

Boston Marathon Waiver Awarding Procedure

To receive a Boston Marathon waiver

- ☐ The applicant must be a current paid NMC member for the previous 2 years.
- ☐ The applicant must not have received a waiver the previous year.
- ☐ The applicant must complete a waiver application by Dec. 1.
 - The application will be available on line by Nov. 1.
- ☐ It is not necessary to be at the annual meeting to receive a waiver.

Distribution of waiver

All waivers will be issued to eligible applicants with the greatest number of volunteer points, except for 1 waiver. One waiver will be awarded by lottery. The lottery will be held at the annual meeting. Except if there are less than 3 waivers, in this case, the 1 or 2 waivers will be awarded based on the greatest number of volunteer points and eligibility, and there will be no lottery.

Lottery

The top 3 applicants with the highest points after applicants who received waivers will be placed in a lottery.

The applicant with the highest number of points will receive 3 chances into the lottery.

The applicant with the 2nd highest number of points will receive 2 chances into the lottery.

The applicant with the 3rd highest number of points will receive 1 chance into the lottery.

1st name drawn will receive the lottery waiver.

2nd name drawn will be considered the “runner-up” and would be the next in line should a waiver be returned.

3rd name drawn will be considered the “2nd runner-up”.

Should there be any applicants that have the same number of points that would be eligible for a waiver (in case of a tie), any unassigned waivers, or other issues that may arise for any reason, the board will decide how the waiver(s) will be disbursed.

Earning Volunteer Points

Volunteer points are earned/awarded according to the table below.

Activity	Points Earned
Volunteer at a club race Ex. Winter & Summer series Devens, Jingle Bell, etc. other NMC sponsored races – Ex. Gardener, Merrimac Trail	1/event
Race Director	4/event
Volunteer at Mountain Washington Ex. Organizer, Water-stop, drive runners down	8/event
Volunteer at BAA events Ex. Water stop, expo helper	6/event
Attending Board Meeting for board members	1/meeting
Maintain Website	8/yr
Maintain Earned Volunteer Points List	4/yr
Maintain Grand Prix Points List	8/yr
USATF coordinator/representative	4/yr
Mill City Organizer	8/event
Mill City exchange volunteer	2/event
Xmas Party Organizer	4/event
Xmas Party committee volunteer	1/event
Membership Director	4/yr
Communication Director	4/yr
Track Director	8/yr
26x1 Director	4/yr

Other volunteer points may be earned/awarded based on the Board of Directors agreement.