

## 2017 Kansas Law Enforcement Torch Run Election



### PURPOSE

The Kansas Law Enforcement Torch Run® Executive Council encourages qualified candidates to submit applications to serve on the board. The Executive Council is an important board that provides guidance, resources, and oversight to the overall Law Enforcement Torch Run movement. It is essential that qualified and enthusiastic individuals are involved and provided the opportunity to lead on the Council.

### PROCESS

Qualified persons interested in seeking election to the Executive Council shall submit an application, which is made available through [www.kansastorchrun.org](http://www.kansastorchrun.org) and via email by request. All applications must be submitted via email to [letr@kssso.org](mailto:letr@kssso.org) and received no later than **5:00 PM, CST, Monday, November 20, 2017**.

Ballots will be distributed and voting will take place during the 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Kansas Law Enforcement Torch Run Executive Council meeting. A person who receives the largest number of votes cast shall be appointed.

### ELECTED POSITIONS OPEN

**State Director** – Any individual presently serving on the Kansas LETR Executive Council and is interested in the position should express his/her interest to the current State Director. The State Director will forward to the Executive Council the name on the interested person during the fall election. Votes will be taken from voting members on the Executive Council. The term will begin on January 1, 2018 and end on December 31, 2020.

**(4) Four Law Enforcement At-Large Members** – Top (2) two people receiving the most votes will serve a (3) three year term in one of the elected Law Enforcement At-Large positions. The 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> place votes will serve a (2) two year term in one of the elected Law Enforcement At-Large positions. In case of a tie, the current State Director will cast the deciding vote. The elected member shall have full membership and voting privileges as an Executive Council member. This position is open to any interested Law Enforcement Member who has been an active participant in their home program for a minimum of 3 years prior to the year they run for election.

**Regional Coordinator Members (South Central, Central and North Central Regions)** – There are three (3) open Regional Coordinators, one elected from each Law Enforcement Torch Run region, each of whom must be a Law Enforcement Member. The elected member shall have full membership and voting privileges as an Executive Council member. This position is open to any interested Law Enforcement Member who has been an active participant in their home program for a minimum of 3 years prior to the year they run for election.

**Special Olympics Athlete Representative** – One Special Olympics Athlete Representative shall be appointed to serve a three (3) year term. The appointed member shall have full membership and voting privileges as an Executive Council member. This position is open without restriction to any interested Special Olympics Program wishing to submit an application for consideration of their Special Olympics Athlete.

