

# CMC Trip Leader Process Overview – NoCo Group

## CMC Trip Leader Requirements:

Current Wilderness First Aid or Wilderness First Responder Certification: [Wilderness Medicine — The Colorado Mountain Club](#)

(Trip Leaders and Leaders-in-Training qualify for the [Leadership Scholarship](#). The CMC will cover the cost of WFA tuition. In exchange for the scholarship, leaders must agree to lead 6 CMC trips over the next 2 years. You must apply for the scholarship before enrolling in the WFA course because a discount code will be given to use at checkout.)

Additional requirements to lead trips on Snow ([avy-policy-8-31-22.pdf](#))

Additional requirements to lead Technical Trips ([Technical Trip Leader Resources — The Colorado Mountain Club](#))

## Trip Leader Process: [Trip Leader School — The Colorado Mountain Club](#)

1. Enroll in Trip Leader School, complete CoAssemble Online Course: [Trip Leader School 2024 — The Colorado Mountain Club](#)
2. Complete Scenario session: contact Wayne Howell ([waynehow59@gmail.com](mailto:waynehow59@gmail.com)), NoCo Group Leadership & Safety Director
3. Successfully complete Leadership In Training (LIT) Hike
4. NoCo Group Council Decision

## Technical Trip Leader Process: [Technical Trip Leader Resources — The Colorado Mountain Club](#)

1. Be a current CMC Trip Leader in good standing
2. Have the mountain skills adequate for the discipline and submit an application to the NoCo CMC Technical Trip Leader Committee for approval
3. Successfully complete a Technical Trip Leader In Training (LIT) Trip with an approved Technical Trip Leader Evaluator
4. NoCo Group Council Decision

**Questions?** Please contact Wayne Howell ([waynehow59@gmail.com](mailto:waynehow59@gmail.com)), NoCo Group Leadership & Safety Director, NoCo Group Council