

## **Sexual Advocacy or Behavior: Zero Tolerance**

The Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America, headquartered in Portland, Maine, has a policy of zero tolerance for sexual advocacy or inappropriate behavior of any kind within its Scouting programs. The Scouting programs do not provide sex education or counseling. Scouts should look to their parents or guardians, religious leaders, professional educators and health care providers for guidance in this area.

### **Non-Discrimination**

The Pine Tree Council, Boy Scouts of America reaffirms its position to teach and to practice tolerance for all people.

We are proud that we abide by all local, state and federal laws regarding non-discrimination.

### **Learning for Life**

Learning for Life programs are designed for all age groups from kindergarten through age 20. Youth participation is open to any youth in the prescribed age group for that particular program.

Adults are selected by the participating organization for involvement in the program.

Color, race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, ethnic background, economic status or citizenship is not criteria for participation.