Background

For any Ride Organiser an accurate indication of ride numbers is essential to the planning of the ride. This ensures that the correct number of officials, including vets, are present at each ride as well as important infrastructure such as portable toilets.

Withdrawals from the event with late or no notice complicate the above process and can add avoidable costs to the event for the Ride Organiser.

As such, the WAERA SMC, with the endorsement of members at the WAERA General Meeting held 7th December 2024 have implemented the following Tiered Refund Policy for WAERA rides effective 1st January 2025.

Ride Nominations

- WAERA Ride Nominations close **8pm AWST** on the **Monday** night prior to the ride.
- A Late Entry which incurs a \$50 fee, after this time and date may be accepted in consultation with the Ride Organiser.
- All Ride Entries include a \$30 Non-Refundable Deposit.

Ride Refunds

- Withdrawals up to midnight Thursday prior to the ride
 - o 100% of remaining Ride Entry Fee *after* \$30 Non-refundable Deposit deducted.
 - Example = \$100 Ride Entry Fee
 - \$100 minus \$30 NRD = **\$70 refund**
- Withdrawals between midnight Thursday to 4pm Friday
 - o 50% of remaining Ride Entry Fee **after** \$30 Non-Refundable Deposit deducted
 - Example = \$100 Ride Entry Fee
 - \$100 minus \$30 NRD = \$70
 - 50% of \$70 = **\$35 refund**
- No refunds after 4pm Friday