



NORTH CAROLINA COMMUNITY COLLEGE SYSTEM

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Public Safety Memo PS22-01

This memo supersedes memo PS21-03 for information related to ENCRS

To: Senior Continuing Education Administrators

From: Tracy McPherson, Director, Public Safety Training Programs
North Carolina Community College System

RE: **Eastern North Carolina Rescue Squad (ENCRS)
Update on Registration Fee Waiver Eligibility**

The purpose of this memo is to provide an update to previous memo PS21-03, as related to the registration fee-waiver eligibility of persons affiliated with Eastern North Carolina Rescue Squad (ENCRS).

Based on updated information, **the System Office has assessed that as of December 20, 2021, personnel and volunteers of Eastern North Carolina Rescue Squad are eligible for a fee waiver as a “volunteer search and rescue team”** under the “Rescue and Lifesaving Departments” section of the *Tuition and Registration Fee Waiver Reference Guide*, as found on page 16 of the current guide ([CC18-053](#)). As noted in the current guidance, this means that members of ENCRS would be eligible for fee waivers for the following:

Continuing Education:

For Volunteer, Municipal, County, or State Rescue Squad Members, and Search and Rescue Team Members:

- Courses with an EPT course prefix
- Courses with an SAF prefix related to first aid or CPR
- FIP-7000 Traffic Incident Management, and other courses with an EMS or FIP course prefix when such training is for authorized persons whose duties within the rescue squad necessitate such training.

Please be advised that the *Tuition and Registration Fee Waiver Reference Guide* is updated periodically to reflect changes in law or policy or to provide other clarifications; therefore, always consult the most current version of the document when assessing any waiver eligibility.

Thank you for your support of public safety training and your diligence in applying fee waivers appropriately. If you have questions, please contact me at mcphersont@nccommunitycolleges.edu.

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