

**Appendix 5S to**  
***THE HISTORY OF SCOUTING IN SOUTH GEORGIA***

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***Southwest Georgia Council***



**Tom J, Dugger**

Tom Dugger was the 7<sup>th</sup> Scout Executive of Chehaw Council and the first Scout Executive of Southwest Georgia Council, serving from November, 1983, to January 1987. Tom is an Eagle Scout from Hueytown, Alabama.

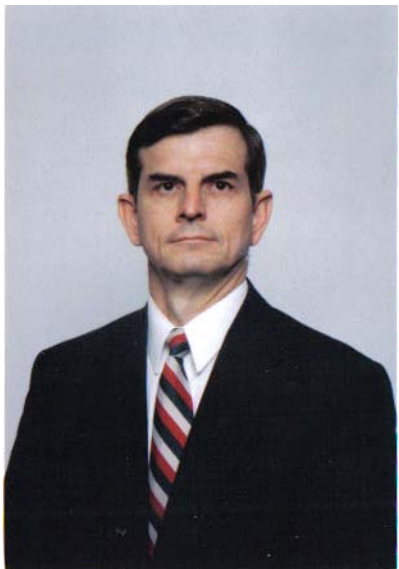
For eight years, Tom served as a member of the National Staff of BSA. From 1990-1992, he was a loaned executive to the World Scout Bureau in Geneva, Switzerland. On this assignment, Tom served as the Executive Assistant to the Director General of the World Scout Foundation and worked closely with His Majesty King Karl 16th Gustav of Sweden, the Patron and Honorary President of the World Scout Foundation. As a result of this experience, he was awarded the Baden-Powell World Fellowship and a special commendation from the World Scout Movement.

Tom has served as Scout Executive/Chief Executive Officer for councils in Albany, Georgia; Raleigh, North Carolina; and, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Tom Dugger retired from scouting and Dean Beard Council in December, 2019 a position he held since January 1, 2010. He had been a member of the Boy Scouts for fifty-five years the last forty-three years in the professional service of the Scout movement.



### **Sam Richmond**

The 2nd Council Executive of Southwest Georgia Council serving from February 15, 1987 to December 11, 1989. He came to Southwest Georgia Council from the council in Montgomery Alabama. After leaving Southwest Georgia Council he went into private business.



### **Arnold Landry**

The 3<sup>rd</sup> Council Executive of Southwest Georgia Council serving from December 11, 1989 to July, 1994.<sup>1</sup> He came to Chehaw Council (then Southwest Georgia Council) from a Field Director position at a council in Mississippi. After leaving Chehaw Council he was the Scout Executive at Andrew Jackson Council in Mississippi.

<sup>1</sup> "Council Gets New Scout Executive," *50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Newspaper*, Printed by Southwest Georgia Council, December 14, 1989. End date of service from Arnold Landry, March, 2012.



**Ted Klick**

The 4<sup>th</sup> Council Executive of Southwest Georgia Council serving from August, 1994 to July, 2002. He went to the Crossroads of America Council after his service here.



**David L. Foil**

The 5<sup>th</sup> Council Executive of Southwest Georgia Council serving from 2004 to 2006. Prior to coming to Chehaw Council he was Council Executive of Comanche Trail Council, Brownwood, Texas, which was merged. He left Chehaw Council to take a position with the Great Smoky Mountains Council in Tennessee. He is an Eagle Scout and a Silver Beaver.