TEN STEPS TO EAGLE

Iron Horse District

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Project Approval & provides Eagle Packet Eagle Project **Advisors** - by area		**Final Project submitted to** prior to Board
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1. LIFE SCOUT MUST COMPLETE REMAINING REQUIREMENTS
12 required merit badges and 9 optional merit badges.
Eagle Project can be started before completion of merit badges, but not before attaining LIFE rank.

2. Download "**Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook"**
This can be printed from IH web site – EAGLE'S NEST. This is a fillable PDF.
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3. Look for a project. Download the documents under "Find the right project for you" from Eagles Nest.

4. OBTAIN APPROVAL FOR PROJECT PROPOSAL.
Read the instructions in the **"Eagle Scout Service Project Workbook."**
Obtain signatures (in the order listed) on…
1. **Questionnaire**: 12 questions about your project verified by leaders.
2. **Service Project Report booklet**: Project Benefactor, Unit Leader, Unit Committee Chair, and District Eagle Project Advisors (see box above) **BEFORE beginning project**.
3. *** If changes occur later, get approval for those changes****

5. GETTING THINGS TOGETHER
A. Fill out the Eagle Application (red-white-blue form) completely, with all required signatures.
Use all the HEPLFUL HINTSprovided on the example form (on Eagles Nest) to avoid mistakes.
B. In a Project **3 Ring Binder** include all paperwork arranged as stated in the document above.
C. Provide copies of: **Internet "Member Advancement Summary"** (required).
D. Attach a statement of your ambitions and life purpose (see requirement #6 on application).
E. Provide 3 letters of recommendation in sealed envelopes (parent, leader, school teacher).

7. PRESENT COMPLETED PROJECT IN A BINDER TO THE DISTRICT ADVANCEMENT CHAIR.
A. You must be in full uniform and **accompanied by a parent** (youth protection requirements.)
B. All requirements must be completed, and paperwork turned in **before your 18th birthday**.
C. Your Project and Application will be reviewed (about 45 min) for completeness and accuracy by the District Advancement Chair or his designated substitute. Changes, additions or alterations may be suggested at this time if necessary.

8. GOLDEN EMPIRE COUNCIL REVIEW of paperwork can take **two weeks** and must be done before Board.

9. EAGLE BOARD OF REVIEW
1. All Scouts must appear in appropriate dress (complete uniform with sash preferred). Please bring your Scout Handbook.
2. The Scout must arrange to have a unit leader accompany him.
3. Parents are welcome and encouraged to attend, but will not sit with the candidate during the review.
4. Parents may be present at the end when the decision of the Board is presented to the Scout.
5. The whole process will take approximately 30 minutes.

10. NATIONAL REVIEW. Eagle Certificates are ready in two to three weeks usually, Then hold Eagle Court.