## The Boy Scout And The Not So Good Deed



Cartoon by Syl Mateo

**One of my favorite stories** is about the Little Boy Scout who came home with his uniform in tatters and his body scraped and bruised. His mother asks him what happened and he replies that all he was trying to do was be a good Scout and help an old lady across the street. So how did your clothes get all ripped and torn she asks? Well says the little Scout, she didn't want to go!

I think many of us are starting to feel like that little old lady and our President and Congress are the "Scouts". Problem is, they are trying to take us somewhere we don't want to go. Namely, huge deficits, government run health care, so called Cap and Trade (spelled Tax on Trade), government take over of industry and banks and, need I go on? Most scary of all is that they are just getting started!

If you doubt me and want to get a vision of Government run Health Care, take a look at our Government run School System. Before I retired I can't tell you how many job applicants I interviewed that were high school (and some college) graduates who could not even read and understand, much less, fill out a job application!

What do we have to say or do before the government will understand that what we really want is for them to just LEAVE US ALONE! QUIT RUNNING UP DEBT ON OUR CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN! STOP TRYING TO FIX THINGS THAT THEY ONLY END UP.....FOULING UP! -Bob