUSA recommends that troop meetings not be held in private homes for numerous safety, health, and liability reasons. This includes the current pandemic which creates an additional level of risk exposure to and from other individuals residing in a home. However, due to the outcomes of the pandemic a home meeting space may be a temporary option, until locations become more available. In addition to the current guidelines and paperwork, the residence should have no elderly or immune compromised family members present during Girl Scout meetings.

Troop Leader/Responsible Adult: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Troop #'s for all troops you lead : \_\_\_\_\_

Community Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Troop meeting address: \_\_\_\_\_

Will this be a new location or an existing location?      New                              Existing

**Please acknowledge that you have read and understand the following safety guidelines and communicate them to all adults.**

- ✓ All meetings must be approved prior to the start of the meetings by the Community Safety Coordinator
- ✓ The home must be the home of registered, background checked, council approved Volunteer. This does not need to be the Troop Leader.
- ✓ All other adults in the home must be registered members and have a favorable Background Check if they will be in contact or within the same area of the girls.
- ✓ Girls may not meet in a home where a registered sex offender lives.
- ✓ Animals should be kept in a place that is separate from the meeting space.
- ✓ Homeowners should consider any personal homeowner insurance implications.
- ✓ The Homeowner should ask their Homeowner's insurance carrier if there are any insurance exclusions regarding holding troop meetings at the home, in the event an accident or injury occurs.
- ✓ Weapons must be completely out of view and stored in a locked space.
- ✓ Medication, dangerous cleaning products, or any poisonous substance must be stored in a secure space out of sight, preferably locked.
- ✓ Ensure that all guidelines are followed including any specific health and safety guidance specifically for the current COVID Community Level

I have read and acknowledge all of the above guidelines for residential home meetings.

Volunteer Name Printed/Typed : \_\_\_\_\_

Volunteer Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_