



The American Legion, Department of Tennessee
318 Donelson Pike Nashville, TN 37214



"APPLICATION FOR CHARTER"
American Legion Riders (ALR)

SECTION 1: The American Legion Riders (ALR) is formed to promote the aims and purpose of The American Legion as a family oriented motorcycling activity for members of The American Legion, The American Legion Auxiliary, and the Sons of The American Legion.

SECTION 2: Resolution No. 35: American Legion Riders as a National Program, administered by each Department, passed by the National Executive Committee of The American Legion, Indianapolis, Indiana October 17-18, 2007; and subsequent Resolution No. 32 amending Resolution No. 35, passed by the National Executive Committee, Indianapolis, Indiana May 4-5, 2011. Application for recognition within the American Legion Department of Tennessee requires a Charter Application from the sponsoring American Legion Post. Provisions of The American Legion National and Department Constitution and Bylaws and The American Legion, Department of Tennessee Riders Constitution and Bylaws apply. There shall be no form of class or membership except an active paid current The American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, or the Sons of the American Legion of the sponsoring American Legion Post membership.

SECTION 3: Minimum number of paid current members to acquire and maintain a Legion Rider Charter will be five (5), of which three (3) must be Legionnaires. Remainder may be Auxiliary, or Sons of the American Legion members of the sponsoring American Legion Post.

SECTION 4: The American Legion Riders (ALR) will uphold the declared principles of The American Legion as well as conforms to and abides by the regulations and decisions of the Department and Post and other duly constitutional governing bodies.

SECTION 5: The American Legion Riders (ALR) will maintain and always protect the image of The American Legion through appropriate wearing of The American Legion Emblem. ALR shoulder patches, back patches and rockers are dictated by the Department American Legion Riders Constitution and Bylaws and will be worn by American Legion Riders when riding or performing as American Legion Riders.

SECTION 6: Members of the ALR will avoid any perception of being a motorcycle or "biker" club or gang.

SECTION 7: ALR Members will not at any time hold membership in more than one American Legion Riders.

SECTION 8: ALR members must be the legally registered owner of a motorcycle, or the spouse of the legally registered owner within the State of Tennessee. All operators must be properly licensed and insured per Tennessee State Law.

SECTION 9: The "Sponsoring American Legion Post" is responsible for monitoring the actions of their respective ALR group. With appropriate cause, the sponsoring American Legion Post can recommend to the Department Executive Committee (DEC) that their respective ALR Charter be cancelled. The respective Post Executive Committee will be charged with oversight supervision and approval of ALR activities, or group rides. The Post ALR group will be responsible to The American Legion Post Executive Committee.

Understanding all Sections above, American Legion Post No, _____ located at _____, TN does make application for an American Legion Rider Charter. On issuance of an ALR charter we hereby agree to organize and maintain under the designated name, with the minimum paid current membership as designated by The American Legion Department of Tennessee Legion Riders Constitution and Bylaws. Failure to comply with edits of said constitution & by-laws may result in civil, or Legion litigation. The American Legion, Department of Tennessee Executive Committee (DEC) retains final authority in all matters regarding enforcing the edits of Constitution and Bylaws.

Post Commander's Signature

Post Adjutant's Signature

Post Commander's Printed or Typed Name and Date

Post Adjutant's Printed or Typed Name and Date

(ALR Proposed members) "Five minimum" Legion, Auxiliary, SAL Membership Number Address, three need to be Legionnaires.

Table with 4 columns: First Name, Last Name, Address, Affiliation (AL, ALA, SAL). The table contains 7 empty rows for data entry.

Submit duplicate copies. Additional names may be placed on a separate sheet reflecting the same information.

ALR Post Director's Signature

ALR Director's Address

ALR Post Director's Printed or Typed Name and Date

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