## Capital Pride Parade - Saturday, June 12, 2016 OFFICIAL CONTINGENT VEHICLE PERMIT

**ORGANIZATION:** «Account Name»

**STAGING ZONE:** «Parade Staging Zone»

**STAGING TIME:** «Parade\_Staging\_Time»

(You will **NOT** be allowed in before your assigned staging time.)

**REGISTERED FOR:** «Parade\_Contingent\_Type» **NUMBER OF VEHICLES:** «Parade\_Vehicles» (If you have more than one vehicle, all vehicles must enter the staging area at the same time.)

## PARADE FINES - THIS PERMIT MUST BE DISPLAYED IN YOUR WINDOW OR WITH LEAD BANNER

WE HOPE NOT TO ISSUE ANY FINES; BUT WE MUST INSTITUTE A SYSTEM TO PREVENT CONTINGENTS FROM VIOLATING PARADE RULES. RULE VIOLATIONS RESULT IN PENALTIES FROM THE DC GOVERNMENT FOR COST OVER-RUNS. VIOLATIONS ALSO ADVERSELY AFFECT THE PARADE EXPERIENCE FOR SPECTATORS ALONG THE ROUTE. IF A MARSHAL DETERMINES THAT YOU'RE IN VIOLATION, THE MARSHAL WILL MARK THE INFRACTION ON THIS PERMIT. ALL PERMITS MUST BE RETURNED AT THE END OF THE PARADE ROUTE IN ORDER FOR YOU TO BE CONSIDERED FOR INCLUSION IN THE 2016 PARADE. YOU ALSO MUST PAY ANY FINES. PLEASE WRITE ANY FEEDBACK FOR THE PARADE ORGANIZERS ON THIS SHEET.

## **VIOLATIONS AND PENALTIES**

- UNAUTHORIZED VEHICLE OR TOO MANY WALKERS: IMMEDIATE REMOVAL FROM ROUTE
- 2. FAILURE TO MAINTAIN PARADE SPEED\*: \$20 PER OCCURANCE
  - \* YOU ARE MORE THEN 30' FROM THE CONTINGENT IN FRONT OF YOU
- 3. THROWING (NOT GENTLY TOSSING) ITEMS TO THE CROWD: \$20 PER OCCURANCE
- 4. LOUD MUSIC IN THE STAGING AREA (AFTER INITIAL SOUND CHECK): \$20 PER OCCURANCE
- 5. LITERRING IN STAGING AREA, ROUTE, OR BREAKDOWN AREA: \$50 PER OCCURANCE
- USING A WATER GUN NEAR A DRAG QUEEN: AT YOUR OWN PERIL

## PARADE PROCEDURES (per MPD, all floats must have safety rails)

- 1. ONLY ENTER THE STAGING AREA AT YOUR DESIGNATED STREET.
- 2. IF YOU ARE NOT ABLE TO ARRIVE AT YOUR DESIGNATED STREET ON TIME, PROCEED TO 21<sup>ST</sup> STREET AND CHECK-IN WITH THE MARSHAL AT 'O' STREET.
- DUE TO PEDESTRIAN SAFETY, FLOATS AND VEHICLES MAY NOT ENTER A ZONE LATE.
- DRIVE SAFELY AND OBSERVE ALL DRIVING REGULATIONS AND OFFICIALS.
- 5. MAINTAIN PARADE SPEED. STAY WITHIN 30' OF THE CONTINGENT IN FRONT OF YOU.
- 6. NO STOPPING FOR PERFORMANCES. SIRENS ARE NOT PERMITED; GENTLY TOSS GIVEAWAYS.
- 7. BE PREPARED TO EXIT THE PARADE IF YOUR CONTINGENT IS IN VIOLATION OF PARADE RULES.

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