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**To: National Service Team & Board of Governors**

**Appointment – Incoming Council Commissioner – Northern Lights Council**

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Dear Scouters:

Please join me in welcoming Brad Schmermund as the Incoming Council Commissioner for Northern Lights Council. Effective today Brad will be working with the Council Team as he prepares to take on the role on September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

Brad started in Scouting as a first year Beaver in Edmonton, Alberta. He progressed through various sections including Cubs, Scouts, Venturers, and Medvents. In his Venturer and Rover years, Brad held a variety of Area and Council level positions including Area Youth Commissioner, Council Youth Commissioner, and has most recently served as a Council Support Scouter for the past few years.

Outside of Northern Lights, Brad was a first generation Scouts Canada Youth Spokesperson, and was a member of the National Safety Committee to help advise Scoutings overall approach to safety. He has been inducted into the Baden Powell Fellowship as a youth member, and most recently volunteered on the WJ2019 planning team with the emergency services department.

Brad resides in Edmonton as an occupational health and safety professional at a local petrochemical plant, and spends most of his time camping, golfing or ATVing in the summer, and skiing in the winter! **Welcome Brad!**

Brad can be reached at [bschmermund@scouts.ca](mailto:bschmermund@scouts.ca)

We wish to extend our thanks and gratitude to Norm Kerr for his service as the Council Commissioner and his leadership during this critical time for the organization. Norm an extended term as Council Commissioner, and we thank him for his ongoing willingness to serve youth in Northern Lights.

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