

## **National Trail Ride Affiliate Sponsorship Rules FAQ's**

1. The Affiliate Sponsor must fill out the MFTHBA National Trail Ride Application in its entirety, and submit it to the MFTHBA office not less than forty five days prior to the proposed date of the ride/event. Incomplete applications may be rejected.
2. There is not an application fee for an affiliate sponsored ride/event. If an MFTHBA affiliate co-sponsors a ride/event with a non-affiliate organization, the \$50.00 application fee for the non-affiliate organization is waived.
3. The event/ride must be a minimum of two days. A guide must be available for a minimum of a two hour ride each day. Participants are not required to ride both days and are not required to accompany the guide. The sponsor will collect from each qualifying participant rider a \$5.00 participation fee that shall be turned into the MFTHBA office.
4. Each Affiliate may sponsor two ride/events annually, and may co-sponsor one additional ride/event with another affiliate or a non-affiliate organization.
5. **Pink ride/events** are held in October during the Breast Cancer Awareness month. This is a one day ride that can be sponsored by any MFTHBA affiliate. An application form must be filled out in its entirety, and submitted to the MFTHBA office not less than forty five days prior to the proposed date of the ride/event. Incomplete applications may be rejected. The donated money collected during this ride/event will be sent by the sponsoring affiliate to the American

Cancer Society for their choice. The sponsor affiliate must send the follow up report with the list of rider participants and the \$5.00 participant fee per rider participant to the MFTHBA office in order for the rider participant's point to count. The Pink rides/events are the only ride/event that **do not** need to be a minimum of two days. The October Pink ride/event does **not count** against the number of ride/events that an affiliate may sponsor.