AMC NH Mountaineering Active Leader Criteria

Within the context of "active/inactive" leader status, a Mountaineering Committee trip/event / activity is considered to be any of the following:

- officially published trip (OLTL system and/or Outdoors Magazine)
- assist/instruct at Excursions Winter School
- committee equipment inventory/inspection
- Mountaineering Committee meeting
- Excomm Meeting

Multi-day activities shall count as a single event.

<u>Active Trip Leader</u>: Any person who leads/co-leads 3 Mountaineering Committee trips or activities in the most current 2 years, <u>and</u> attends at least 1 Mountaineering Committee meeting per year.

<u>Inactive Trip Leader</u>: Any person listed in the Mountaineering Committee Trip Leader Roster as maintained by the Mountaineering Co-chairs who does not satisfy the criteria for an Active Trip Leader. Inactive trip leaders are not eligible for training reimbursement, and must re-establish "active" leader status in order to lead Mountaineering trips.

<u>Re-Establishing Active Trip Leader Status</u>:

A leader that has been "inactive/absent" for up to three years would need to fulfill the following criteria:

- 1 year: TRSM refresher and co-lead, be mentored for one trip.
- 2 years: TRSM refresher and co-lead, be mentored for two trips.
- 3 years: TRSM refresher and co-lead, be mentored for three trips.

*** It should also be understood that if WFA, First Aid, etc. has expired then the same recommendation to update that would apply as to current leaders.

**** Also, if the "said" returning leader can provide evidence of experiences while away that parallel the MC leader requirements, then review of those experiences would be done by the full committee and a waiver of the above "standards" could be granted.

Beyond the three year inactive, and without evidence stated above, the returning leader would basically start from "scratch" and follow the prescribed guidelines for leader attainment and status.

<u>Removal from Mountaineering Committee Trip Leader Roster</u>: any person can request removal of their name from the Committee Trip Leader Roster by sending a written or electronic request to the Mountaineering Co-chairs.