



Mayoral Proclamation

Whereas, Girl Scouts of Texas Oklahoma Plains is the preeminent leadership development organization for girls. Girl Scouts offers every girl a chance to practice a lifetime of leadership, adventure, and success.

Whereas, In 1916 – before women in the U.S. even had the right to vote – the beloved founder of Girl Scouts- Juliette Gordon-Low, recognized the importance of community service and had the vision to honor girls who went above and beyond to serve the needs of others and promote them to the highest level of Girl Scouting achievement. Then, it was called the Golden Eaglet. Today it's called the Gold Award and though the name has changed, the character of the girl earning it remains remarkable.

Whereas, The Girl Scout Gold Award is the highest award a Girl Scout can earn. By using her values and skills, each girl chooses a community issue that she cares about and creates a plan for a sustainable project, one that lasts after the girl's involvement ends. Once achieved, her project shows colleges, employers, and her community that she is changing the world. As Gold Award recipients, these girls are part of an elite group of women. The best and brightest girls are undertaking projects that improve their communities—and the world.

Whereas, Milena Gandara, resident of Joshua, Texas, has earned her Girl Scout Gold Award by addressing No More Single Use Plastic – A project that capitalizes on the love of being outdoors using STEM and trash debris cleanup events to help the environment and wildlife. Engage local civic leaders and Federal leaders as expert speakers at cleanup events, partnering with Keep Texas Beautiful.

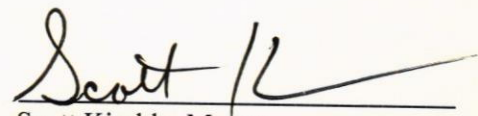
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Kimble, Mayor of the City of Joshua, Texas, do hereby proclaim April 15, 2023 as

Girl Scout Gold Award Day

and call upon the residents of Joshua to recognize the contributions of local Girl Scouts who serve the community through projects of environmental stewardship and beautification of this great city.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Joshua, Texas to be affixed this 15th day of April, 2023.




Scott Kimble, Mayor
City of Joshua, Texas