

Girl Scout honored



State Senator Tory Rocca delivered a Special Tribute to Elizabeth Popovich of Macomb Township for her work in support of U.S. military personnel. (Ray Skowronek/The Macomb Daily)

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Iroquois Middle School seventh-grader Elizabeth Popovich was recognized recently for her efforts to solicit donations to buy Girl Scout cookies for distribution to U.S. military personnel. State Sen. Tory Rocca visited Elizabeth at her Macomb Township home to present a Special Tribute from the State of Michigan. The official tribute reads, in part: “Because she grew up near Selfridge Air National Guard Base, she understands the importance of supporting our armed forces.” In the past five years, Elizabeth, has collected some \$40,000, primarily from local businesses. She collected \$18,000 in 2014 alone. Now a Cadette-level scout, Elizabeth will resume her fund-raising activities in December, the same month she turns 13. Persons who wish to donate to Elizabeth’s effort can contact her via email at COOKIES4TROOPS@COMCAST.NET. She also maintains a post office box for donations: Cookies 4 Troops, C/O Elizabeth Popovich, P.O. Box 437, 51194 Romeo Plank, Macomb Twp., MI 48042.