

TRICOUNTY RESIDENCY

(Marcus Newberry Award)

As defined for purposes of the awarding of the Marcus Newberry Award for the Cooper River Bridge Run. This is a prize awarded annually to the top three male and female Tricounty residents.

Residency means you currently and legally (on the date of the Cooper River Bridge Run) reside in Charleston, Dorchester, or Berkeley counties (hereafter referred to as "Tricounty"). Indicators of residency may include:

- * renting, leasing, or owning property which you use as your primary residence.
- * possessing a current South Carolina driver's license with Tricounty address.
- * being registered to vote in the Tricounty.

By themselves, none of the above indicators is sufficient evidence, as for example, many people fail to surrender their South Carolina driver's license even when required by the jurisdictions which they currently live.(U. S. citizenship is not required.)

In any case, applicant should be able to show convincing indications of having lived in the Tricounty for:

- * currently, and at least 90% of the year dating back to the previous Cooper River Bridge Run.

As a current student at a college, university, or technical school or as an active duty member of the armed forces, you meet the requirements of residency if you:

- * are a student outside of the Tricounty age 23 or younger, and were a resident of the Tricounty prior to your enrollment, and have a Tricounty mailing address, or
- * are a student (of any age) from anywhere else who is currently residing at and enrolled in a Tricounty college, university, or technical school, and have a Tricounty mailing address.
- * are an active duty member of the armed forces age 23 or younger stationed outside the Tricounty, and were a resident of the Tricounty prior to your current enlistment or
- * are an active duty member (of any age) of the armed forces residing in the Tricounty during your current enlistment.

Applicants may request an exception to or clarification of this policy in writing (send to Deputy Race Director, PO Box 22089, Charleston, SC 29413) at least one month prior to the Cooper River Bridge Run.

Any challenges of the specific athletes must be made verbally to the Deputy Race Director within one hour of the finish of the challenged athlete. In case of a disputed challenge, the awarding of this specific prize may be delayed up to but not longer than one week until convincing evidence is presented to a committee composed of the Deputy Race Director, Elite Coordinator, and at least one member of the Executive Board. Any decision made by this group is final.