



# Boy Scouts of the Philippines

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**To :** National Office Directors and Executives  
Regional Scout Directors and Executives  
Council Scout Executives and Officers-In-Charge  
All Others Concerned

**SUBJECT :** COMMUNITY-BASED SCOUTING: A PRIMER AND GUIDE TO  
PROGRAM IMPLEMENTERS

1. In line with the **VISION 2025 BSP's Strategy Map** towards our **Strategic Priority** on "**Community Involvement**" under the perspective of "**Social Impact**" through "**Scout Helping Create Better Communities**", the National Office, BSP, enjoins all Local Councils and Regional Offices to promote Scouting in the neighborhood and in the community, pursuant to the Revised and Updated **Primer and Guide to Program Implementers for Community-Based Scouting** towards **Membership Growth**.
2. This memorandum supports the **Memorandum Circular No. 2018-11** of the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), re: Support to the Boy Scouts of the Philippines.
3. This Primer and Guide to Program Implementers shall provide technical assistance to the Local Councils in engaging potential Sponsoring Institutions outside of the School-Based Scouting, such as the Sangguniang Kabataan, Civil Society Groups, Non-Government Organizations, Local Government Units and alike. It offers basic information on how to organize a Community-Based Scouting Unit together with the Local Council as well as its suggested programs, projects and activities.
4. For your easy reference and quick downloads, you may click the link below at our official BSP website [www.scouts.org.ph](http://www.scouts.org.ph)
  - a. Community-Based Scouting Guide and Primer - <http://scouts.org.ph/wp-content/uploads/2019/07/CBS-Guide-and-Primer.pdf>
5. Should you have further queries, you may refer them directly to **Mr. Yasser F. Sarona**, Program and Adult Resources Development Executive, Field Operations Division, National Office, BSP at (02) 527-83-17 loc. 524 or via Telefax at (02) 527-5112 and email at [yaz.sarona@scouts.org.ph](mailto:yaz.sarona@scouts.org.ph)
6. For information, guidance, wide dissemination and compliance of all concerned.

  
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