

## **Tidewater Search and Rescue Group**

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To: Appalachian Search and Rescue Group, Inc.

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Subject: Membership

Ladies and gentlemen of the conference, it is with both a sense of trepidation as well as excitement that I find myself in a position as the sole TSAR BOD representative as well as the groups commander to inform the conference that the Tidewater Search and Rescue Group has elected to dissolve it's long standing "Active" membership with the Appalachian Search and Rescue Conference.

While we will always continue to maintain a professional working relationship with the conference and its personnel, the membership feels that the expense vs. benefit can no longer be justified.

The conference has always been there in the past through both the good times as well as bad throughout TSAR's history. If fact TSAR was created to fill the void within the conference here in SE Virginia and we will continue to fill that void but as a sole organization.

This decision does not come lightly and only happened after several lengthy discussions followed by a majority vote of the general membership in November of this year.

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Commander Date