



DCS 509

A Legacy of Servant Leadership

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Learning Objectives



- **Explore** characteristics of servant leaders
- **Understand** servant leadership in Scouting
- **Recognize** the legacy of servant leadership



Characteristics of Servant Leaders



- Listens for Understanding
- Accepting
- Leads by Example
- Persuasive
- Team Builder
- Displays Humility

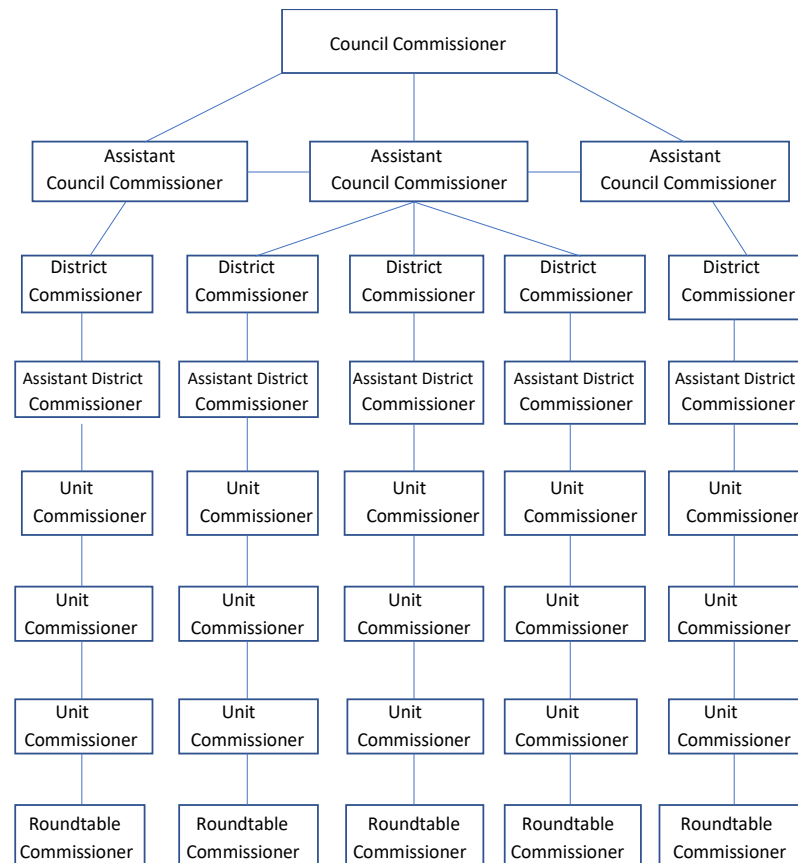


Servant Leadership in Scouting

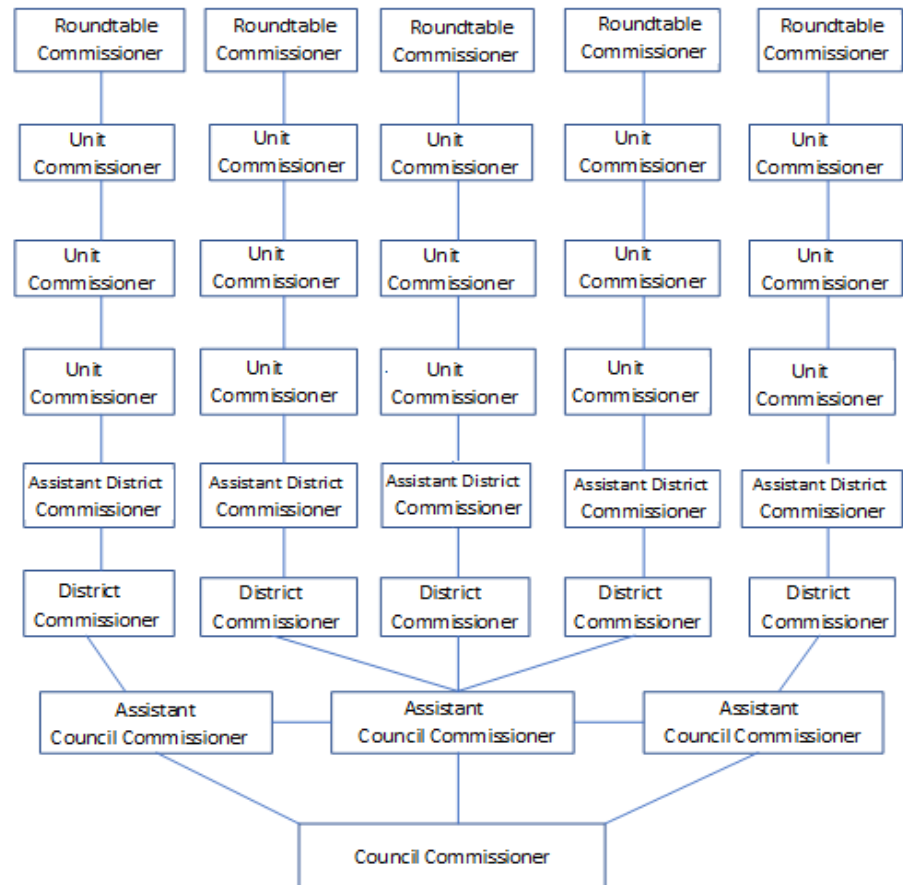


- Key 3
- Eagle Projects/Community Service
- Business models

Organizational Chart



Servant Leader Chart



Servant Leadership



- Is an opportunity to be exceptional
- Develops other leaders
- Builds a cohesive team

Leading well means serving others!

Activity #1



Give yourself 1 point for each sentence you think is a true statement about you



"True leadership
must be for the
benefit of the
followers, not
to enrich
the leader."

-John C. Maxwell

Leaving a Legacy



- Leadership is everyone's responsibility
- Teaching is one way of serving
- We all need loving critics – feedback is a gift
- Forward-thinking is a leadership prerequisite

Leadership



- Commissioners are leaders!
- What kind of difference do you want to make?
- Take responsibility.

If not you, then who?

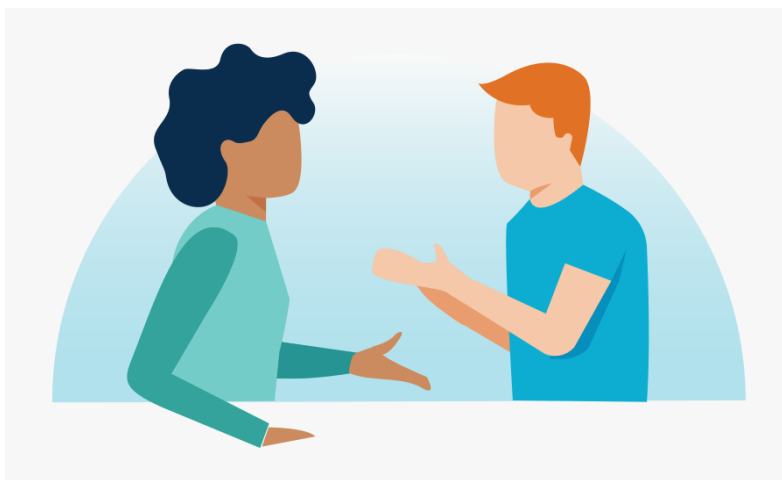
Teaching



- One way of serving.
- He who teaches learns twice.
- Pass on legacy through stories.
- Leadership is personal.



- **Loving critics...**
- **Feedback is a gift**





**Forward
thinking**



Leaders are followers, too!





- **The legacy you leave is the life you lead.**
- **Use each day to make a difference.**
- **Each act contributes to your lasting legacy.**

What is your legacy?





Activity #2

You have 5 minutes to think about your obituary!

- **What would someone write about you?**
- **What impact have you had?**
- **What legacy are you leaving?**

Summary



- Servant leaders listen, build teams, lead by example and demonstrate humility.
- Commissioners should understand how servant leadership impacts Scouting .
- Servant leadership leaves a legacy because it endures.



**Questions?
Comments!**

