Missouri Girl Scout troop leaves organization after Scout leadership banned Gaza fundraiser



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St. Louis, February 29 (RHC)-- In the U.S. state of Missouri, a Girl Scout troop has split from the organization after the group made legal threats against the girls for running a fundraiser benefiting Palestinian children.

Girl Scout mother Nawal Abuhamdeh said that instead of selling cookies this year, her 10-year-old daughter and sister troop members decided to make and sell bracelets with beads in the colors of the Palestinian flag, spelling out "Gaza" and "Palestine."

The Girl Scouts of Eastern Missouri deemed the move "political," banning them from continuing their fundraiser for the Palestine Children's Relief Fund.

In response, the girls decided to part ways with the Girl Scouts organization.

They are continuing their fundraiser, which has raised over \$10,000 so far.

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