

# SNORR Membership Tiers and Certifications

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## SNORR Changes:

All, as you say or may not know, we have become a Nevada Non-profit Organization and we are working on our 501c(3) non profit status. We have some pretty big plans for when our Non Profit Status is finalized. In furtherance of that, one of the first changes is issuing our first Standard Operating Procedure Document. We are asking that all members that want to be part of a recovery please familiarize yourself with the SOP and act accordingly. If you have comments or want to suggest changes please email [admin@snorr.vegas](mailto:admin@snorr.vegas)

In the SOP you will see a reference to Tier 1/2/3 level members. As we are being called out more and more we want to ensure that every recovery is as safe and procedurally consistent as possible. We also want to be considered among the top volunteer off-road recovery groups in the nation. To get there, we need to have a baseline of knowledge and some formalization of our procedures.

## Tiers:

**Verified Member** (Tier 3) - A member that is verified has passed an online exam that demonstrates basic recovery knowledge. White Vehicle Sticker

**Validated Member** (Tier 2) - A member that is verified has passed an online exam that demonstrates basic recovery knowledge, and has either A) attended a SNORR Recovery Class or B) Been on active recoveries and the SNORR leadership can validate their skills. - Yellow Vehicle Sticker, Member will receive a SNORR membership number

**Certified Member** (Tier 1)\*\*\* - Formal First Aid Training - Any 1 of the following: Basic Life Support (BLS), CPR, Stop the Bleed or Wilderness First Aid. FEMA 100 Cert, Tread lightly! Certificate, FCC Technician HAM License, SNORR online test, suitable

recovery equipment and SNORR Leadership approval - Red Vehicle Sticker, Member will receive a SNORR membership number

As we bring more vendors on board and negotiate discounts, members will be incentivized to climb the Tiers in order to get maximum discounts from our preferred vendors.

One note about Tier 1 - We are working on interagency Memorandums of Understanding with Red Rock Search and Rescue, BLM, USFS, Metro, NHP and the County. For recoveries that involve other government agencies we will only be using Tier 1 members for those recoveries.

## Online Test:

Here is the recommended reading for the SNORR online test -

<https://www.4wd.com/sku/Warn/standard/UserManualSRC.US.readers.pdf>

<https://www.roundforge.com/articles/why-you-dont-want-tow-strap-hooks/>

<https://www.roundforge.com/articles/all-about-winch-cable/>

<http://www.overlandchallengeseries.com/blog/2014/7/7/the-recovery-industry-is-stretching-the-truth>

<https://outdoorx4.com/stories/stuck-assessment-recovery-plan/>

<http://www.easternsierra4x4club.com/Documents/BasicWinchingGuide.pdf>

<http://www.thecrosbygroup.com/html/en-US/pdf/pgs/91.pdf>

<https://offroadrecoveryguide.com/tow-straps-vs-recovery-straps/>

Here is a link to the SNORR Test - 80% is required to pass

<https://forms.gle/4RCZsQfvjfmHYpgW7>

Good luck, and thank you very much for all that you guys do to make SNORR the largest and best off-road recovery group in Southern Nevada!

## \*\*\*Tier 1 Details:

**Medical** -Any 1 of the following will satisfy the criteria:

Basic Life Support (BLS) - [Basic Life Support \(BLS\) Course Options](#)

First Aid/CPR - [Red Cross](#)

Stop the Bleed - [Stop the Bleed](#)

Wilderness First Aid - Red Cross, REI

*\*Professional or Military first responders should contact an admin for a exemption*

*\*\*Red Rock Search and Rescue has offered to do a class for us at cost if we can get a few people together. Please indicate interest in pursuing Tier 1 and we will get a date planned if there is demand.*

### **Incident Management -**

FEMA ICS 100- <https://training.fema.gov/is/courseoverview.aspx?code=IS-100.c> (Free)

This is an incident management class to help SNORR members integrate into an agency led operation.

### **Responsible Off-roading-**

Tread Lightly 101 Online Awareness Course - <https://tread-lightly.teachable.com/p/online-awareness-course> (Free)

### **Communications-**

FCC Technician Ham License - <https://www.lvhamtest.us/> (Approx \$100)

### **General knowledge -**

SNORR online test- <https://forms.gle/4RCZsQfvjfmHYpgW7> (Free)

Suitable recovery equipment - (As outlined in the SOP, Winches strongly encouraged)

SNORR Leadership approval