

## PARADE RULES & REGULATIONS

**ACCEPTANCE:** The applicant acknowledges decisions with request to applications, will be necessarily subjective and applicant specifically waives, releases, and hold harmless, the Recreation Commission, Grosse Ile Airport Commerce Park Commission and Grosse Ile Airport Advisory Committee, and Grosse Ile Township, from any claims, actions, or damages arising out of an application denial.

**ASSUPTION OF RISK:** All parade participants participating in the Islandfest Parade do so at their own risk. This Assumption of risk includes that associated with wind, rain, hail, lightening, floods, or other acts of God. Therefore damage to property, illness or injury, by vandals, patrons, fellow participants, or sponsors are at the participants own risk. The Recreation Commission, Grosse Ile Township, Grosse Ile Municipal Airport, and its elected officials, employees, agents, and volunteers shall not be liable for any damages to or loss of property, injury to persons.

**STAGING AND PARKING:** No parking will be permitted in the staging area. Your parade entry, float and parade walkers are allowed in the staging area. If your group requires participants to be dropped off, you will need to make arrangements so it will NOT affect staging operations.

**PARADE VEHICLES:** All motorized vehicles in the Parade (cars, tractors, floats, motorcycles) must be driven by licensed and insured drivers. All vehicle and float drivers must present the Grosse Ile Recreation Department with a proof of insurance and copy of their driver's license.

**SIRENS:** Reserved for police and fire units only.

**INSURANCE/HOLD HARMLESS:** All units must be covered by adequate insurance.

**ANIMALS:** All parade units with animals must be identified on the entry form. All entrants of the parade must clean up after the animal along the parade route. The Parade reserves the right to remove from the parade any animal which appears to be uncomfortable, unruly or in any way presenting an immediate or potential danger to other units or to spectators.

**PLACEMENT:** Placement in the parade is at the sole discretion of the Recreation Committee.

**HAND OUTS:** Candy is allowed, however, please refrain from enticing spectators to come on to the Parade route. Coupons, paper flyers, balloons, flags will be permitted to handout from parade participants only. Performances must keep pace with the parade flow. Keep a safe distance. No megaphones or inappropriate signage.

**DO NOT STOP TO PERFORM:** Maintain forward motion at all times with the exception of the temporary stoppage by designated personnel.

HAVE FUN!