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In most cases, childhood sexual abuse goes unreported or victims/survivors break their silence many years after the abuse occurs. While there are many legal barriers to prosecuting those responsible for the abuse, our firm has worked to overcome these barriers for more than 30 years. As pioneers of child protection through civil litigation, we are aggressively committed to this cause and capable of handling the most complex legal issues in courts across the United States.

We are smart, tough and relentless, but the virtue that ultimately sets us apart is our compassion. We are people who feel deeply and work tirelessly in response to an unjust world. We have a reputation for being the best at what we do and that begins and ends with our ability to support, protect and guide survivors along their journey toward justice and healing. As sexual abuse lawyers, we have represented thousands of survivors of child sexual abuse against individual offenders and the institutions that harbor these offenders. We are engaged with a national network of attorneys who share our mission, and when we take a case, we exhaust every imaginable resource in order to serve our clients' needs.



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Purpose and Background

The Anderson List of Sexual Abuse in the Boy Scouts in New Jersey contains the names of individuals associated with the Boy Scouts, who have been accused of sexual misconduct with minors. The information in this *Anderson List* is derived from publicly available sources. While lawsuits may have been filed involving some of these alleged perpetrators, the vast majority of the claims against these individuals have not been fully evaluated in a civil or criminal court. Accordingly, the allegations should not be considered proven or substantiated in a court of law. All individuals should be considered innocent until proven guilty.



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The Anderson List

Sexual Abuse in the Boy Scouts of America
New Jersey



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Locations and Names of Perpetrators in the Boy Scouts of America in New Jersey

City	Unit Number	City	Unit Number	City	Unit Number
Atlantic City		Elizabeth		Oak Ridge	
Angelo Dellomo	<i>Troop 6</i>	Brian Hughes (Jerry Esposito, Paul Page, Paul Esposito, Brian Reed, Gerald Paul Esposito)	<i>Troop 25</i>	Joel Michael Farley	<i>Troop 111</i>
Barnegat		Emerson		Ocean Township	
John T. Fitzgerald	<i>Troop 26</i>	Robert J. Coakley	<i>Troop 337, Explorer 337</i>	James Lawlor	<i>Explorer 2740</i>
Belmar		Glen Rock		Old Tappan	
William Howard Holzschuh	<i>Troop 40</i>	John Deneke	<i>Troop 27</i>	Anthony J. Martginetti	<i>Troop 132</i>
Bergenfield		Hammonton		Paramus	
Albert Bischoff	<i>Troop 180</i>	Vincent W. Glazewski	<i>Pack 68</i>	James E. Cooper	<i>Troop 350</i>
Berlin		Lincoln Park		Perth Amboy	
John F. Hollender	<i>Troop 55</i>	Roy A. Franklin	<i>Troop 70</i>	Tibor J. Koncz (See also Woodbridge, NJ)	<i>Explorer 356</i>
Blairstown		Maplewood		Phillipsburg	
Herman G. Meyer	<i>Troop 117</i>	Steven Michael Ripley	<i>Troop 2</i>	Tom Azzalina	<i>Troop 51</i>
Cedar Grove		McGuire AFB		Paul J. Enz	<i>Troop 51</i>
Arnold Edward Codispoti	<i>Troop 65</i>	John Edward Goldstraw	<i>Troop 99, Troop 253</i>	Rancocas Woods	
Gregory Flemming	<i>Troop 65</i>	Robert James Schumann	<i>Troop 18, Troop 104</i>	David S. Dyson	<i>Troop 15</i>
Cherry Hill		Milton		Runnemede	
Dieter Cathcart	<i>Troop 250, Troop 18</i>	Curtis Buttel (Biddle)	<i>Troop 49</i>	Harry W. Wilson	<i>Troop 50</i>
Collingswood		Monmouth Beach		Teaneck	
John F. Hollender (See also Woodlynne, NJ)	<i>Troop 105</i>	Ronald A. Becker	<i>Troop 1</i>	Robert J. Jacoby	<i>Troop 205</i>
Cranford		Mount Holly		Toms River	
Eugene J. Winters (Coppalla, Moffitt)	<i>Troop 177</i>	Louis Schwartz	<i>Troop 212</i>	William R. Pratt	<i>Troop 50</i>
Denville		Mt. Laurel		West Berlin	
William N. Cramer	<i>District 8604</i>	David S. Dyson	<i>Troop 76</i>	Arthur Centrella	<i>Troop 155</i>
East Brunswick		Newark		Woodbridge	
Joseph J. Thiel	<i>Troop 223</i>	Pasquale J. Bartiromo	<i>Troop 62</i>	Tibor J. Koncz (See also Perth Amboy, NJ)	<i>Troop 37</i>
East Orange		Arnold Edward Codispoti	<i>Explorer 654</i>	Woodlynne	
Alexander John Gooding	<i>Troop 6</i>	Richard M. Galdon	<i>Troop 18, Troop 35</i>	John F. Hollender (See also Collingswood, NJ)	<i>Troop 102</i>
Paul Kenneth Stokes	<i>Troop 114</i>	Peter Kistner	<i>Pack 529</i>	Wyckoff	
Edison		Nutley		John Brewer	<i>Explorer 189</i>
John Philip Bakelaar	<i>Troop 344</i>	Michael J. Abidiwan	<i>Troop 147</i>	Yardville	
Egg Harbor		John Sileo	<i>Troop 159, Pack 145</i>	Charles J. Grover	<i>Troop 36</i>
William A. Chiappini	<i>Troop 73</i>				
Charles Paul Geiger	<i>Troop 25</i>				

History of the Boy Scouts of America

Originating in England in the early 1900s, the idea of the Boy Scouts was exported to the United States by an Illinois newspaper man named William Boyce in 1909, after an encounter with a Boy Scout in London while traveling for business. Boyce incorporated the Boy Scouts of America in the U.S. on February 8, 1910. Today, the Boy Scouts in the United States operates as The National Council of the Boy Scouts of America, headquartered in Irving, Texas. In its 2017 Annual Report (available on the BSA website), the Boy Scouts of America reported approximately 889,000 registered adult leaders that provide support and guidance to approximately 2,283,000 youth members and Explorers registered in individual Boy Scouts programs.

Sexual Abuse in the Boy Scouts of America

Since the 1920's, the Boy Scouts of America has maintained an internal filing system of scout leaders accused of misconduct, including sexual abuse. The "Ineligible Volunteer Files" or "IV Files" constitute five categories, including sexual misconduct, also known as "perversion files". The files are created for individuals whose registration with the Boy Scouts has been revoked because of allegations of child sexual abuse. The "perversion" files illustrate the Boy Scouts of America's longstanding knowledge of child sexual abuse in scouting. Through litigation across the country, courts have ordered the public release of some of these Boy Scout files.

