

Appendix B: Guidance on Survivor Eligibility for Riders

Law Enforcement United Survivor Eligibility Status Explanation

Direct Survivor

- Immediate household of the fallen
 - Spouse
 - Significant other
 - Children/stepchildren
- Immediate family member of the fallen
 - Parent
 - Sibling
 - Grandparent
 - In-law
 - Guardian

Indirect Survivor

- Co-worker to the fallen
- Other agencies involved with fallen

*These are guidelines only. Each Division has the authority to classify a survivor's status based on the established criteria above. Extenuating circumstances outside these parameters will be submitted to the National Board who retains the right to approve, deny, or change a division's decision based on further information received during any appeal process. Should one Division make the decision that an applicant is not a survivor and that applicant request to ride with another Division, no Division will have the authority to approve, once denied by another Division.

Any divisions with eligibility decisions (approval/denial) should be communicated to National Board for situational awareness across all divisions

Appeal Process

Member who wishes to appeal Division decision should make written request to Contact@leunited.org

Please provide specific details and reasons to request appeal. National Board will review request and make final decision by majority vote and communicate in writing to that member directly.