

WASHINGTON STATE PATRIOT GUARD RIDERS RIDE CAPTAIN RECOMMENDATION APPLICATION

Requirements:

- A member in good standing of the Patriot Guard Riders national organization.
- A member in good standing of the Washington State Patriot Guard Riders organization.
- A Washington State resident, valid Washington State driver's license, valid Motorcycle endorsement, and valid motorcycle insurance.
- Will complete an Experience Rider Course within twelve months of Permanent Appointment date.
- A Washington State Ride Captain will serve in that capacity for a minimum of one year and thereafter for an indefinite period of time, or until their voluntary separation or Dismissal for Cause.

Ride Captains In Training:

- An RC in training will serve a probationary period of not less than 90 days.
- During the probationary period the RC in training will act under the direct supervision of the RC in charge of each mission for at least three missions. This shall include all phases of the mission required.
- ASC's, District Captains, and experienced RC's will assist in training as may be necessary.
- At the end of the probationary period the training reports from the RC's involved in the training, along with documentation of the completion of the training requirements, will be reviewed by the District Captain.
- Upon the District Captain's approval, the RC in training will be recommended through the Assistant State Captain to the State Captain for approval and appointment to a permanent RC status.

Cause For Extension or Dismissal:

- An RC in training may have the probation period extended, or may be dismissed for cause, by a recommendation of the District Captain and the approval of the State Captain.
- A permanent RC may be dismissed for cause, which may include the failure to obtain an ERC card within a one-year period, by a presentation of the cause by the District Captain and Assistant State Captain to, and approval by the State Captain.
- If a recommendation for dismissal is brought before the State Captain the RC or RC in training will be notified a minimum of 14 days prior to any hearing for dismissal.
- All hearings for dismissal of a Ride Captain from that position will be held in a closed session by the Washington State Patriot Guard Riders Board of Directors. Witnesses and testimony will be heard during that hearing. The decision of the State Captain will be presented to the BOD for approval by voice vote, and will be final without any additional appeal. A vote of dismissal by the BOD will confirm removal of the RC from the roles of the WSPGR Ride Captains, and a representative copy of the BOD's proceedings will be submitted to National for their records.

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Name of Appointee:

E-Mail Address:

Motorcycle Endorsement: No: Yes:

ERC: No: Yes: Date:

Current Motorcycle Insurance: No: Yes:

Name of Sponsor (Must be min. RC level):

E-Mail Address:

District Captain:

E-Mail Address:

District Captain's Approval: No: Yes: Date:

Assistant State Captain's Approval: No: Yes: Date:

Ass't State Captain's Email Address:

State Captain:

E-Mail Address:

State Captain's Approval: No: Yes:

Appointment by State Captain. Date:

Board of Directors Confirmation Date: