



COMBAT VETERANSS MOTORCYCLE ASSOCIATION
CHAPTER 23-2

El Paso, Texas



POLICY 1-7-16 Effective: 1 January 2016

SUBJECT: Distinguished Rider Program

1. The distinguished rider program is designed to recognize CVMA (Full, auxiliary, or support) members while supporting a CVMA, veteran or community event by recording their accumulated miles when riding their motorcycle.
2. In order for a member to qualify for the distinguished rider program, he/she must be in good standing with the chapter according to the National Bylaws.
3. In order for a ride to be classified as a mileage ride, there must be at least two CVMA members present at the beginning of the ride.
4. Riders must complete at least half the ride in order to receive credit for any miles ridden even if they couldn't complete the entire ride.
5. All rides should be scheduled, posted, and made available to all members at preferably 1 hour prior to the ride in order for members to be able to plan for the ride. (Road CPTs/Ride Leaders are responsible for posting a Link Up location and Kick Stands Up time).
6. Any and all chapter scheduled events will take precedence over any distinguished rider program rides when considering participation. A member may account for miles during all CVMA event rides.
7. All rides will have a predetermined start and end point (route). These points will be determined by the senior rider within the group.
8. Regular events like (bike night, chapter meetings, Patriot Guard support, etc.) will count toward accumulated miles.
9. Upon completion of a ride the rider will turn their accumulated miles into the senior Road Captain in order to record the mileage. The Chapter SAA will be the oversight on this program.



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10. Individuals who accumulate miles will be recognized at our monthly meeting and be presented with an award depicting the accumulated miles at every significant milestone. The mileage starts at 2500 miles and then 5000, and every 5000 after that.

11. All mileage will be recorded on the chart listed in annex 1. This chart will be maintained by the Chapter Executive Officer and overseen by the Chapter SAA.

Attached: ANNEX A

BY DIRECTION OF THE CBOD:

Chapter CDR _____

Chapter SEC _____

Chapter SAA _____

Chapter XO _____

Chapter TRES _____

Chapter PRO _____

