

# Mission and Goals

## Scouts for Equality - Golden Gate

Scout Parents and Leaders against discrimination.



SFE - Golden Gate



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## Mission Statement:

We want to end the discriminatory policies of the Boy Scouts of America.

## Vision:

The Boy Scouts of America's discriminatory practices are not consistent with scouting's core values. SFE- Golden Gates will lead a respectful, honest dialogue with Scout Parents and Leaders about ending these outdated policies. By embodying the values of the Scout Oath and Law, we believe we can restore the social relevancy of one of this country's great cultural institutions: the Boy Scouts of America.

We're asking Boy Scout councils, units, and parents nationwide to stand up against the National Board in protest of their discriminatory policies.

## Goals:

To work with the following councils to encourage them to support change:

Mount Diablo Silverado Council  
Marin County Council  
San Francisco Bay Area Council  
Alameda Council  
Pacific Skyline Council  
Redwood Empire  
Piedmont Council  
Santa Clara Council

To work with the local units to develop non-discrimination policies and encourage them to support change in their councils.

To reach out to parents and encourage them to find their voices and speak out against these policies.

To contact the communities we serve to let them know that many in Scouting do not agree to these policies and ask for their support in pressuring the national organization.

To right a wrong and see that Ryan Andresen is given an Eagle Board of Review.

If you would like to join our local mailing list or become more involved:  
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