

**Citizens Funeral Services, Inc.**

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**Motor Escort Policy**

Escorts (Motorcycle Patrols) are REQUIRED by the California Highway Patrol with guidelines set by the Southern Association of Funeral Escorts Riders, Inc. Guidelines for Escorting funeral processions are as follows:

One (1) escort is required to accompany every ten (10) cars on the street, one (1) escort is required to accompany every five (5) cars on the freeway, and one (1) is required to accompany every three cars in rainy or wet weather.

**EACH ESCORT IS \$195.00 (LOCALLY)**

AFTER 3.5 HOURS, \$25.00 PER HOUR FOR EACH ESCORT WILL BE CHARGED

SERVICES TO RIVERSIDE: \$210.00 PER ESCORT

The average traditional funeral service requires a minimum of at least two Motorcycles Escorts. However, each family may originally employ the number they wish. Nonetheless, in compliance with the Highway Patrol we must dispatch the number needed at the time of the service. At the time of service prior to departing for the cemetery the Funeral Director will inform the contracting party of the number of escorts required to move that procession and how many they have already employed. It will at that time be the determination of the contracting party as to whether he/she would like to employ the required amount to move the procession or to cut the procession off at the number of cars that can be moved by the escorts already employed. The contracting party will sign a statement of his or her choice of option at this time. Therefore, if you receive a statement in the mail after the funeral service has taken places it is your responsibility to pay for the additional escorts in a timely manner.

Escorts accompanying processions long distances may exceed \$100.00, depending on the distance.

I understand the previous statement and agree to meet any additional financial obligations required with regards to Motorcycle Escorts.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Citizens Funeral Services Staff: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_