



It is necessary to verify Maryland Residency to establish eligibility for the Maryland Owned Preference and Bonus. Horsemen will be required to provide acceptable documentation prior to May 25, 2025. Should information not be received prior to the that day, racing preferences and bonus eligibility will no longer be considered until proper documentation is received and verified. The following will be accepted as Maryland Residency Documentation:

1. Maryland State Driver's License
2. AND two of the following in your name with the matching address:
  - a. Current Real Estate Tax Bill or Residential Rental Contract
  - b. Utility, telephone, cable/satellite bill dated within the last 30 days
  - c. Credit Card or Bank Statement within the last 30 days
  - d. MD vehicle registration card or title (with residential address)
  - e. Checking, savings, financial account or collection agency communications
  - f. Mortgage account statement, deed or communication from MD
  - g. copy of federal or MD income tax bill
  - h. Mail or benefits statement from a federal, state or local agency
3. AND the Residency Affidavit

In order to verify the Horses under Maryland Ownership, the following documentation is required for horses purchased after April 1, 2025:

1. Copy of training bill sent by the trainer along with evidence of payment (cancelled check or bank statement), AND
2. Copy of blacksmith, vet, or stall bill for the horse along with evidence of payment (cancelled check or bank statement)

In order to verify the Horses under Maryland Ownership, the following documentation is required for horses purchased after April 1, 2025:

1. Copy of the Bill of Sale for the horse identifying previous and new owner along with evidence of payment (canceled check or bank statement)

Documentation may be submitted via the following methods:

1. In person to the Director of Racing @ Ocean Downs
2. Email to [peter.szymanski@oceandowns.com](mailto:peter.szymanski@oceandowns.com)
3. Email to [admin@cloverleafsoa.org](mailto:admin@cloverleafsoa.org)
4. Fax 410-629-6673

Please be sure to include your contact information on submissions. It is imperative that documentation be submitted prior to May 25, 2025. Bonus privileges suspended for lack of documentation will not be retroactively calculated and distributed.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IF YOUR HORSE IS ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE MARYLAND BONUS MONEY.

The definitions of a MD owned and/or bred are:

- A) MD bred mare fully owned by a MD resident at the time of conception
- B) MD owned-defined as owner (100%) at the time of declaration is a full-time resident of MD
- C) MD sired by a registered MD stallion

I hereby certify, under the penalties of perjury, that all horses programmed are owned by

(Name) \_\_\_\_\_

living at (Address) \_\_\_\_\_

is a full-time resident of the State of Maryland at the time of declaration with the standards within and in accordance with the bonus agreement in place between Ocean Downs Racetrack and the Cloverleaf Standardbred Owners Association.

Owner's(s) Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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

\*\*\*Please note: All decisions on horses' bonus eligibility will be final and will be that of CSOA and Ocean Downs Racetrack. Any attempt to circumvent the bonus eligibility of horse ownership will result in loss of bonus payment and a loss of racing privileges.