

## **Senate Resolution No. 15**

### **Introduced by Senator Yee**

Relative to Girl Scouts water conservation programs.

WHEREAS, In 1912, Juliette Gordon Low founded the Girl Scouts with just 18 girls and a dream in which she envisioned “something for all the girls” to enable them to better serve their communities, experience the outdoors, and contribute to social development; and

WHEREAS, Ninety-five years later, the Girl Scouts are the largest girl-serving organization in the world, serving 3,600,000 members; and

WHEREAS, The Girl Scout Councils of California is a coalition of 18 California Girl Scout Councils that have united their approximately 300,000 girls and volunteers in order to advance and promote Girl Scout principles and ideas in California policymaking; and

WHEREAS, Girl Scouting has a tradition of girls learning about their world, working in their communities, and advocating policy change; and

WHEREAS, The Girl Scout Councils of California strives to expand statewide a water conservation and environmental education program based upon the successful Save the Bay program of the Girl Scouts of the San Francisco Bay Area Girl Scouts; and

WHEREAS, The Girl Scout Councils of California’s proposed statewide water conservation and environmental education program, “Water is Life,” would provide California girls with the tools and resources to make a difference, to become leaders on water issues, and role models for their families and communities; and

WHEREAS, The Girl Scout Councils of California’s proposed statewide “Water is Life” program encourages girls to use math, science, and technology as they become informed and engaged stewards and advocates for water conservation; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate of the State of California,* That the Senate commends the Girl Scout Councils of California for their commitment to provide Girl Scout programs designed to promote water conservation

and environmental education for all California Girl Scouts; and be it further

*Resolved*, That the Secretary of the Senate transmit copies of this resolution to the author for appropriate distribution.

Senate Resolution No. 15 read and adopted by the Senate April 19, 2007.

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Secretary of the Senate