

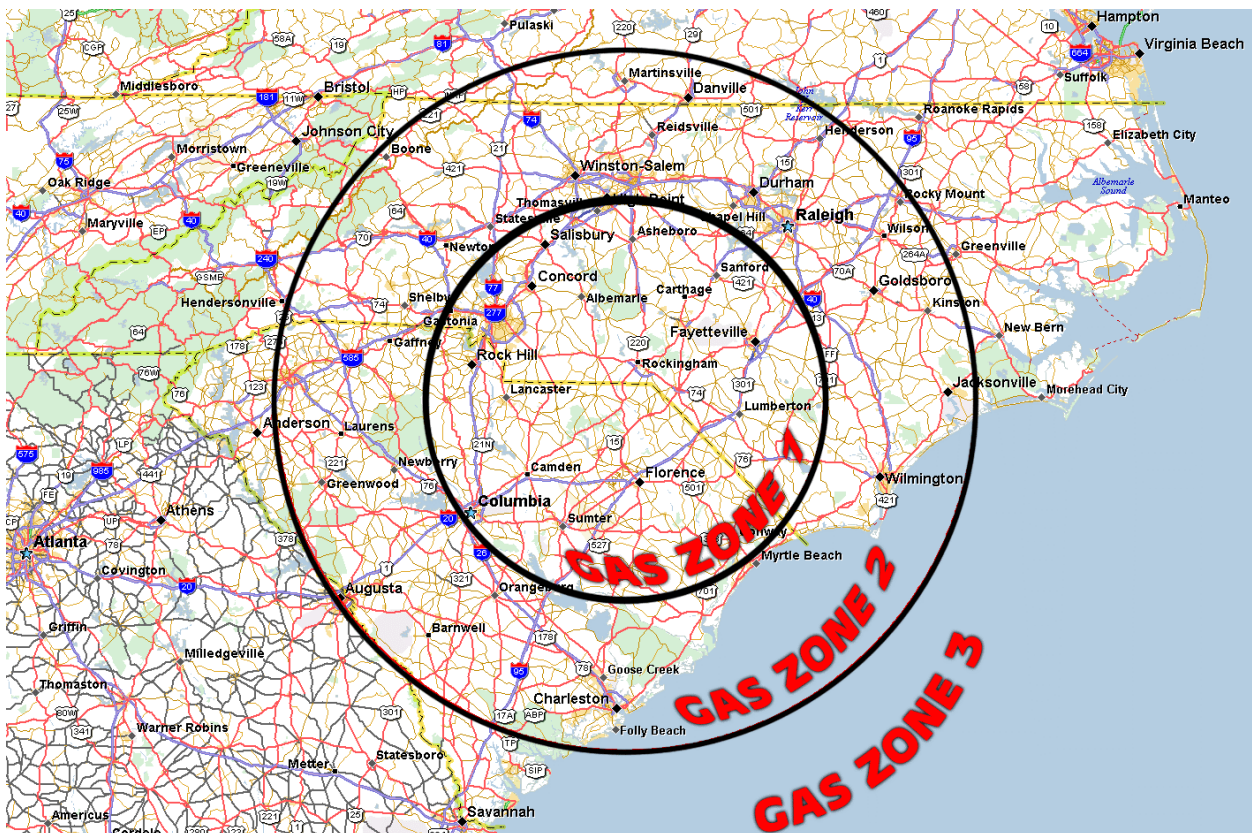
Sandblast Volunteers Gas Assistance Program

The intent of the gas assistance program is that volunteers who come from very far away get financial assistance with the gasoline costs of travel. These guidelines have been set up to spread the money that is available among those who apply.

Gas Assistance Eligibility Criteria

All of the following must be met in order for you to be accepted to the program.

1. Your volunteer position must be on the list of eligible positions (see the next section for list)
2. Your Stage Captain or team leader must have your name on his attendance sheet that is turned in after the rally.
3. Your application form must be filled out completely.
4. Your application form must be **received within seven days after the day of the rally.**
5. You must include gasoline receipts (or photocopies) dated such that they are on the trip to the rally or the trip home from the rally.
6. You must include a photocopy of the front side of your current, valid driver's license.



List of Volunteer Positions Eligible for Gas Assistance

In general, financial gas assistance is only available for those people who are volunteering their efforts on the actual day of the rally.

The following positions are eligible to apply for gasoline assistance. The rally has a limited budget for gasoline assistance, and priority goes to those whose applications arrive first.

- Chief of Controls
- Stage Captain
- Road Marshal
- Any volunteer assigned to a control
- Radio Operator

The following non-exhaustive list of volunteer positions are not eligible for gas assistance:

- Scrutineering Assistant
- Registration Assistant
- Photographer / Reporter / Videographer
- Web Master

Amount of Gas Assistance

The amount of money for reimbursement depends on where you live and how many people traveled with you. The policy is designed to encourage carpooling.

	1 person in car	2 people in car	3 people in car	4 people in car
Zone 1	\$0	\$0	\$10	\$20
Zone 2	\$10	\$15	\$20	\$30
Zone 3	\$20	\$25	\$35	\$45

The amount of gas assistance will not be greater than the total of the gas receipts supplied with your application.

Budgetary Limit

There is only a certain amount of money available for this program. Sandblast Rally is a small, regional event, and actually survives with the lowest entry fee on the East Coast, and it just can't afford to pay for everyone's gasoline. Please be aware that your application may be denied simply because there wasn't any money left. We encourage those with a greater need for gas assistance to get your application in the mail on Monday morning immediately after the rally.

Method of Payment

There will be some delay, as the rally will wait a week for all the applications to arrive. Checks will be mailed out approximately 21 days after the event.