Middle Tennessee Council Scouting America Council Committees

<u>COMMISSIONER</u> – A commissioner works directly with one or more of the over 400 MTC units (Packs, Troops, Posts, Crews, Ships, Labs) to support the leaders and Scouts in providing a robust program that achieves the mission of Scouting

FINANCE COMMITTEE – The MTC Finance Committee ensures the MTC is financially stable and has the financial support to ensure a high-quality program for the Scouts and volunteer leaders. This committee also helps build the Council's yearly operational budget.

<u>DISTRICT</u> <u>OPERATIONS</u> <u>COMMITTEE</u> — The MTC District Operations Committee is charged with providing support and oversite to the 13 districts in the MTC. The MTC Districts are service areas within the Council that are directed by a district committee that supports the units within the districts. This includes training and support through finance, membership, and program.

<u>PROGRAM COMMITTEE</u> – The MTC Program Committee ensures the MTC provides exciting, safe, and high-quality programs that help units achieve the Scouting mission.

<u>ADMINISTRATION</u> – The MTC Administration Committee is responsible for building and implementing the Council's Strategic Plan. This committee also addresses projects related to the administration of the MTC.

<u>MEMBERSHIP</u> – The MTC Membership Committee is responsible for building and executing the MTC's yearly membership plan. This includes recruiting more youth and families to the Scouting programs as well as organizing new Scouting programs where they are needed.

<u>MARKETING</u> – The MTC Marketing Committee functions as the principal advisor to the Council Scout Executive on crisis management, public relations and all other forms of marketing.

<u>SCOUTREACH COMMITTEE</u> — The MTC Scoutreach Committee works to ensure sustainable Scouting units and programs are offered to disadvantaged youth throughout the Council. This committee also makes an intentional effort to reach out to minority youth and families.

<u>AUDIT COMMITTEE</u> – The MTC Audit Committee reviews and approves the Council's annual financial audit. The committee presents the annual MTC Financial Audit to the Executive Board. The audit committee also addresses any potential audits of council operations and finances.

STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) The MTC STEM Committee works to ensure the STEM Scouts program is fulfilling its mission and goals. This committee also provides guidance and support on ways to incorporate STEM in existing traditional Scouting programs.

<u>PROPERTIES COMMITTEE</u> – The MTC Properties Committee provides leadership and guidance to the maintenance and development of all Council Properties.

TRAINING COMMITTEE – The MTC Training Committee ensures there are robust and well-led training programs for all adults and youth. The committee is also charged with scheduling and securing leadership for all Council level training courses. The Training Committee supports the District Training Committee through communications and updates regarding potential changes and Council's training curriculum.

<u>ACTIVITIES AND CIVIC SERVICE COMMITTEE</u> – This committee ensures that the MTC is providing opportunities for exciting activities and service projects for all the Council units.

<u>ADVANCEMENT COMMITTEE</u> – The Advancement Committee is responsible for ensuring that Scouts earning their Eagle rank meet the requirements of the award. The committee works to ensure that there are advancement opportunities for Scouts throughout the year

<u>CAMPING COMMITTEE</u> – Promote the annual MTC summer camping programs for Cub Scouts, Scouts BSA, Venturing, Exploring STEM Scouts, and Sea Scouts at all MTC camps. The committee supports MTC camp directors in organizing and maintaining strong camping programs at all camps.

<u>RISK MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE</u> — The MTC Risk Management Committee's job is to make sure that camping facilities are safe, meet local and state laws as well as National BSA policies and standards. The committee also ensures

that strict youth protection policies are being supported and upheld with all Scouting programs.

FRIENDS OF SCOUTING COMMITTEE – The Friends of Scouting Committee ensures that the largest income source in the Council's yearly budget has the leadership and support to meet the budgeted goal.

ENDOWMENT COMMITTEE – The Endowment Committee gives leadership and support to growing the Council's endowment fund. The committee is also responsible for the annual Heritage Society Dinner that recognizes donors to the MTC Endowment.

<u>STRATEGIC PLAN COMMITTEE</u> – The Strategic Plan Committee is charged with developing and implementing a strategic plan for the MTC that focuses on strategic goals and plans that will accomplish the mission of the Council.

EXPLORING COMMITTEE – The MTC Exploring Committee provides leadership and support to the Council's Exploring Posts and Council Exploring Programs. The committee also works to organizing new Explorer Posts throughout the Council.

<u>SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE</u> – The MTC Special Events Committee works on one or more of the Council's Special Events. This includes the annual golf tournament, extravaganza (auction) and sporting clays.

<u>HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITEE</u> – The MTC Health and Safety Committee works closely with the Council's Risk Management Committee to review and protect health and safety concerns with all Council and unit programs. The main objective is to take a preventative approach to ensure all Scouts, staff and volunteer leaders remain safe and healthy.