

Notice of Fee Exemption Changes

Fee waiver criteria for Public Safety Personnel in North Carolina have changed beginning August 11, 2016.

- Private, for profit organizations are no longer fee exempt.
- Public Safety personnel are no longer fee exempt if your affiliation (agency) does not provide the service to the public regarding the course you are registering for. For example, firefighters are not fee exempt from EMS classes unless your department provides EMS services.
- Fee exemption is available if the Director/Chief or Administrator will verify that your organization provides, or intends to provide, the service you are requesting to be trained in at Lenoir Community College.

All Fire Department personnel and Law Enforcement officers will be required to submit a letter from their supervisor on agency letterhead. This letter will need to explain how your attendance in this class will benefit the agency. It is required to include in the letter the name of each individual student attending the class.

Specific Public Safety providers whose duty station is on a NC military installation are eligible for the Public Safety Fee Waiver provided their specific duties are engaged in delivering the public safety service (i.e., firefighters whose duty station is on a NC military installation, EMS personnel whose duty station is on a NC military installation, Rescue and lifesaving personal whose duty station is on a NC military base, etc.).

This military fee waiver does not cover active duty personnel who are not affiliated with the public safety delivery agency on the military installation (i.e., hospital personnel not involved in EMS delivery, etc.)

Waivers are no authorized for personnel associated with any other federal entity.

If you have any questions regarding these changes, contact us at 252-527-6223, ext 117.