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9th January 2012

To All Members of Bognor Regis Scout District

Subject: New District Commissioner Nominations

As you may be aware, your District Commissioner, Vicky Hennessey, has indicated that she will step down from the role with effect from the 31st March 2012.

In order to find a successor, a small search group has been put together. The group consists of members of your Scout District together with Don Wills, Regional Development Officer and myself as Chairman. The group has been tasked with identifying and then submitting recommendations to the County Commissioner of those to be considered as a successor to Vicky. On your behalf the group is seeking someone with energy and enthusiasm, someone who enjoys working with adults and who wants to make a difference in their local community and who can lead you in the role of District Commissioner.

Self-nomination is acceptable, however please be aware that unsuccessful candidates will not be contacted to inform them of the outcome. Please note too that in order to ensure confidentiality and prevent build-up of false hopes, nominations should be submitted without approaching the individual concerned.

Please give serious consideration to people you know through scouting, those you work with or those out in the wider community to identify and nominate anyone you believe has the qualities to be your District Commissioner.

We believe that scouting in your District has some amazing people. Ordinary people who come together to make extraordinary things happen. As a recipient of this letter you are likely to be in the best position to know the needs of the District and potential candidates. Please play your part in ensuring that due consideration is given to all possible candidates so that the search group has the best chance of finding you another amazing District Commissioner who will continue to lead you forward.

We now need **your** support in finding the right person to inspire, motivate and encourage others. We therefore ask you to submit a nomination (or nominations) of anyone whom you feel should be considered for this important voluntary appointment. Nominations should be submitted either using the enclosed form or by letter in an envelope marked 'Personal & Confidential - District Commissioner Nomination' to:

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Nominations should be received **on or before 10th February 2012**.

This letter has been sent to all adult members of your District and adjoining Districts if, however, you hear of someone who has not received a copy; please do not hesitate to pass this on to them. Thank you in anticipation of your support.

Yours in Scouting

Mike Wakeling
Chairman DC Search Group