



Appealing a Decision Star, Life and Eagle

Guide to Advancement, Section 9.0.4.0

Board of Review does not Recommend a Candidate for Rank Advancement

Only a Scout or his parents/guardians can make an appeal

Submit a letter to Council with details of the reasons they believe the Scout met all requirements and should not be denied. The letter **must be received within two months** of receiving the letter documenting the denial.

Council/District Appeal Board

Council Advancement Committee researches background and facts of the Appeal

Issues from rejection at lower level meet BOR requirement

Meet BOR Requirements

Appeal Board
(3 to 5 members)
Scout is interviewed
No other guests, including parents are allowed
Only focuses on issues that brought about rejection
Decision is by majority
Decision is Final
Written report of details and reason for decision sent to Council Scout Executive and Scout

* not approved

* not approved

approved

Appeal Process
District
Council
National

Eagle Scout - Date of Eagle Board of Review

Submit to National

National Validation

Eagle Court of Honor

* Not approved: letter to be provided explaining reason, what must be done if time allows, and how to appeal the decision **within two weeks**