



## **James E. West Fellowship Award**

JAMES E. WEST, the first Chief Executive Officer of the Boy Scouts of America, was a New Yorker and visionary. He was instrumental in establishing the juvenile court system and the public playground system. With the support of President Theodore Roosevelt, he organized the first White House Conference on the Care of Dependent Children.

West knew that, to be prepared for the future, the youth of his day needed guidelines to live by and to share with their peers. James E. West was the first Chief Scout Executive of the Boy Scouts of America. He took the principals of Scouting developed in England by Robert Baden-Powell and during 30 years of service, led a fledgling organization into the leading youth movement in the United States.

The James E. West Fellowship Award honors those who carry on his spirit of service to our young people.

The James E. West Award recognizes individuals, foundations and corporations that make a significant gift - in cash or marketable securities to the Endowment Trust Fund of the Central Minnesota Council, Boy Scouts of America. You can also use the award to honor someone special in your life or organization.

The principal of your gift is retained forever and the annual income is used to benefit Central Minnesota Council Scouts for generations to come. Capital growth of the endowment means that the value of your gift will grow larger over time, making Scouting possible for dozens, and one day even hundreds of Central Minnesota's young people.

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**Description of Qualifying Gift:**      **Value of Gift** \_\_\_\_\_

**In the form of:**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Cash**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Marketable Securities**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Land**    \_\_\_\_\_ **Will Bequest**

**This gift is:**            \_\_\_\_\_ **Anonymous**    \_\_\_\_\_ **In Honor of**    \_\_\_\_\_ **In Memory of**

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