

Family Troop Rollout Plan All Troops



- All existing troops, boy and girl, who are not currently participating in the combined troop pilot, are eligible to adopt the family troop option
- If your unit's decision is to form a family troop, please follow the instructions contained within the following guides

Family Troop Decision Guide:

• This guide is designed to help facilitate important discussions with your chartering organization(s), Scouts, their families, and your troop adult volunteers.

Family Troop Best Practices Guide:

- This guide is a summary of family troop best practices discovered during the pilot program as reported by the participating troops
- Intent to Convert to a Family Troop (Complete one form per family troop):
 - Please email the completed document to Lisa Cipich (<u>Lisa.Cipich@Scouting.org</u>)
 & Rick Romani (<u>arrek1@hotmail.com</u>)
 - Please direct all Family Troop questions to Rick Romani (arrek1@hotmail.com)

Additional Suggestions:

- Do not complete your unit renew until after December 15th
 - Please make sure you have validated all the information as part of your initial unit renewal process and addressed any errors that can prevent completion of your renewal
 - If you have completed your unit renewal, then complete and submit your Intent to Convert to a Family Troop document
- All "hold" troops in the pilot do not need to be rechartered
 - For any family troop that has already rechartered its "hold" troop for 2026, National is working on a plan to refund those payments
- All rollout segments could continue into January to complete all necessary steps,
 which is within the Unit Renewal Lapse Period
- All options will require verification that your BeAScout Pin and Unit Dashboard reflect your new troop designation

