

2023 PARADEPARTICIPATION APPLICATION

SUNDAY JULY 9, 2023

Important - Deadline for submission is June 16, 2022

Official Name of Organ	nizatio	n:		,		
Address:						
Contact person:						
Phone #:	Phone #: Cell #:					
Email:						
CATEGORIES (Type of organization) (check all that apply)						
□ Community		School		Government		Union
☐ Business/Organiza	ation					
DESCRIPTION OF CONTINGENT						
☐ Professional Bond Float (Includes Generator)		Self-Build Float	Float Lengt			Width:
□ DJ		Musical Band		Singer		Royal Court
Theme of Float:						
Type of Music on the Floa	at:					
☐ Music only			Туре	?		
Vehicle/Car Club/ Motorcycle Club (Presentable)			Type? (3 vehicle limit)			
Dance Group			Type?			
# of participants:(Including children)						
Brief description of the organization/group and include name & title of lead person.						



2023 WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of this participation opportunity in the 2023 Puerto Rican Parade of Fairfield County, Inc. the organization, company, business or group, I represent hereby waive any right or case of action arising as a result of our organization, company, and or business participation in said parade from which any liability may arise against the Puerto Rican Parade of Fairfield County, Inc. or any of the members of the Board of Directors, trustees, honorary board of Trustee or any individual providing leadership in connection with such said parade. I hereby declare that the organization, company and/or business assumes all responsibilities for any liabilities that may arise during our participation of parade events, with-out limiting the generality of the foregoing, I/We agree that this waiver shall include any rights or causes of action resulting from personal injury to members of our organization or property damages sustained in connection to our participation in the parade.

This waiver executed on the	day of	, 2023	
Participant's Name:			
Signature of Representative:			
Name of Witness:			
Signature of Witness:			
Name of Parade Official:			
Signature of Parade Official:			

MANDATORY WAIVER

If waiver is not signed, participation will not be granted

P.O.Box 447, Bridgeport, CT 06601-0447 www.prpfc.org



2023 PARADE FEES

Bond Floats		
(if registered BEFORE Friday, June 16, 2023)		
(if registered AFTER Wednesday, June 16, 2023)	\$2,300.00	
Self-Build Float	\$300.00	
Dance Group & Nonprofit Marching Group		
(Walker) Government Representative		
(Business Owners) Advertisement	\$150.00	
(\$50.00 per Vehicle & Club, 3 vehicles maximum (Motorcycle with Trailers & No Rider)	\$100.00	
Non-Refundable Application Fee	\$25.00	
Total		

- The amount of vehicle clubs is limited so it's on first come basis
- No personal checks nor cash accepted

Business Check #	Cashier's	Check #	_ Money Order	#			
If you prefer to pay by Credit Card fill in the square:							
PARTICIPANT SIGNATURE	DATE	SIGNATURE PERSOI	N RECEIVING PAYMENT	DATE			

Checks are made payable to PRPFC Inc. & mail to: Puerto Rican Parade of Fairfield County, Inc. P. O. Box 447, Bridgeport, CT 06601-0447

Log on to PRPFC.org for forms & details

For additional information contact:
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2023 PARADE RULES, REGULATIONS & POLICIES

REGISTRATION

- Participants must submit a complete parade application form by Friday, June 16, 2023. No exceptions. No walk-ins permitted on parade day
- Participants are to submit a \$25.00 application fee for consideration of participation which is non-refundable. Application fee does not guarantee parade participation until approved by Parade Coordinator.
- Only those participants who have submitted application, plus all other forms necessary along with a full payment and approved by parade coordinator will be allowed to participate on parade day and will be assigned a line upgroup.

REQUIREMENTS

- Organizations who build their own floats must provide a copy of their insurance policy to the parade coordinator prior to commencement of the parade. (Due June, 16th)
- Participants must identify our Puerto Rican heritage, culture and pride
- Participants must have a banner in front of their group identify them and the town and city they are representing,
- Participant's attire and behavior shall be in "good taste", No profanity or vulgarity will be allowed, and "good taste" is at the discretion of Parade Coordinator and assistants.
- Parade coordinator or its designees may expel any participant, group, or organization on the day of the parade for cause including but not limited to violation of any rules and regulations listed and/or to follow the directions of parade field coordinator. No refund of payment made in the event participant is expelled.
- Registered participations who are no show on the day of the parade will officially forfeit, and any monies paid will not be refunded.
- All vehicles in the parade must be in good working order and must comply with State of Connecticut, Department of Motor Vehicle laws. Your registration, insurance etc. may be requested by Parade Coordinator at time during line up.

NOT PERMITTED

- No artwork or other symbols are to be displayed on the Puerto Rican flags on parade route. The Puerto Rican flag must be properly displayed and in its natural state. Check with Parade Coordinator for proper displaying offlag.
- No alcoholic beverages are permitted during line up or along the parade route.
- 18 wheeled vehicles, Munster trucks are not permitted in parade due to road restrictions safety and the safety of parade attendees
- No auxiliary vehicles are permitted to accompany marching groups, only approved decorated vehicles are allowed
- No political or electoral advertisement or signage may be displayed by any contingent, whether on a float, in a vehicle or marching.
- No Third Party will be allowed to march with original group with applicant to march with original group participating and its signature on the application.
- To ensure the safety of parade spectators, it's prohibited to throw any objects into the crowds that may harm spectators along the parade route.

FLOATS

• All Bond float fees will be \$2,200.00 and after June 16, 2023 it will be \$2,300.00. It includes one business advertisement (\$150.00). For additional advertisement fee, see Parade Fee list.

ON PARADE DAY

 Participants must check in on the day of parade at the corner of Lincoln Boulevard and Taft Avenue (via Capitol Avenue) look for the Parade Registration Tent for specific lineup instructions.



- Check Line-up starts at 7:30 AM for bond floats and 7:30 AM for all other participants. You will receive notification of assigned time and section. Anyone arriving after designated arrival times will not be guaranteed their place in line and may be subject to be placed at the end of parade line.
- The PRPFC Inc. does not guarantee or promise specific places in the lineup. Line up placement of participant is at the discretion of the Parade Coordinator based on safety and other factors.

The undersigned hereby agrees and accepts terms and conditions of the Puerto Rican Parade of Fairfield County, Inc. for participation in the Puerto Rican Parade. The undersigned hereby declares that he/she has read the above rules, regulations & policy of the PRPFC and adheres to the above.

Puerto Rican Parade of Fairfield County, Inc.

Applicant' Signature or Authorized Representative & Title:			
	Date:		
PRPFC Official Signature:	Date:		