

**POSITION DESCRIPTION**

**TITLE:** District Advancement Chair                      **FUNCTION:** Program












**POSITION REPORTS TO:** District Program Chair

**TERM OF SERVICE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **START DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **END DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITION RESPONSIBILITIES:**

Responsible for recruiting and training District Advancement Committee. Meet with the committee at least quarterly and report to the District Committee any activities related to the program function. Responsible for ensuring a solid advancement plan for the youth members of the Ft. Hamilton District.

**PRINCIPAL RESPONSIBILITIES:**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Stimulate advancement and recognition of Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Varsity Scouts and Venturers.</li> <li> Ensure that advancement and recognition remain in accordance with National Council's requirements and procedures.</li> <li> Establish advancement goals for district's packs, troops, and teams.</li> <li> Develop plan to achieve district advancement goals.</li> <li> Track and attain advancement objectives.</li> <li> Recruit and train district merit badge counselors and other people as required.</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> Assist district people in understanding advancement procedures.</li> <li> Coach troop and team leaders in methods for conducting boards of review and courts of honor. Give special assistance to units with poor advancement progress.</li> <li> Recommend unit and district Scouters for special district and council recognition. (e.g., various lifesaving awards).</li> <li> Produce and maintain a district merit badge directory.</li> <li> Meet quarterly with Council Advancement Committee.</li> </ul> |
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**POSITION QUALIFICATIONS:**

- ? Have had some background in Scouting programs.
- ? Have ability to recruit top level people to serve on committee.
- ? Have an interest in serving the youth of the community.