



Thomas Gonzalez
Chief Executive Officer,
American Red Cross Pikes Peak Chapter

Thomas L. Gonzalez joins the Red Cross as the new Chief Executive Officer for the Pikes Peak Chapter headquartered in Colorado Springs, CO effective on April 5, 2010. Tom had recently been the Chief Development Officer for the Denver Area Council, Boy Scouts of America. His 17 years of service with the Boy Scouts of America includes work with three Boy Scout Councils: Okaw Valley Council (Bellville/East St. Louis, Illinois), Detroit Area Council (Detroit, Michigan), and the Denver Area Council (Denver, Colorado). During his tenure with the Boy Scouts, he recruited tens of thousands of youth and volunteers and raised over 50 million dollars to support the operations of the local Boy Scout Councils he served. The first youth that Tom ever recruited to become a Boy Scout eventually attained the rank of Eagle Scout. Tom and his wife Elisa are parents of a boy and a girl: Gavin, age 9, and Rianne, age 5. Tom is a graduate of the University of Illinois.

Tom is a new Rotarian with the Rotary Club of Colorado Springs. He has also been selected to participate in the Leadership Pikes Peak Signature Program Class of 2011.