

CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET  
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL  
B.S.A.

DATE August 12, 1968

Full Name ELMER EARL MYERS  
(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

Address 635 W. 10th. (Formerly at 725 N. Morgan)

City Rushville State Indiana

Age Born May 18, 1942 (This is important and should be exact)

Approximate age XXXXX (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

Religion Protestant Nationality American

Occupation Has had occupations in clerical and sales work

Education Rushville High School

Weight 180 Color Caucasian Height 5 ft. 9 1/2 inches

Color of hair Lt. Brown Color of eyes Brown

Burn scar inside upper left biceps.  
Outstanding characteristics or interests Not known

Married or single Married Children Not known  
February 20, 1965 at Lebanon, Indiana (Number, ages, and names, if possible)

Wife's name Rosemary Regina (Honan) Myers

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>Unit #</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Office</u>	<u>Date Reg'd.</u>	<u>Date resigned</u>
---------------	-------------	--------------	---------------	--------------------	----------------------

Troop 23	Rushville, Ind.	(Boy Scout - Life)		June 1959 through October 1962	
He understood he was registered in Texas in 1962 and completed his Eagle through the Alamo Area Council at San Antonio, Texas in late 1962 (He was at Chase Field) Beevill					
Troop 127	Rushville, Ind.	Troop Committeeman		November 1964 through November 1966	Tex
Special recognition					

He worked on our summer camp staff in 1964 (Field Sports Director)  
Recommended for Confidential File for following reasons:

Prosecutors office of Marion County, Indiana. There "On August 18, 1966, Elmer Myers plead not guilty to Sodomy. He was found guilty as charged and sent to the Indiana State Reformatory 2-1/4 years and \$100.00 and costs."

Signed James W. Bishop  
Scout Executive

GC-294-31

TSBSA008179

DYKES\_I\_009292

JEFFREY P. MATTHEWS  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

12600 West 32nd Avenue, Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033  
(303) 232-2146

July 6, 1988

David K. Park  
National Legal Counsel  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

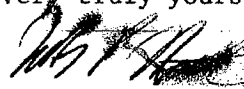
Re: Elmer Myers

Dear Mr. Park:

On June 10, 1988 I wrote to you requesting additional information regarding Elmer Myers. To date you have not extended the courtesy of you reply to that letter. I can only hope that your failure to respond was an oversight on your part and not an intentional action. Please respond at your earliest convenience so that I may continue to effectively represent Mr. Myers in this action.

Thank you for your prompt reply in this matter.

Very truly yours,



Jeffrey P. Matthews

JPM/vj

Enclosure

cc: Elmer Myers  
William Kephart

TSBSA008180

DYKES\_I\_009293

**JEFFREY P. MATTHEWS**

Attorney at Law

12600 West 32nd Avenue  
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

RECEIVED

JUN 20 1988

DAVID K. PARK

(303) 232-2146

June 10, 1988

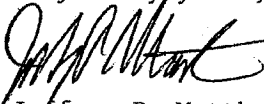
Mr. David K. Park  
National Legal Counsel  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Re: Elmer Myers

Dear Mr. Park:

On May 5, 1988 I wrote to you requesting additional information regarding Elmer Myers. To date you have not extended the courtesy of your reply. Please do so immediately.

Very truly yours,



Jeffrey P. Matthews

JPM/vj

Enclosure

cc: Elmer Myers  
William Kephart

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Cause No. 03-232-2146  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008181

DYKES\_I\_009294

**JEFFREY P. MATTHEWS**

Attorney at Law

12600 West 32nd Avenue  
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

RECEIVED  
MAY 10 1988  
DAVID K. PARK  
(303) 232-2146

May 5, 1988

Mr. David K. Park  
National Legal Counsel  
Boy Scouts of America  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Re: Elmer Myers


Dear Mr. Park:

Thank you for your letter of May 2, 1988. I was disappointed to find that the Boy Scouts of America refuse to take a position on Mr. Myers other than placing the burden on him to somehow divine their reasoning. Mr. Myers is not aware of why these actions were taken at this time and still needs an explanation to prepare his appeal.

Your letter of May 3, 1988 did not address my request for the by-laws or regulations relating to the cancellation of Mr. Myers' registration. Would you please provide these at your earliest convenience.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Very truly yours,



Jeffrey P. Matthews

JPM/vj

cc: Elmer Myers  
William Kephart, Scout Executive

TS/MS/TS Produced Pursuant to Protective Order No. 03-2-37490

TSBSA008182

DYKES\_I\_009295

**JEFFREY P. MATTHEWS**

Attorney at Law

12600 West 32nd Avenue  
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

(303) 232-2146

April 15, 1988

Mr. William R. Kephart, Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
2901 W. 19th Avenue  
Denver, CO 80204

Dear Mr. Kephart:


I have been retained by Mr. Myers to represent his interests in continuing his affiliation with the Boy Scouts of America. I have reviewed your letter of February 25, 1988 and it is our intention to seek Council Review and take whatever further action is necessary to reinstate Mr. Myers.

Your letter gives no reason whatsoever for your request that Mr. Myers sever his ties with the Boy Scouts. This makes it impossible for us to explain whatever facts led to this decision. If you would be kind enough to give the reasons for this action, we will address them.

I would also request that you cite whatever by-laws or regulations that were involved in your decision, so that Mr. Myers can adequately prepare an appeal. I am sure you are aware of Mr. Myers long affiliation with the Boy Scouts and his outstanding record of service. Mr. Myers desires to continue to promote the high ideals of Scouting and we will take whatever steps necessary to assure that he can.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

  
Jeffrey P. Matthews

JPM/vj

TSBSA008183

DYKES\_I\_009296

Denver  
Area Council  
Boy Scouts  
of America  
2901 W. 19th Ave  
Denver  
Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

April 15, 1988

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
Director of Registration Service  
Boy Scouts of America  
National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

On Monday, April 11th, 1988, at approximately 7:40 p.m., Senior District Executive, Rich Broyles, and I went to the Scout Troop meeting where Elmer Myers was in attendance. We pulled Elmer out from the group and met with him briefly on the porch of the church. We handed to him the official letter indicating his leadership was not welcome in the Boy Scouts of America.

We had a brief discussion about the letter and about the Boy Scouts' decision, at this point, to terminate his affiliation with our organization. He was not happy with this decision and felt that it was terribly unfair, and indicated he probably would sue the Boy Scouts. Personally, I don't think he'll do that, but we'll continue to monitor the situation as appropriate.

Most sincerely,

William R. Kephart  
Scout Executive

11  
Enclosure

TSBSA008184

DYKES\_I\_009297

May 3, 1988

Mr. Jeffrey P. Matthews, Esq.  
12600 West 32nd Avenue  
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

RE: Elmer E. Myers

Dear Mr. Matthews:

Your letter of April 15, 1988 has been referred to me for reply.

Please be advised that Mr. Myers is fully aware of the reasons underlying this situation and he may pursue his review of the action taken if that is his wish.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

David K. Park  
National Legal Counsel

hr

cc: William R. Kephart, Scout Executive

TS/MS/K/S  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order  
Case No. 03-23727-9

TSBSA008185

DYKES\_I\_009298



SCOUTING/USA  
 Denver  
 Area Council  
 Boy Scouts  
 of America  
 2901 W. 19th Ave.  
 Denver  
 Colorado  
 80204  
 303 455-5522

April 19, 1988

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
 Director of Registration Service  
 Boy Scouts of America  
 National Office  
 1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
 P.O. Box 152079  
 Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

Attached are copies of four letters that consist of our Council's total file on the Elmer Myers situation.

Note the letter dated April 15th from his attorney Jeffrey P. Matthews. May I assume your office will respond directly to Mr. Matthews?

Thank you.

Most sincerely,

William R. Kephart  
 Scout Executive

ll

c: Robert A. Hanawalt, Area Director  
 George C. Keely, Legal Counsel, Denver Area Council

NOTE TO KAF!

Produced Pursuant to Protective Order No. 03-2-37274

TSBSA008187

DYKES\_I\_009299





SCOUTING/USA  
 Denver  
 Area Council  
 Boy Scouts  
 of America  
 2901 W. 19th Ave.  
 Denver  
 Colorado  
 80204  
 303 455-5522

April 15, 1988

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
 Director of Registration Service  
 Boy Scouts of America  
 National Office  
 1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
 P.O. Box 152079  
 Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

On Monday, April 11th, 1988, at approximately 7:40 p.m., Senior District Executive, Rich Broyles, and I went to the Scout Troop meeting where Elmer Myers was in attendance. We pulled Elmer out from the group and met with him briefly on the porch of the church. We handed to him the official letter indicating his leadership was not welcome in the Boy Scouts of America.

We had a brief discussion about the letter and about the Boy Scouts' decision, at this point, to terminate his affiliation with our organization. He was not happy with this decision and felt that it was terribly unfair, and indicated he probably would sue the Boy Scouts. Personally, I don't think he'll do that, but we'll continue to monitor the situation as appropriate.

Most sincerely,

*Bill Kephart*  
 William R. Kephart  
 Scout Executive

11  
 Enclosure

No. 032372749  
 Order

TS/MS/KS  
 Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

**JEFFREY P. MATTHEWS**

Attorney at Law

12600 West 32nd Avenue  
Wheat Ridge, Colorado 80033

(303) 232-2146

April 15, 1988

Mr. William R. Kephart, Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
2901 W. 19th Avenue  
Denver, CO 80204

Dear Mr. Kephart:


I have been retained by Mr. Myers to represent his interests in continuing his affiliation with the Boy Scouts of America. I have reviewed your letter of February 25, 1988 and it is our intention to seek Council Review and take whatever further action is necessary to reinstate Mr. Myers.

Your letter gives no reason whatsoever for your request that Mr. Myers sever his ties with the Boy Scouts. This makes it impossible for us to explain whatever facts led to this decision. If you would be kind enough to give the reasons for this action, we will address them.

I would also request that you cite whatever by-laws or regulations that were involved in your decision, so that Mr. Myers can adequately prepare an appeal. I am sure you are aware of Mr. Myers long affiliation with the Boy Scouts and his outstanding record of service. Mr. Myers desires to continue to promote the high ideals of Scouting and we will take whatever steps necessary to assure that he can.

Thank you for your time and consideration in this matter.

Very truly yours,

  
Jeffrey P. Matthews

JPM/vj

TSBSA008189

DYKES\_I\_009301

April 15, 1988

Denver  
Area Council  
Boy Scouts  
of America  
2901 W. 19th Ave.  
Denver  
Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
Director of Registration Service  
Boy Scouts of America  
National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

On Monday, April 11th, 1988, at approximately 7:40 p.m., Senior District Executive, Rich Broyles, and I went to the Scout Troop meeting where Elmer Myers was in attendance. We pulled Elmer out from the group and met with him briefly on the porch of the church. We handed to him the official letter indicating his leadership was not welcome in the Boy Scouts of America.

We had a brief discussion about the letter and about the Boy Scouts' decision, at this point, to terminate his affiliation with our organization. He was not happy with this decision and felt that it was terribly unfair, and indicated he probably would sue the Boy Scouts. Personally, I don't think he'll do that, but we'll continue to monitor the situation as appropriate.

Most sincerely,

William R. Kephart  
Scout Executive

11  
Enclosure

TSBSA008190

DYKES\_I\_009302



SCOUTING USA  
 Denver  
 Area Council  
 Boy Scouts  
 of America  
 2901 W. 19th Ave.  
 Denver  
 Colorado  
 80204  
 303 455-5522

February 25, 1988

Mr. Elmer Myers  
 P.O. Box 33213  
 Northglenn, Colorado 80233

Dear Elmer:

After careful review, we have decided that your registration with the Boy Scouts of America should not be accepted. We are therefore compelled to request that you sever any relations that you may have with the Boy Scouts of America. A refund of your registration fee is enclosed.

You should understand that B.S.A. membership registration is a privilege and is not automatically granted to everyone who applies. We reserve the right to refuse registration whenever there is a concern that an individual may not meet the high standards of membership which the B.S.A. seeks to provide for American youth.

If you wish to have this decision reviewed by a Council Review Committee, please write to me explaining your version of the facts supporting your claim that your registration as a B.S.A. member should be reinstated.

Most sincerely,

William R. Kephart  
 Scout Executive

11  
 Enclosure

Produced Pursuant to Protective Order No. 03-23727-9



A program for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Explorers

National Office  
**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

1325 Walnut Hill Lane, Irving, Texas 75038-3096  
Telephone: 214-580-2000

April 4, 1988

Mr. William R. Kephart  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer E. Myers

Dear Bill:

I am writing in regard to our communication concerning the above named individual. A Credit was issued for the \$5.00 registration fee and that has been put in our files and is being sent along with other Debits and Credits to clear the account. You should receive the check in the near future.

I am also re-emphasizing the information which we sent you in our letter of February 8, concerning Mr. Myers. At this time we do not feel that Mr. Myers should be registered with the Boy Scouts of America in any position. Your registrar has deleted his registrations and, therefore, he is no longer on your files or ours.

We feel that the charges that were made at an earlier time are valid and that we cannot take a risk at this time of having Mr. Myers registered. We are sorry that things in the past do effect peoples' lives today, but this is necessary for the protection of youth in the Boy Scouts of America.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any further questions. At this time we will not accept a registration, should it come to us, from Mr. Myers.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

eko

cc: North Central Region

**PLEASE NOTE NEW MAILING ADDRESS:**

Boy Scouts of America, 1325 Walnut Hill Lane, P.O. Box 152079, Irving, Texas 75015-2079

TSBSA008192

DYKES\_I\_009304



SCOUTING/USA

Denver Area Council  
Boy Scouts of America

2901 W. 19th Ave.  
Denver Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

2-19-88

Denise,

I have deleted adult Elmer Myers #75988,  
per attached letter.

He was registered in Troop 80072, on transmittal  
#880202. The deletion is on transmittal  
#880206.

Please reimburse us \$5.00 registration.

Thank You.

*Theresa K. Escobedo*

Theresa K. Escobedo,  
Registrar

*2/23/88  
HARRIS  
DELETE - ISSUE  
REFER for LTR  
P. Escobedo*

TS/MS/KS v. BSA  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order No. 03-237274-9

TSBSA008193

DYKES\_I\_009305

Called to 61- Ave  
Kephart's secretary.  
Told her to delete  
let me Myers and  
let us know when that  
was done so we can  
send credit

Wacey 2/17/88

303-455-5522

X 342

Theresa  
Credit # 15577 put in co. file sm

Per Carl to council 2-25-88

delete done on 880206

I've PF5'ed off National  
Computer.

2/24/88

cm



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

COUNCIL

No. 601

Date 2-25-88

REGISTRATION, SUBSCRIPTION  
AND STATISTICAL SERVICE

REFER TO YOUR TRANSMITTAL REPORT NO. 880202

**CREDIT NOTICE**

**DEBIT NOTICE**

REGISTRATION Unit No. 50072 term 12 months

1 Leaders (\_\_\_\_\_ prepaid) @ \$\_\_\_\_\_ each. Received \$ 5.00 required \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(\_\_\_\_\_ transfer)

\_\_\_\_\_ Members (\_\_\_\_\_ transfer) @ \$\_\_\_\_\_ each. Received \$\_\_\_\_\_ required \$ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Members \_\_\_\_\_ Leaders listed on transmittal form \_\_\_\_\_ on application

Transfers must pay \$.50 each. Expiration given \_\_\_\_\_ We have \_\_\_\_\_

Not on transmittal report  Duplicate entry  No application received.

Correction made per your letter/telephone call \_\_\_\_\_

No reply to our defective registration notice dated \_\_\_\_\_

Returning \_\_\_\_\_  Under Age  Over Age

**BOYS' LIFE** Term \_\_\_\_\_ months

Paid for \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions; listed \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions. Received \$\_\_\_\_\_ Required \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Incorrect fees: \_\_\_\_\_ subscriptions  Back issues are not available.

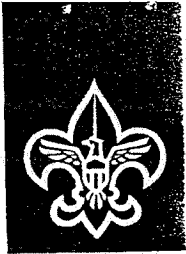
Please check attached copy. Pay debit—Use credit or return with copy of the roster showing corrections needed.

For Elmer Myler

Please add or subtract the amount(s) indicated on your next transmittal in the proper column(s) and return the original.

<b>BILLING</b>	Tiger Cub	\$ _____		
	Cub Scout	\$ _____		
	Boy Scout	\$ _____	Leader	\$ _____
	Varsity Scout	\$ _____		Total \$ _____
	Explorer	\$ _____	Boys' Life	\$ _____
	Career Awareness Explorer	\$ _____		
<b>CREDITING</b>	Tiger Cub	\$ _____		
	Cub Scout	\$ _____		
	Boy Scout	\$ _____	Leader	\$ <u>5.00</u>
	Varsity Scout	\$ _____		Total \$ <u>5.00</u>
	Explorer	\$ _____	Boys' Life	\$ _____
	Career Awareness Explorer	\$ _____		





SCOUTING/USA

A program for Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Explorers

National Office  
**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

1325 Walnut Hill Lane, Irving, Texas 75038-3096  
Telephone: 214-580-2000

February 8, 1988

Mr. William R. Kephart  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer Earl Myers

Dear Bill:

This confirms our telephone conversation of February 5 concerning the above named individual. The material in our file and the letter you sent in January have been reviewed very carefully by both our Corporate Attorney and myself.

We feel Mr. Myers should not be registered with the Boy Scouts of America, and he should be removed from any positions where he is now registered. The previous record of Mr. Myers led to our decision at this time.

If we can be of any help, please let us know. We suggest that you send one of the letters which are indicated in the maintaining standards of membership.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration Service

mdw

cc: North Central Region

FEB 23 1988

PLEASE NOTE NEW MAILING ADDRESS:

Boy Scouts of America, 1325 Walnut Hill Lane, P.O. Box 152079, Irving, Texas 75015-2079

TSBSA008196

DYKES\_I\_009308



SCOUTING/USA

National Office  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
Irving, Texas 75038-3096



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152029  
Irving, Texas 75015-2029

1-20-88

DAVID -

THIS IS INFO  
RECEIVED TODAY -  
DO WE REGISTER  
OR NOT?  
HAS BEEN REGISTERED  
FOR SEVERAL YEARS

Paul

Paul Ernst  
214-580-2510  
S108

David K. Park  
214-580-2005  
S400

REMARK  
WILL CALL  
1-26-88  
2-4-88

TS/MS/KS v. BSA, et al. Cause No. 03-2007-00067-0  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008197

DYKES\_I\_009309



SCOUTING/USA  
Denver  
Area Council  
Boy Scouts  
of America  
2901 W. 19th Ave.  
Denver  
Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

January 18, 1988

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
National Director of Registration  
Boy Scouts of America  
National Office  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
P.O. Box 152079  
Irving, Texas 75015-2079

Dear Paul:

This letter is in regard to all the correspondence and phone calls we have had on a Mr. Elmer Myers in our Council. You may recall there was some question about disqualifying Elmer from registration in the Boy Scouts of America. During my last conversation with you around November 18th, I think you indicated you would like to have more information regarding his stability in the community.

You may recall I indicated the Scouting Coordinator and other leaders are aware of the situation and are careful to not place Elmer in a position of being with any Scouts alone. In addition, one of my staff members sat down with Mr. Myers and received the following information:

1. He has been married to the same wife since 1977, and this is his third marriage.
2. He has six children, all boys ... ranging from age seven to twenty. In addition to this, he has one daughter living with an ex-wife.
3. He has lived in Denver since 1973.
4. He is employed at APG Security as a security guard for the past twenty-seven months. He has had various security positions ... past five years he has had police clearance and a Colorado State license as a security guard.
5. In addition, he has done warehouse work with Karman Western Wear from 1975 - 1979.

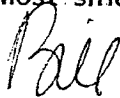
TSBSA008198

DYKES\_I\_009310

Mr. Paul I. Ernst  
Page 2  
January 18, 1988

I believe this is the information you requested. We have been able to discuss this situation quite openly with Mr. Myers. He is aware of the past conviction which happened in 1966, and indicates he was not guilty of the crime. I guess the next move is in your court.

Most sincerely,



William R. Kephart  
Scout Executive

II

TS/MS/KS v. BSA, et al. Cause No. 02-37274-9  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008199

DYKES\_I\_009311



SCOUTING/USA

National Office  
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
Irving, Texas 75038-3096

11-16-87

DANE -  
I NEED HELP  
MAN IS REGISTERED  
HAS BEEN FOR  
SEVERAL YRS.

SHOULD WE DELETE  
REGISTRATION ?

CALL COL Paul  
FOR MORE INFO

Paul Ernst  
214-580-2510  
S108

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Case No. 03-23727-9  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008200

DYKES\_I\_009312

WATS CALL FORM

CALL BACK REQUESTED

COUNCIL # 61

PHONE NO:

CALLER: BILL KEPHART

POSITION:

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION \_\_\_\_\_

VETERANS \_\_\_\_\_

EXPLORING \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING \_\_\_\_\_

BOYS' LIFE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT #

DIST. #

EXP. DATE

TRANSMITTAL #

FILM #

50072 ELMER MEYERS

JC IS AWARE OF PROBLEM

NOW IS REINSTATED

CALL BACK WITH INFO

TALKED TO BILL KEPHART JC

11-18-87 11 AM

HE WILL GET MORE INFO ABOUT MARR AND COMMUNICATE TO US.

NAME PS

DATE 11-16-87

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

R/S-433  
3/13/86-c1F-567r

TSBSA008201

DYKES\_I\_009313

PROBATIONARY

NAME: MYERS, FLMER E. 635 W. 10th St Rushville, Ind.

YEAR: 1986 CODE: M COUNCIL: 61 UNIT: Tr-23 POSITION:

COMMENTS:

Send out Probation letter 10/7/87

*Taken off probation as per  
Mr. C -*

*10/22/87*

*Put on reg. file as of same date*

*061-50082-001132*

*061-50072-075988*

*Registration deleted*

*Placed on permanent  
file Per Mr Ernst.*

*10/22/87*

*cm*

October 27, 1986

Mr. Michael D. Sulgrove  
Senior District Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer Myers

Dear Mike:

Thank you for the copy of the letter of October 10th which you sent to Mr. Myers. This is very helpful to us and will be good to put in our file.

We will go by your desire and register Mr. Myers should his registration come to us. We are, however, keeping him on a probationary status and we will periodically ask for information concerning his registration and any problems which may exist.

I understand that what happened was many years ago, but we always have concerns when something of this type has occurred in the past. We will look to you for guidance since you know the individual and his record in your council. If there are any other pieces of information which we should know, please do not hesitate to send it to us.

Thanks again for your support and communication.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration, Subscription &  
Statistical Service

PE/crs

cc: North Central Region  
Mr. William R. Kephart, Scout Executive, Council No. 61

READY FOR FILE

OCT 28 1986

SHIRLEY MEYER

TSBSA008203

DYKES\_I\_009315



October 10, 1986

Denver  
Area Council  
Boy Scouts  
of America  
2901 W. 19th Ave.  
Denver  
Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

Mr. Elmer Myers  
P.O. Box 33213  
Northglenn, Colorado 80233

Hello Elmer:

Thank You for your "certified" letter of September 10, 1986 concerning your Scouting reputation and name. You have certainly asked a tough question -- but an answer is your right. Please know that I will be very honest with you in several points that you will need to understand clearly.


Registration (membership) at any level - but certainly at the adult level is a private role and responsibility of the Boy Scouts of America. We, like many organizations, have "rules" to our membership (i.e.; age, U.S. Citizen, Duty to God concept, etc.) that must be met. In this day and age of a "high awareness of child abuse", the Boy Scouts of America has increased its watchfulness of its adult membership. We simply cannot afford Scout leaders giving leadership to young men that have any type of record of present actions of child abuse -- of any type.

Since the above is true and since a record was filed with the Boy Scouts in 1968 and a letter of probational status membership was given to you in 1978 -- then you know that the Boy Scouts are within their rights as a private organization to restrict its membership to you.

However, your record from 1978 indicates no negative comments and you may, still at a probational status, remain registered in the Scouting movement. That is given as a privilege -- that I know you understand. So you may register at any level of unit Scouting -- as long as approval is given by the appropriate individual.

Again, Thank You for your letter and for your concerns -- hope this at least answers you some.

My best,

  
Michael D. Sulgrove  
Senior District Executive

MDS:mar

cc: Mr. William R. Kephart, Scout Executive  
Mr. Paul Ernst, National Director of Registration

F. STARON

OCT 17 1986

TSBSA008204

DYKES\_I\_009316

WATS CALL FORM

CALL BACK REQUESTED \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL # 61

PHONE NO: 303-455-5522

CALLER: Mike Sulgrove

POSITION: Field Dir

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION \_\_\_\_\_

VETERANS \_\_\_\_\_

EXPLORING \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING \_\_\_\_\_

BOYS' LIFE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT #

DIST. #

EXP. DATE

TRANSMITTAL #

FILM #

RF ~~PIC~~ on E Sulgrove on Elmer  
Myers on PIC

I have Elmer E. Myers on the  
file since 1968

put on ~~PICTURE~~  
5000 Ltr in  
year

WTLV  
10-8-86

R/S-433  
3/13/86-clf-567r

NAME SPM

DATE 10/7/86

TIME 11:04 a

TSBSA008205

DYKES\_I\_009317

WATS CALL FORM

Case FILE

CALL BACK REQUESTED \_\_\_\_\_

COUNCIL # 61

PHONE NO: \_\_\_\_\_

CALLER: Mike & Sulgrove

POSITION: F.D.

TYPE OF PROBLEM

REGISTRATION \_\_\_\_\_ VETERANS \_\_\_\_\_ EXPLORING \_\_\_\_\_

SCOUTING \_\_\_\_\_ BOYS' LIFE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT # \_\_\_\_\_ DIST. # \_\_\_\_\_ EXP. DATE \_\_\_\_\_ TRANSMITTAL # \_\_\_\_\_ FILM # \_\_\_\_\_

Robert Myers was son T.S.L.

We refused reg. Myers wrote Co - wanted to know why. Has been reg for 10yr.

I pulled file and gave F.D. some info. He will check history file and call you 9/29

NAME M

DATE 9/25

TIME \_\_\_\_\_

R/S-433  
3/13/86-clf-567r

August 19, 1986

Mr. Bill Davis  
District Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer Myers

Dear Bill:

Thank you for the information which you gave us on the above-named individual. This is most helpful and should enable us to protect the youth of America.

If you have further questions, please do not hesitate to contact us related to this individual. A credit notice is being issued to you for the registration fee which was transmitted.

Let us know if we may be of further help.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Director  
Registration, Subscription &  
Statistical Service

PE/cre

cc: North Central Region  
Mr. William R. Kephart, Scout Executive, Council No. 61

READY FOR FILE

MAY 19 1986

SHIRLEY MEYER

TSBSA008207



SCOUTING/USA

Denver  
Area Council  
Boy Scouts  
of America  
2901 W. 19th Ave.  
Denver  
Colorado  
80204  
303 455-5522

August 6, 1986

Paul Ernst  
Director  
Registration, Subscriptions  
and Statistical Service  
National Office, BSA  
1325 Walnut Hill Lane  
Irving, TX 75038-3096

Dear Paul:

You wrote Mr. Kephart a confidential report on an Elmer Myers, Scoutmaster, Troop 82, Frontier District.

From the information that I have been able to gather, it seems that this is the man you wrote us about.

Mr. Myers has resigned and moved out as Scoutmaster of Troop 82. I understand he has tried to sign up in leadership positions in other Troops, but has been discouraged.

Thanks for your information.

Sincerely,

Bill Davis  
District Executive  
Frontier District

BD/bj

cc: Mr. Kephart

*Scouting Description Deleted  
Called Ms Davis asked him to have registrar delete registration from their computer  
8-8-86  
am*

*8-18-86  
ISSUE CREDIT*

*TS/MS/K/S  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order*

TSBSA008208

DYKES\_I\_009320

January 17, 1979

Mr. Robert F. Meinholtz  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Co. No.61

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer E. Myers

Dear Bob:

You may recall the correspondence you and I had approximately a year ago in regard to the above Scouter.

Mr. Myers registration was approved on a two year probationary basis.

Since one year has elapsed, we would appreciate it if you would be good enough to write us a letter regarding this man's character and leadership performance.

Thanks very much.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

af

*No response from Co. per the letter to person in charge. Deleted file*

*Produced Pursuant to Protective Order Case No. 93-2117-9*

*4/17/79  
" 4/9/79  
5/1/79*

January 6, 1978

Mr. Robert F. Meinholtz  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

SUBJECT: Elmer Myers

Dear Bob:

Per your letter dated December 20, 1977 concerning Elmer Myers,

Upon your recommendation we are taking action to put through Mr. Myers' application, but we are putting him on two year probation.

At the end of the year we will again write you for a report on him. When the two year probationary period is ended, your report will be the deciding factor in our decision to remove his name from the Confidential File.

It is not our policy to refund Boys' Life fee on a Confidential case. Mr. Myers' name was not deleted from our magazine list and he has continued to receive his magazine and will do so until it expires May 1978.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

ad

TSBSA008210

DYKES\_I\_009322

January 5, 1978

1/17/78

Two Years Probationary

Elmer Myers  
Troop 454 Exp. 3/78  
Denver, Co.

Mr. Robert F. Meinholtz  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Co. No. 61

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Cause No. 03-237214-9  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008211

DYKES\_I\_009323



# Denver Area Council - Boy Scouts of America

SERVING · ADAMS · ARAPAHOE · CLEAR CREEK · DENVER · DOUGLAS · GILPIN · JEFFERSON · COUNTIES  
NORTHERN PORTIONS OF ELBERT AND PARK COUNTIES · BROOMFIELD

2901 WEST 19TH AVENUE DENVER COLORADO 80204 (303) 455-5522  
MEMBER OF MILE HIGH UNITED FUND

December 20, 1977

Mr. Paul Ernst  
Registration & Subscription Service  
National Council, Boy Scouts of America  
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Dear Paul,

Attached is the application for Mr. Elmer Myers. This is the man that is in your confidential file that we did the research on. With the approval of the head of the institution we agreed that he should be registered on a "trial basis".

Paul, I don't know how to deal with this, but when we refunded Mr. Myers registration fee (credit notice #39422) our credit notice did not include his Boys' Life refund. HELP! HELP!

Thanks for all of your support in this important matter.

Sincerely,



Lawrence O. Price  
Director of Field Service

LOP/SJI

*Boy's Life 12 months  
from May 1978-*

*CHECK THIS OUT*

*REG. SN  
PROB. 27R*

TSBSA008212

DYKES\_I\_009324

# ADULT APPLICATION

PACK NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 TRSQP. NO. 454 OR  COUNCIL/DISTRICT POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 POST NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 SHIP NO. \_\_\_\_\_

FULLY TRAINED

DISTRICT NO. 5

PLEASE PRINT ONE LETTER IN EACH SPACE—PRESS HARD, YOU ARE MAKING THREE COPIES.

NAME: M Y E R S E I M E R

AGE: 34

POSITION: SA  
UNIT CODE

PRINT FIRST NAME FIRST—LEAVE A SPACE BETWEEN FIRST NAME, INITIAL, AND LAST NAME

ADDRESS—SERVE ON UNIT: 2241 W 80th Pl.

BOYS' LIFE EXPLORING

CHECK ONE  
 NEW LEADER  
 FORMER LEADER

COLLEGE SCOUTER RESERVE—USE YOUR MAILING ADDRESS AT COLLEGE

CITY: DENVER STATE: CO ZIP CODE: 80221 DATE: 3-14-77

HOME PHONE: 428-6061 PREVIOUS SCOUTING BACKGROUND: Former Eagle Scout

OCCUPATION, EMPLOYER AND BUSINESS ADDRESS: SHIPPING WAREHOUSE

COUNCIL: \_\_\_\_\_  
SIGNATURE: *[Signature]* SEE COVER

REGISTRATION FEE	EXPLORING / BOYS' LIFE FEE	TERM (MONTHS)	UNIT EXPIRATION DATE (MONTH YEAR)
<u>3.50</u>	<u>3.00</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>3 78</u>

APPROVAL: *[Signature]* SEE COVER

If you have an unexpired registration certificate from another unit or position, you may transfer with us. Check this box and attach the certificate; it will be returned by the council.

FOR COUNCIL USE

LOCAL COUNCIL COPY

ORIGINAL

TS/MS/KS v. BSA  
 Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

bcc: MR. LARRY PRICE - COUNCIL #61

October 25, 1977

Mr. Elmer Earl Myers  
7813 Wyandot  
Denver, Colorado 80221

Dear Mr. Myers:

Thank you for your letter of September 20 and the information which it contained. This certainly verifies that you are the individual whose registration we had previously refused in 1968.

A study is now being done to determine your registration status. I shall certainly keep you informed as decisions are made.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

dw

TSBSA008214

DYKES\_I\_009326



SCOUTING/USA

A program for Cub Scouts, Scouts, and Explorers

National Office—Boy Scouts of America

North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902  
Telephone: 201 249-6000  
TWX 710-480-6262

September 28, 1977

Mr. Elmer Earl Myers  
7813 Wyandot  
Denver, Colorado 80221

Dear Mr. Myers:

Thank you for your letter of September 20 and the information which it contained. This certainly verifies that you are the individual whose registration we had previously refused ~~back in the middle of 1960~~.

I do not know why you continue to persist in requesting registration at the present time. If you have been registered in the last few years, then it was an error on our part in letting the registration go through.

Your record with the prosecutor's office in two counties in Indiana certainly causes us to be skeptical of your leadership ~~in regard~~ to boys at the present time. If you wish to pursue this with me further, please write.

Sincerely,

*[Handwritten signature]*  
Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

nt

*TS/MS/K/S Produced Pursuant to Protective Order No. 03-2-37274-9*

*Called CHL  
10-21-77  
MTZ NEXT WK  
will get back*

TSBSA008215

DYKES\_I\_009327

National Office  
Boy Scouts of America  
ATTN: MR. PAUL I. ERNST  
North Brunswick, New Jersey

SEP 26 11 28 AM '77

September 20, 1977

Dear Mr. Ernst:

This is in regards to your letter dated September 13, 1977.

Again you refuse to tell on what you have there against me that would stop my being registered as an Assistant Scoutmaster with the troop that I have worked with for the past year.

I have talked to my lawyer about this matter, and he suggested that I try you one more time to obtain the information that I have requested, before I turn this matter over to him for whatever action he deems.

I will try to answer your question of my residence during 1960 & 1970, of which I can see no importance in the matter. During 1960-61, I was a student at Rushville High School, where I graduated in 1961. From October 1961 until February 1964, I was in the U.S. Navy, where I received my Eagle Scout, as you already know.

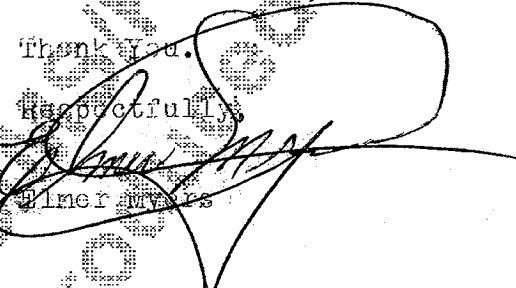
During the summer of 1964, I worked at the Scout Camp for Whitewater Valley Council as Rifle Instructor. Then in September of 64, I enrolled in Business School, where I stayed until May of 1965. Also in February of 1965, I got married. In December of 1965, our daughter was born and died in Rushville, Indiana while visiting my parents (my father was also a former scoutmaster & cub leader) for Christmas. We were living in Indianapolis, where I lived off and on until I moved out here in 1973. Mostly from 1965 to 1973, I lived in Indianapolis at various addresses.

Now, I hope that this answers your questions for the ten year period that you asked for. Now, I hope that I can get some honest answers from you in regards to my question, or, to be allowed to continue in Scouting on a trial basis, with a report to be sent to you from the troop itself, at your opinion.

I am asking of you to allow me to continue my scouting life as I have before, as Scouting means a lot to me.

Thank You.

Respectfully,

  
Elmer Myers

TSBSA008216

DYKES\_I\_009328

COUNCIL 061

TRANSMISSION 880202

*drop came through on Batch 2-07 1988*

*Actual missing 880206*

P-UNIT	QTY-YOUTH STD	QTY-YOUTH CAL	DOLLARS-YOUTH STD	DOLLARS-YOUTH CAL	QTY-ADULT STD	QTY-ADULT CAL	DOLLARS-ADULT STD	DOLLARS-ADULT CAL	QTY-MLT-MEM STD	QTY-MLT-MEM CAL	QTY-TRANSFER STD	QTY-TRANSFER CAL	QTY-BLIFE STD	QTY-BLIFE CAL	DOLLARS-BLIFE STD	DOLLARS-BLIFE CAL	UNIT STD	UNIT CAL	
S 0042	200	1009	072604	ANDERSON	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=0000 THANE 1635 S YUKON CT										LAKWOOD	C080226	1		
S 0042	9	9	3600		10	10	5000	5000	0	0	0	0	5	5	3300	3300	2000	200	
S 0072	200	1058	075988	MYERS	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=4205 ELMER P O BOX 33213										NORTHGLENN	C080233	1		
S 0072	8	8	3200		7	7	3500	3500	3	3	0	0	7	7	4620	4620	2000	200	
S 0119	31	31	12400		8	8	4000	4000	0	0	0	0	16	16	10560	10560	2000	200	
S 0125	20	20	8000		12	12	6000	6000	0	0	0	0	13	13	8580	8580	2000	200	
S 0150	6	6	2400		4	4	2000	2000	1	1	0	0	6	6	3960	3960	2000	200	
S 0166	1	1	105		0	0	00	00	0	0	0	0	1	1	165	165	00	0	
S 0199	200	1271	002458	KOCH	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=3906 DAVID 700 S FRANKLIN										DENVER	C080209	1		
S 0199	200	1293	081306	WATSON	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=5910 JOANNE K 2851 S YORK CT										DENVER	C080210	1		
S 0199	200	1301	082391	ANDERSON	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=4903 M AUGUST 859 S YORK ST										DENVER	C080209	1		
S 0199	27	27	10800		29	29	14500	14500	1	1	0	0	26	26	17160	17160	2000	200	
S 0206	200	1382	097910	CLARK	THIS MEMBER FAILED THE CONFIDENTIAL CHECK ) DOB=5302 CECILIA I 144 S QUITMAN ST										DENVER	C080219	1		
S 0206	9	9	3600		7	7	3500	3500	0	0	0	0	9	9	5940	5940	2000	200	
S 0243	27	27	10800		10	10	5000	5000	0	0	0	0	27	27	17820	17820	2000	200	
S 0355	17	17	6800		9	9	4500	4500	3	3	0	0	8	8	5280	5280	2000	200	
S 0357	11	11	4400		5	5	2500	2500	2	2	0	0	1	1	660	660	2000	200	
																	9560	9560	

TSBSA008217

September 13, 1977

Mr. Elmer Earl Myers  
7813 Wyandot  
Denver, Colorado 80221

Dear Mr. Myers:

You wrote to us in early September concerning your registration with the Boy Scouts of America. As I mentioned in my letter of August 25, we do not normally give information as to reasons for refusal but do try to maintain the standards for leadership which we feel will best serve the youth who are members.

I believe that you were in Scouting in Rushville, Indiana, when you were a youth and that later you served as an adult in that area. Perhaps something happened at that time in the county in which you lived that would have caused us to refuse you registration. If you were not a resident of that particular city, then I would like for you to give me the facts of where you lived between 1960 and 1970 so that we can clear up any error that we have in our records.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

nt

TSBSA008218

DYKES\_I\_009330

Elmer Myers  
7013 Wyandot  
Denver, Colorado 80221

Sept. 1, 1977

National Office  
Boy Scouts of America  
Attn: MR. RUFUS L. ERNST  
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

Dear Mr. Ernst:

I am writing to you in regards to your letter dated August 25, 1977, which I received August 27, 1977.

In regards to the situation that you are referring to, I would like to know what you are talking about in order to give you more information on it. The way that you are talking, I should already know what is on your file. But I do not know, for if I did, I would not be asking you for information on it.

Also, it is supposed to be something that happened in the past, then why is it that it is just now showing up, and after I have been registered for the past several years in the Denver Area Council?

You want me to elaborate on the situation, but; I have nothing to go on. If I knew what was there, then I could give you more information. I feel that I should be advised by you as to what you are judging me on.

I have always been a good person and a person should not be judged by past records or mistakes. To take a person for what he shows now. To me you are judging by what is in the past, and not what I have been doing in the past several years with Troop 454.

I feel that you should write to the troop committee of Troop 454 and see what they feel about my performances during the past year that I have been with them, or to advise me the exact charges against me on your records.

If you really want to know, then call me at home: 303-426-5703.

How do you feel you been on this matter?

Elmer Myers  
Elmer Myers

TSBSA008219

DYKES\_I\_009331



August 25, 1977

Mr. Elmer Earl Myers  
7813 Wyandot  
Denver, Colorado 80221

Dear Mr. Myers:

Relating to your registration as a member of the Boy Scouts of America, you indicate that you received word that your registration could not be processed by the National Office.

We do not normally give information as to reasons for refusal of registration but try to maintain the standards for leadership which we feel will best serve the youth who are members. I realize that you have been in Scouting for many years and that you had received the Eagle rank in 1962.

I believe that a situation occurred after that date which caused us to question your ability to serve as an adult leader. We feel at this time that we would not be justified to register you in an adult leadership capacity because of the situation which had occurred previously. If you can give us information which you feel would change the situation which existed in the past, we shall be most happy to consider it. Please let us know if you wish to pursue this further, but at the present time our decision must stand--that we will not process your registration.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

nt

TSBSA008220

DYKES\_I\_009332

Dear Sir:

Recently, I was informed by Mr. Neal Price, of Denver Area Council, Boy Scouts of America, that my application for registration, had been denied.

To say I was stunned and hurt, would say the least. I could not understand this type of action.

I have always been taught by the boy scouts, both as a youth and as an adult leader, that all volunteers were welcome in the scouting program.

As a youth, I worked many hard hours for advancing through the scouting ranks, to attain my final goal, that of Eagle Scout. As an adult leader, I have also worked many hard hours, both registered and non-registered. Just recently I completed an adult training class here in Denver, and was accepted for wood badge, but, due to personal problems, was unable to attend.

TSBSA008221

DYKES\_I\_009333

I am married, have a <sup>(old just turned)</sup> 7 year old son, who is in Cub Scouts, 3 year old twin boys, and another son 8 weeks.

Therefore, I am requesting from you to explain to me your refusal to accept my application as Asst. Sm. of Troop 454, or to re-consider and allow me to be registered as such with the troop. This would have been my third or fourth registration in the Glenview Area Council, second in Troop 454.

I hope to hear from you soon on this matter, either good or bad.

Thank you for your cooperation on this matter.

Yours in Scouting,  
C. C. Speal

C. C. Speal  
Mr. Speal  
Troop Committee, Troop 454

TSBSA008222

DYKES\_I\_009334

June 17, 1977

Mr. Robert F. Meinholz  
Scout Executive  
Denver Area Council, No. 61

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Elmer Myers  
Assistant Scoutmaster, Tr. 454

Dear Bob:

Thank you for your reply to our identification questionnaire concerning Elmer Myers. Since, it is certain that your Mr. Myers is the same individual as one we put on our Confidential File in 1968, we regret to inform you that we cannot accept his application.

When informing Mr. Myers about this, simply tell him that the National Council does not wish to accept his registration in the Boy Scouts of America. If Mr. Myers should raise any questions as to reason, you might indicate to him that registration in the Boy Scouts of America is a privilege and not a right and that the National Council reserves the prerogative to accept those individuals it feels will best serve the interests of the organization.

We are enclosing a credit notice of \$3.50. Please delete Mr. Myers' name from your records.

Sincerely,

Paul I. Ernst, Director  
Registration & Subscription Service

ad  
Encl: Credit Notice # 39422

TSBSA008223

DYKES\_I\_009335

09811622953

### ADULT APPLICATION

PACK NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 TROOP NO. 454 OR  COUNCIL/DISTRICT POSITION \_\_\_\_\_  
 POST NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
 SHIP NO. \_\_\_\_\_

FULLY TRAINED

DISTRICT NO. 5

PLEASE PRINT ONE LETTER IN EACH SPACE—PRESS HARD, YOU ARE MAKING THREE COPIES

NAME M Y E R S , E I M E R

AGE 34

POSITION SA  
UNIT CODE

PRINT FIRST NAME FIRST—LEAVE A SPACE BETWEEN FIRST

ADDRESS—STREET OR R.F.D.

2241 W 80th Pl.

COLLEGE SCOUTER RESERVE USE YOUR MAILING ADDRESS AT COLLEGE

CITY

DENVER COLO

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT

**ELMER MYERS**

IS REGISTERED WITH THE

**BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA**

**ASST. SCOUTMASTER**

TROOP **454**  
DENVER CO.

TO THE LAST DAY OF

**61-5 MARCH 1978**

THIS CERTIFICATE IS NOT TRANSFERABLE AND IS VOID AFTER EXPIRATION DATE. IT MUST BE SHOWN TO LOCAL DISTRIBUTOR WHEN PURCHASING UNIFORMS.

28-405C

EXPLORING

CHECK ONE  
 NEW LEADER  
 FORMER LEADER

ZIP CODE 80221

DATE 3-14-77

428-6061 HOME PHONE Former Eagle Scout PREVIOUS SCOUTING BACKGROUND

Shipping Warehouse OCCUPATION, EMPLOYER, AND BUSINESS

REGISTRATION FEE	EXPLORING/BOYS LIFE FEE	TERM (MONTHS)
<u>3.50</u>	<u>3.00</u>	<u>12</u>

COUNCIL \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE [Signature] SEE COVER

APPROVAL [Signature] SEE COVER

NATIONAL COPY

If you have an unexpired registration certificate from another council or position, you may register with no fee. Check this box and attach the certificate. It will be returned by the council.

FOR COUNCIL USE

**NC 61**

### IDENTIFICATION QUESTIONNAIRE

COUNCIL NO.	DISTRICT NO.	UNIT
<u>61</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>/tr. 454</u>

DATE May 6, 1977

RETURN PROMPTLY TO:  
Registration and Subscription  
Boy Scouts of America  
(MARKED PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL)

Did he receive eagle in Beville, Texas while in the service?? Yes (NAVY)

SCOUTER Elmer Myers POSITION SA

ADDRESS 2241 W 80th Pl. Denver, Co. TELEPHONE NO. 428-6061  
7813 WYANDOT ST. 80221 428-1097

Lived in Rushville, Ind?? 1968  YES  NO

Is first or middle name ELMER MYERS  YES  NO

Full name ELMER MYERS

Exact age 35 First Elmer Middle Myers Last Myers

Spouse's name [Divorced] How long married [Divorced]

Children: \_\_\_\_\_ Names and ages \_\_\_\_\_

Education \_\_\_\_\_ Where \_\_\_\_\_?

Occupation Warehouse/Shipping

(5/18/42 - BIRTHDATE)

Race WHITE

Hair  red  brown  blue  hazel  green  black  gray

Eyes \_\_\_\_\_

Approx Height 5'10" Weight 195

Date 5/31/77

Signature [Signature]  
Scout Executive

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SHADED AREAS AND AS MANY OTHERS AS POSSIBLE  
WAS REGISTERED IN 1976 IN OUR COUNCIL

August 21, 1968

Mr..

Mr. James E. Bishop  
Scout Executive  
Whitewater Valley Council, No. 151

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL  
Re: Elmer Earl Myers

Dear Jim:

Thank you for your note of August 12 and the enclosed confidential record sheet and pertinent data concerning Elmer E. Myers. We have placed this information in our file.

This additional information will enable us to identify Mr. Myers, should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

ek

TS/MS/K/S v. BSA  
Produced Pursuant to  
Court Order 03-237214-9

TSBSA008225

DYKES\_I\_009337

August 15, 1968

Mr. James E. Bishop  
Scout Executive  
Whitewater Valley Council, No. 151

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Jim:

We wrote you originally on May 6, followed up on June 6 and sent still another follow up on July 10. We still have not received from you a confidential record sheet on Mr. Elmer E. Myers, formerly registered as Committeeman in Troop 127. Won't you please fill it out soon send it to us.

If you are unable to do this, we will have to cancel Mr. Myers' confidential file case about which you originally wrote us on April 30 because, unless we have identifying information, we would be unable to pick him up should he attempt to register at some future time.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

clr  
Encl.

TSBSA008226

DYKES\_I\_009338

Mr. Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service  
National Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Whitewater Valley Council, Inc.  
Boy Scouts of America  
1016 E. Main St.  
RICHMOND, INDIANA 47374

SUBJECT

Elmer E. Myers Confidential record

DATE

8-12-68

**SPEEDY  
REPLY MESSAGE**

FOLD ▼ MESSAGE

Dear Howard,

We have finally been able to secure all the supporting information which I believe will now complete your confidential record for Elmer E. Myers, which we first reported to you on April 30, 1968.

Sorry, to be so long in securing this information but I have finally been able to secure it from the Prosecuting Attorney.

Hope this will complete the record.

Sincerely,

*Jim*  
Jim Bishop  
Scout Executive

*You have the  
other materials  
sent April 30*

SIGNED

DATE OF REPLY

REPLY TO

REPLY

FOLD ▼

RECIPIENT

SIGNED

WHITE COPY

TSBSA008227



James L. Lowry  
Prosecuting Attorney  
65th Judicial Circuit  
126 W. Second Street  
Rushville, Indiana 46173  
Telephone 932-3947

August 2, 1968

Mr. James Bishop  
Whitewater Valley Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
1016 East Main Street  
Richmond, Indiana 47374

Re: Elmer E. Myers.

Dear Mr. Bishop:

In response to your telephone inquiry of July 30, 1968, I provide the following information from our files on Elmer Earl Myers. The Elmer Earl Myers with which the Rush County authorities had dealings in 1966 was born on May 18, 1942, S. S. No. [REDACTED] address while in Rushville was 725 North Morgan Street.

The following information is provided for the purpose of identification: Sex - Male, 5'9-1/2" tall, weight 180#, race - Caucasian, Eyes - brown, hair - brown, complexion - fair, build - stocky, marks - burn scar inside upper left biceps.

Mr. Myers spent twelve years in Rush County, and 24 years in the State of Indiana. His birth-place was Greensburg, Indiana. Mr. Myers was a high school graduate and has had occupation in clerical and sales work. Mr. Myers was married on February 20, 1965 in Lebanon, Indiana, to Rosemary Regina Honan. His father's name is John H. Myers and was born in Greensburg, Indiana; his mother's name is Margaret Myers and was born in Greensburg, Indiana; her former name was Margaret Edmondson. The mother's address is 635 West 10th Street, Rushville, Indiana. Mr. Elmer E. Myers was arrested for sodomy in Rush County, and charged in Cause No. 845 by the then Prosecuting Attorney, C. Jack Clarkson. On August 22, 1966, Mr. Myers entered a plea of guilty to said charge of sodomy. He was sentenced to serve two to fourteen years at the Indiana Reformatory, and

TSBSA008228

DYKES\_I\_009340


Mr. James Bishop  
August 2, 1968  
Page 2.

said sentence was suspended. The special conditions of said suspension were that he obtain treatment on an out-patient basis at the Larue Carter Hospital, and comply with local probation and rigid local supervision. It is my understanding that subsequent to said guilty plea on August 18, 1966, he was convicted by the Marion County Courts of a similar charge and sentenced to serve time in the Reformatory.

It is also my understanding that the National Boy Scouts of America Headquarters has a complete write-up on the said Elmer Earl Myers' background, and that said information can be obtained through the Larue Carter Hospital at the I. U. Medical Center.

I hope this information is of some value to you and has answered some of your questions. If I can be of further assistance, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely yours,

  
James L. Lowry, Prosecuting Attorney  
65th Judicial Circuit

JLL:nla

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008229

DYKES\_I\_009341

July 10, 1968

Mr. James E. Bishop  
Scout Executive  
Whitewater Valley Council, No. 151

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Jim:

Sorry to have to write again concerning Elmer E. Myers, formerly registered as a Committeeman in Troop 127, about whom you wrote us on April 30, but we still have not received the confidential record sheet we need.

Won't you please try to fill it out and return it as soon as possible? We cannot complete our records until we receive this completed form. Your help will be much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

ek  
Encl.

TSBSA008230

DYKES\_I\_009342

June 6, 1968  
May 6, 1968

Mr. James E. Bishop  
Scout Executive  
Whitewater Valley Council, No. 151 PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Jim:

Thank you for your letter of April 30 and the substantiating material you enclosed concerning Elmer E. Myers, formerly registered as a Committeeman in Troop 127. We have placed this information in our files.

Enclosed is a confidential record sheet which we would very much appreciate your filling out and returning to us as soon as possible. This additional information will enable us to identify this individual should he ever again attempt to register in the Scouting program.

Sincerely,

Howard Boyd, Director  
Registration and Fulfillment Service

clr  
Encl.

TSBSA008231

DYKES\_I\_009343

WHITEWATER VALLEY COUNCIL, INC.  
COUNCIL No. 151  
**BOY SCOUTS of AMERICA**  
Telephone 317 - 966-1036 - 1016 East Main Street - Richmond, Indiana 47374

April 30, 1968

PERSONAL AND CONFIDENTIAL

Mr. Howard P. Boyd  
Director of Registration  
National Council  
Boy Scouts of America  
New Brunswick, New Jersey

Dear Howard:

We must ask that Elmer E. Myers be placed on the "red flag" or Confidential File. The details are attached, including newspaper accounts and a statement from the Prosecuting Attorney's office of Marion County, Indiana.

Name ..... Elmer E. Myers  
Address .. 725 North Morgan Street (on June 24, 1966)  
Rushville, Indiana  
Age .. 24 years on June 24, 1966...White... American Citizen

Scouting record in this Council ...


6-59 to 10-61 ..... Troop 23, Boy Scout  
10-61 to 10-62 ..... Troop 23, Assistant Scoutmaster  
In armed services.... received Eagle while in service at  
Beeville, Texas, we understand  
11-64 to 11-66 ..... Troop 127, Troop Committee

He served on our Bear Creek Scout Reservation summer training camp in the summer of 1964, as field sports instructor, and received a poor performance rating from the Camp Director.

His known criminal record is on file in the Prosecutors office of Marion County, Indiana, at Indianapolis. There "On August 18, 1966, Elmer Myers plead not guilty to Sodomy. He was found guilty as charged and sent to Indiana State Reformatory 2-14 years and \$100.00 and costs."

Please advise if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

  
James E. Bishop  
Scout Executive

Enc: 3

YOU CAN WILL A BETTER SCOUTING PROGRAM... OPERATING FUNDS THROUGH THE COOPERATION OF UNITED FUNDS, SUSTAINING MEMBERS, AND INDEPENDENT CAMPAIGNS IN THE COUNCIL AREA.



TSBSA008232

DYKES\_I\_009344

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF MARION COUNTY  
NOBLE R. PEARCY, PROSECUTOR  
CITY-COUNTY BUILDING  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204

On August 18, 1966 Elmer Myers plead not guilty to Sodomy.  
He was found guilty as charged and Sent to Indiana State  
Reformatory 2-14 years and \$100.00 and costs.

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al Cause No. 032372149  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008233

DYKES\_I\_009345

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF MARION COUNTY  
NOBLE R. PEARCY, PROSECUTOR  
CITY-COUNTY BUILDING  
INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA 46204

On August 18, 1966 Elmer Myers plead not guilty to Sodomy.  
He was found guilty as charged and Sent to Indiana State  
Reformatory 2-14 years and \$100.00 and costs.

TS/MS/KS v. BSA et al. Cause No. 03-372749  
Produced Pursuant to Protective Order

TSBSA008234

DYKES\_I\_009346

Learn at our resident job  
 through home study in  
 short weeks. We will help  
 you on a top paying job  
 previous experience necessary.  
 Approved by the Indiana  
 Training Agency for Vocational  
 Training.

Some of the marchers chanted  
 "black power" — the theme  
 emphasized by the more militant  
 Negroes were killed.  
 It was Hicks who repeatedly  
 called during the 22-day trek for  
 a black power crusade and  
 threatened that white blood  
 would be spilled if any more  
 Negroes were killed.  
 "Those are our flags," he said  
 loudly.  
 It was Hicks who repeatedly  
 called during the 22-day trek for  
 a black power crusade and  
 threatened that white blood  
 would be spilled if any more  
 Negroes were killed.

LEWIS — Name is a killer whale,  
 be taken captive and live, but he's  
 Griffin, who took

# RUSHVILLE REPUBLIC

Rushville, Indiana, Monday, June 27, 1966

Established 1840

... through  
 vily Negro populated  
 he trek covered 252 miles on  
 highways, many more inside  
 Mississippi towns as  
 esville, Grenada, Green-  
 rd, Ita Benz, and Bohol. A  
 Continued on Page Two

## Case Moved To Circuit Court

Elmer Myers, 22, 719 North Morgan Street, arrested last week by city police on a serious charge involving young boys appeared in Bush Circuit Court this morning.

Myers case was transferred to the highest court after he was arrested on a charge of molesting the femininity of minors. The charge in circuit court against the local man is expected to be sodomy.

Myers told Judge William F. Marshall that he had counsel, Herbert E. Hartman of Indianapolis, but wished additional time to consult with the attorney before arraignment. The court granted his request and Myers will be arraigned later.

wife after she ran in the garage and wrapped her in a quilt to smother the flames.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Valentine, who were passing in a car, stopped and drove Mrs. Valentine to Walls County Hospital. She was burned over 80 per cent of her body and died 48 hours later.

## Man Is Killed By Tombstone

LEOMINSTER, Mass. (AP)—Joseph D. Gillis, 57, was killed when a tombstone fell on him.

Dr. Charles Wheeler, medical examiner, said Gillis was asphyxiated Sunday by a 200-pound tombstone he grabbed when he lost his balance while walking in Pine Grove Cemetery. The stone fell on the man's chest, Dr. Wheeler said.

## Charges Of Misconduct

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Thomas J. Dodd made a sworn denial of misconduct charges today and accused trusted employees in his office, who fed documents from his files to newspaper columnists, of "robbing me blind."

Dodd took the stand in his own defense at a climactic session of the Senate Ethics Committee hearings into his misconduct charges.

Before Dodd testified, his attorney had asked that the committee's ranking Republican member, Sen. Wallace Bennett of Utah be disqualified for having made "a prejudgment before hearing the most vital evidence — the testimony of Sen. Dodd himself." The request was tabled.

The committee also heard Mrs. Dodd swear that it was she, not Chicago public relations man Julius Klein, who bought Persian rugs now in the Dodd Washington home. Papers she identified as receipts for the

## Accidents occur Saturday near Carthage

A girl was slightly injured in one of two automobile accidents investigated by Deputy Sheriff Wayne Peters in the Carthage area Saturday evening.

Miss Judith P. Zimmerman, 14, of Carthage was scratched and bruised when thrown from car she was driving southeast of Carthage at 6:10 p.m.

Miss Zimmerman, who was alone, told Deputy Peters she lost control of the car and left the road and went through fence on the Charles Black farm. Damage to the car, owned by

TS/SA 008235



# REPUBLICAN

RUSHVILLE REPUBLICAN

June 24, 1966

RUSHVILLE, IND. Ten Pages

Ten Cents

## Police Report Several Items On Their List

A local youth was arrested last night on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of minors and was placed in the county jail.

Elmer Myers, 24, 725 North Morgan Street, was picked up at his home by city officers and they had interviewed four young boys. Myers will be held under \$1,000 bond on the charge. He was arrested at 9:15 p.m.

William Minneman, 45, 320 West First Street, was charged with assault and battery with a complaint signed against him in Justice of the Peace Court. The affidavit against Minneman was brought by Mrs. Vernon Hornaday, charging that the alleged offense occurred Wednesday in the 200 block of West First Street. Minneman has entered a not guilty plea and has been released on his own recognizance.

City officers also investigated a traffic crash yesterday at 1:30 p.m. at the intersection of Eleventh and Harrison Streets. Cars involved were driven by William Matney, 25, 531 North Arthur Street and Eva L. Meyers, 45, Route 4. Matney was en route east on West Eleventh and Mrs. Meyers was traveling south on Harrison.

The police reported that Mrs. Meyers failed to see the approaching car and pulled out onto Eleventh, striking the other vehicle in the left side. Damage was listed at \$500 to Matney's 1962 model and \$350 to the 1963 model driven by Mrs. Meyers.

She was charged with failure to yield the right of way and appeared this morning in JP Court, paying a fine of \$1 and costs, \$19.25.

In other JP Court appearance, Alden S. Jones, 52, Connersville, was fined \$1 and costs, \$19.25, after pleading guilty to a failure to yield the right of

## Racial Violence Flares In Cleveland As Well As On Mississippi March

CLEVELAND, Ohio (AP) — The summer calm in an East Side neighborhood was shattered by violence Thursday night as a young Negro boy was shot and wounded; a white woman was injured by a thrown brick, and shots were fired at two policemen.

Several businesses operated by white men were looted and vandalized.

It was the second night of trouble in the area but police said the situation was brought under control quickly.

The violence erupted along a section of Superior Avenue where Negro and white neighborhoods come together.

Earl Stapler, 39, a Negro, told a newsmen, "We want all the white businessmen out of this area, and you can quote me on that. If we can't go into Sowinski Park, then they can't come over here."

The Sowinski area has been a trouble spot before. Racial disturbances broke out there three years ago after a 15-year-old white girl was attacked by a group of Negro youths in the park.

The wounded boy, 3-year-old Stephen Griffin, was reported in fair condition at Mt. Sinai Hospital with a bullet wound in the lower abdomen. His brother, Richard, 16, said a white man fired the shot from a passing convertible.

There appeared to be no reason for the shooting, witnesses said.

Two patrolmen said they were fired on by two men across the street as they drove up in front of a grocery, where a smoke bomb had been thrown through the window. The men who fired

CANTON, Miss. (AP) — Frenzied by a hectic night of tear gas and tension, the Mississippi march regroups today for new "confrontations."

Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. said a detachment would drive 60 miles east to Philadelphia, Miss., a Ku Klux Klan stronghold, for a rally.

"We will maintain the peace come hell or high water," said Gov. Paul Johnson, in urging Philadelphia residents to stay away from the rally—part of the march's effort to spur Negro voter registration.

The busy schedule also called for organization of Negro boycott of downtown white merchants and a general work stoppage by Negroes in Canton, while a few continue the march toward Jackson.

From Canton, the march swings south along U.S. 51, the same highway where it all was started by James H. Meredith in Memphis, Tenn., 20 days and 220 miles ago. Jackson is 20 miles from Canton.

Meredith is the slender Negro who broke the racial barrier at the University of Mississippi in 1962. He was wounded by shotgun blasts June 6 as he walked near Hernando. Civil rights leaders rushed in to take up his march.

Recovered from his wounds, Meredith—now a Columbia University law student—planned to rejoin the march today.

Claude Sterrett, traveling with Meredith, said they would leave Memphis by car at 3 p.m. EST.

Meredith was carrying the ivory and ebony walking cane given him by an African chief-tain with tape binding the



Communist Party convention in New York... called for a left-wing... in 1968... anti-communist... (AP Wirephoto)

## Give Historic Crydon Event

...of our army in the Revolutionary War... said...

With such salaries as this, we will bankrupt Indiana before we have time to sew our stars on the flag.

Still playing his role, Green bowed graciously but mockingly to Gov. Roger D. Branigin and former Gov. Henry F. Schricker, and said:

And I doubt that Indiana will ever have a governor worth