

SAFETY SOP

CHAPTER 12 - MOTORCYCLE MENTORSHIP PROGRAM(MMP)

1201. GENERAL

1. To establish and maintain a spirit of camaraderie and esprit de corps that will enhance the prestige of all motorcycle riders, encourage on-going rider education and skills development, and reduce the potential of motorcycle mishaps. Additionally, set an example for all personnel according to the standards, traditions, and values of the United States Marine Corps. To operate and conduct ourselves in a manner that provides equal opportunity and treatment for all motorcyclists.

1202. ORGANIZATION

1. IAW MCO 5100.19F District will establish and maintain a Motorcycle Mentorship Program. The MMP will be organized by the District Motorcycle Club, managed by the Club President with oversight by the District Safety Officer.

a. The purpose of the motorcycle club is to identify and mentor inexperienced riders, foster respectful riding practices, and ensure continuing education opportunities are available for all Marine Corps club members throughout their riding career.

b. The Motorcycle Club President will be a Marine who has is current with all required training to operate a motorcycle on/off base.

2. Additionally, each RS in the District **WILL** have a Motorcycle Representative who is current with all required training. All RS Motorcycle Representatives fall within the District Motorcycle Club.

1203. ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITES

1. The Safety Officer will ensure that the Motorcycle Club President is maintaining the Motorcycle Mentorship Program.

2. The Motorcycle Club President duties and responsibilities are:

a. Identify Marines and Sailors who have motorcycle license.

b. Track all required training for Motorcycle Club members and is completed within the allotted timeframe.

c. Maintain a Motorcycle Mentorship Program turnover binder with current policies, member roster, member's license and certificates, and meeting minutes.

d. Hold at least **ONE** Motorcycle Club meeting a month to discuss any changes on policy, events, training, or member status (i.e. new members).

e. Ensure that each RS has a Motorcycle Representative.

3. The RS Motorcycle Representative shall inform the Club President on any new members. Also, Motorcycle Representatives will update MCTIMS on all club member's training within their RS.

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1204. TRAINING

1. As part of the MMP; the President of the Motorcycle Club will ensure that all require documents and training will be complete prior to motorcycle driving.
2. Motorcycle Club members must signed the 12TH District Motorcycle SOU and Command Endorsement, provided by the Club President, before commencement of motorcycle riding within the District regardless if required training is completed.
3. Per MARADMIN 707/08 the following courses must be completed prior to riding and registering a motorcycle:
 - a. Basic Rider Course (BRC)
 - b. Advanced Rider Course (ARC)
 - c. Experienced Rider Course and Basic Rider Course 2 (ERC/BRC2)
 - d. Military Sportbike Rider Course (MSRC)
4. BRC is required in order to register motorcycle on base. Must have it done 60 days after purchase. ARC must be completed 90 days after BRC completion.
5. ARC Licenses are good for three years from date of completion. A refresher course must be done prior to expiration date or the club member will have to complete BRC again.