

## **HMRRC Headphone Policy**

Policy: Due to safety concerns headphones or similar devices are prohibited during HMRRC events. Failure to comply may result in disqualification.

### Rationale for Policy:

- The wearing of headphones prevents participants from hearing important instructions from race officials, requests from other participants (e.g. when being passed) and traffic on courses not closed to vehicles. This presents a significant safety hazard not only for the participant but for other participants and race officials.

Policy Enactment Date: This policy will become effective 120 days after approval at a monthly HMRRC meeting.

### Policy Enforcement:

- This policy will be written on every HMRRC race application
- Signs will be posted at each event and the policy will be announced during the pre-race instructions.
- The decision of the race director(s) is final.