



NE First Responder Recruitment and Retention Act Tuition Waiver Application

Southeast Community College (SCC) has partnered with the State of Nebraska in providing 100% waiver of resident tuition for Law Enforcement Officers, Firefighters, Firefighter-Paramedics and their dependent children. Complete fields only that apply to you as stated below:

- First Responders applying for the tuition waiver, complete sections A, C, and D.
- First Responder dependents who are applying for the waiver, complete sections B, C, and D.

Section A

First Responder Name: _____ Student ID: _____

First Responder Program of Study: _____

Section B

First Responder Parent Name: _____

First Responder Parent Email: _____ Phone Number: _____

Dependent Name: _____ Student ID: _____

Dependent Program of Study: _____

Section C

Have you applied for Federal Aid by filing the FAFSA @ www.studentaid.gov? Yes No

Will you be receiving any outside third-party aid or scholarships? Yes No

- If you answered yes, what outside third-party aid are you receiving?

Section D

Please provide Page 2 of the *First Responder Certificate of Verification & Authorization for Release of Information*, Form FRVA, signed by a Department of Revenue Official. This form serves as certification of your and/or your dependent’s eligibility to participate in the NE First Responder tuition waiver.

Document attached

I verify that I am eligible to receive the First Responder Tuition Waiver, administered by the Nebraska Department of Revenue. If I am a First Responder Dependent, I understand that once I have received my last waiver under this program, I must remain a resident of Nebraska and file a state income tax return for the following five years. If I do not complete these requirements, Southeast Community College may request full payment of the waived tuition.

First Responder Signature: _____ Date: _____

E-signatures will NOT be accepted

Dependent Signature: _____ Date: _____

E-signatures will NOT be accepted

Due to data security guidelines, all forms must be submitted to our office using one of the following methods: in person, faxed, mailed through U.S. Postal Service, or electronically using our secure drop box at <https://uploads.southeast.edu/financialaid>. **We cannot accept emailed forms.**