

## Members-at-Large



### **Cheryl Waybright | Atlanta, Georgia**

Born in Virginia, lifetime Girl Scout member Cheryl Waybright earned her First Class (now known as the Gold Award) in May 1980 while a Girl Scout in the Nation's Capital Council. She became a volunteer member and troop leader in the Girl Scouts of Greater Atlanta Council in 2009 and has been active ever since.

Cheryl currently serves as her daughter's troop leader. She has been a Service Unit Director and Council Trainer and is currently the Secretary of the Atlanta Area Trefoil Guild, one of the first organized in the United States.

Cheryl is a devoted Hokie, and the Virginia Tech motto "Ut Prosim" serves as her mantra. She leverages "That I May Serve" as she leads others to be servant leaders in the many volunteer roles she has held for multiple organizations. Her passion rests firmly in ensuring good governance that is honest and fair because she believes good governance elevates member-centric organizations such as Girl Scouts to greatness.

Cheryl is founder and president of Brightway Concepts, LLC, a consulting firm focused on business strategy & navigation, risk mitigation, and asset coordination including real estate, design, and construction. She is a Fellow of the International Facility Management Association (IFMA) and has served in many leadership positions both nationally and internationally for IFMA and its Foundation. She has been an advocate for accredited degree programs and an advisor to the Georgia Institute of Technology's Integrated Facility & Property Management master's and doctorate programs, Kennesaw State University's Construction Management FM Degree program, and Virginia Tech's College of Architecture & Urban Studies. Prior to starting her consulting firm, she was in Corporate Real Estate (CRE), Facilities, and Design/Construction for over 25 years working for some of the largest CRE firms in delivering top level service to multiple corporations across the globe. Cheryl has also founded a number of not-for-profits to support school and local advocacy initiatives.

Cheryl resides in Smyrna, Georgia with her husband and daughter who is in her 12<sup>th</sup> year as a Girl Scout. Her son is an Eagle Scout and now serves in the United States Army.