

WESTERN STAMPEDE

GRAND PARADE

July 3, 2021 at 10:30 AM

Guidelines

The City of West Jordan is preparing for their annual Western Stampede and invites you to be part of the Grand Parade! If you are interested in joining the fun, please fill out and return an application before Wednesday, June 16. All materials can be emailed to events@westjordan.utah.gov.

GUIDELINES

1. **Number of Entries:** The West Jordan Western Stampede Grand Parade will consist of no more than 90 units with applications accepted on a first-come, first-served basis.
2. **Distribution of Materials:** Distribution of materials of any kind by West Jordan Western Stampede Grand Parade entrants, including but not limited to literature, promotional materials, coupons, advertisements, or other materials such as candy or favors, along the parade route is strictly prohibited.
3. **Riders:** For the safety of participants and the public, individuals riding on any motorized vehicle, float, or trailer must be at least 6 years of age. Precautions should be taken to ensure the safety of all riders.
4. **Staging and Lineup of the Parade:** Lineup starts behind City Hall and heads North on Redwood Road to 7000 South. All information will be sent out 2 weeks prior to the parade date, July 3. This information will be sent to the sponsors' primary e-mail contact. Staging and check-in will be categorized in different time frames. Please see informational email for details in regards to your parade entry.
5. **Water:** Entries spraying, or squirting water will not be allowed during staging or on the parade route. Drinking water is allowed for all participants.

UNIT CATEGORIES

PLEASE MARK YOUR APPLICATION BASED ON THESE CATEGORY DESIGNATIONS

VEHICLES

Please include a picture with the application. Antique vehicles and vehicles of unique interest are welcomed to participate. All vehicles must be clean and in good working order. Drivers must hold a valid driver's license, be insured and each vehicle must be licensed/registered and have adequate fuel.

EQUESTRIAN

All equestrian groups must consist of at least six horses to be given an individual or separate lineup spot in the parade. Entries must be able to travel the parade route in extreme weather conditions. Groups less than

six will be placed with other small equestrian groups. All equestrian groups/individuals must provide their own “pooper-scoopers” and wheelbarrows to follow their unit throughout the parade route to clean up all animal feces.

DIGNITARIES (Government/Elected Officials/Candidates)

Each dignitary is limited to one vehicle and must provide his or her own transportation and driver. All drivers of dignitary vehicles must hold a valid driver’s license, be insured, and each vehicle must be licensed/registered and have adequate fuel. We ask that all dignitaries have an identifying banner or visible sign identifying their position.

PERFORMING/CHILDREN’S GROUPS

For the safety of participants and to ensure the West Jordan Western Stampede Grand Parade proceeds efficiently, all participants in this category designation must be at least 12 years old to walk in the parade or satisfy the “Riders” requirements set forth in the Guidelines above to ride on a parade unit. Please designate if your group is using a truck & trailer or walkers only. All drivers must hold a valid driver’s license, be insured, and each vehicle must be licensed/registered and have adequate fuel. **No stopping to perform will be allowed.**

COMMERCIAL

For the safety of participants and to ensure the West Jordan Western Stampede Grand Parade proceeds efficiently, all participants in this category designation must be at least 12 years old to walk in the parade or satisfy the “Riders” requirements set forth in the Guidelines above to ride on a parade unit. Please designate if your group will consist of walkers, vehicles, or both. If a vehicle will be used, please designate the type of vehicle (truck & trailer, van, 4-wheelers) and the number of vehicles. All drivers must hold a valid driver’s license, be insured, and each vehicle must be licensed/registered and have adequate fuel.

BANDS

It is imperative that sufficient water be provided for all band participants before, during, and after the parade. Marching groups must move forward at all times. **No stopping to perform will be allowed.**

FLOATS – Decorated, Self-Propelled

1. Floats must have their own tow bar or tow rope onboard. If the float breaks down and is stopped for more than 30 seconds, it will be subject to towing. Effort will be made to pull the float along the parade route, however, the parade committee will determine whether the float can be safely pulled or must be removed from the parade. A good running motor, with adequate fuel, is a critical part of every float.
2. Floats must be capable of negotiating sharp turns. Maximum float height is 14 feet, maximum width is 15 feet and maximum length is 65 feet.
3. Float application must include a photo, sketch or rendering of the float, preferably in color.
4. Floats must be fire code compliant. Fire extinguishers are required on each float.
5. All drivers must hold a valid driver’s license, be insured, and each vehicle must have adequate fuel.

Indemnification

On behalf of the sponsor, I agree that our Entry and all persons associated with it shall comply with all rules prescribed by the Committee as deemed necessary for the efficient and safe conduct of the Parade and related activities. I agree to conduct our entry and myself in a proper, appropriate manner during the Parade and related

activities and to not engage in any activity that is dangerous or likely to cause harm, injury or damage to the person or property of others.

RIGHT OF TERMINATION: I understand that the Committee reserves the right to restrict or reject our Entry from participation in the Parade without liability to the Committee, regardless of the cost or inconvenience to our Entry. Any member of the Committee may exercise this right at any point in time, before or during the Parade, for any reason considered by the Committee to be inconsistent with the goals, values, and objectives of the West Jordan Western Stampede.

INDEMNIFICATION: As a condition of being a participant in the Parade, I agree to assume full responsibility for my conduct and the conduct and activities of our Entry and to indemnify and hold the City of West Jordan and the West Jordan Western Stampede Parade including the Committee and all others having any responsibility therefore harmless from any liability, claim, loss or expense (including attorney's fees) caused by or arising from (a) any conduct or negligence by me or any person or part of our Entry that causes harm, damage, or injury to myself or others (b) any breach or omission of my representations or warranties, (c) any claim by my employee, subcontractor or supplier or (d) any infringement or violation by me of the rights of others.

By signing below, I hereby release and discharge the State of Utah, the Department of Transportation, the Utah Transportation Commission, the Utah Highway Patrol, and their officers, agents, and employees from all claims, demands, and causes of action of every kind whatsoever for any damages and/or injuries which may result from my participation in the Parade, involving roads within the Utah State Highway system

I understand that submitting this application does not automatically guarantee Entry into the parade, and that I will be notified in writing of such acceptance. (Float acceptance will be subject to final approval of a sketch or photo of Entry.)

I acknowledge that I am fully authorized to sign for and bind the undersigned sponsor regarding our entry in the 2021 Western Stampede Parade.

More information regarding any parade updates will be sent out via e-mail prior to parade day. If you have any questions regarding entry or procedure, please email events@westjordan.utah.gov.