



Celia Martinez is a dedicated community leader, scouting volunteer, and corporate professional with a strong commitment to service, education, and mentorship. She joined the Boy Scouts of America in 2018 as a Committee Member for Troop 275, inspired by her son Giovanni's involvement in scouting. Since that time, Celia has continuously expanded her leadership roles and training to better serve youth and families, particularly within the Latino community.

In 2021, Celia served as Scoutmaster for Troop 2019 Girls and actively participated in campouts, Courts of Honor, advancements, and Makajawan Summer Camp. She further strengthened her leadership skills by completing Wood Badge training in 2021, earning her beads, and later completing Okpik cold-weather training in January 2024 after returning from a family emergency. Her dedication to scouting is evident through her ongoing involvement in summer camps, even after her son aged out of the troop program.

Celia has played a key role in community outreach by coordinating opportunities for scouts to give back through Eagle Projects and participating in local events throughout the Round Lake area. She regularly represents scouting at elementary school open houses, explains scouting methods to families, and has presented Scout Sunday for several years at Lake Region Bible Church. In addition, she serves as a role model and translator during Learn-to-Swim programs, helping parents overcome barriers to participation.

In 2026, Troop 2019G and Troop 275B combined to form Family Troop 275, where Celia now serves as Scoutmaster. She is trusted and respected by parents and leaders alike for her calm leadership, preparedness, and compassion. Her commitment to safety is reflected in her CPR and food safety training, and she has demonstrated extraordinary selflessness by responding to medical emergencies and assisting individuals until family support arrived.

Professionally, Celia began her career at Vonco Products in 2000 and has dedicated 26 years to the company. Vonco, based in Wisconsin, specializes in custom flexible packaging for medical, consumer, and industrial markets. Throughout her career, Celia has advanced from Machine Operator to Quality Technician, Quality Validation Specialist, and currently serves as an Onboarding Coordinator, where she supports new hires and contributes to improving training processes.

Celia Martinez exemplifies leadership through service, integrity, and compassion, making a lasting impact in both her professional career and the communities she serves.