



**CITY OF GALT INDEPENDENCE DAY PARADE ENTRY FORM**  
**Thursday, July 4<sup>th</sup> | Parade will begin at 9:30 a.m.**

**Deadline for entry: Wednesday, June 26, 2019**

Return Form to Galt Parks & Recreation  
610 Chabolla Avenue, Galt CA 95632

**PARTICIPANT INFORMATION – No Entry Fee**

Organization / Group / Individual Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Person in Charge of Group on Parade Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Day Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**Description of Parade Entry (Please Circle and indicate number of attendees):**

Float: \_\_\_\_\_ Band or Music: Circle: Yes / No

Automobile, Number of vehicles: \_\_\_\_\_ Motorcycle, Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Marcher, Number of Members: \_\_\_\_\_ Horse Group, Number of Horses: \_\_\_\_\_

Clubs/Organizations: \_\_\_\_\_ Military/Public Services: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Merchant: \_\_\_\_\_

Animal (other than horses) Type: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Will your unit have an element of sound? (Music, drums, singing, etc.). **YES** \_\_\_\_\_ **NO** \_\_\_\_\_

The sound will be: Very Soft \_\_\_\_\_ Moderate \_\_\_\_\_ Loud \_\_\_\_\_ Very Loud \_\_\_\_\_

Would one of the following interfere with your entry? Please circle one of the following: Music **Y / N** Horses **Y / N**

**Parade Agreement and Injury Disclaimer**

I / We do hereby agree by all terms set forth in the Independence Day Celebration Parade rules and will abide by the Participant Safety Rules and Guidelines.

I/We understand that there are inherent risks involved in the participation in the above activity, including but not limited to those associated with weather conditions, equipment and other participants.

I/We agree to fully assume any and all risks and responsibilities associated with the participation in said activity. I further agree to waive any and all claims that I/We may have against the City of Galt, its officers, supervisors, employees, agents and volunteers arising out of any personal injury or property damage that is incurred during said participation. In addition, I agree to indemnify the City of Galt, it's officers, supervisors, employees, agents or volunteers from and against any and all liability or loss, damage, claims, expenses and costs, including without limitation attorneys' fees, related to any claim that may be filed concerning, on behalf of, or for myself and/or any other person or entity either now or in the future, that results from or is connected in any way with participation in the activity.

This agreement shall be considered effective as of the date and time filed with the City of Galt and shall continue in force until participant (s) is released in accordance with the operation rules.

Signature of Participant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please note: There will be no judging or prizes given this year.**

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**We thank you for your participation.**



## PARTICIPANT SAFETY RULES AND GUIDELINES

**Important: This page must be copied and distributed to all unit participants. Failure to comply with these guidelines may result in dismissal from the parade and/or may affect future participation. Parade volunteers will monitor the parade route to assist if necessary.**

- Your contingent must listen to and comply with, all directions given by the City of Galt staff, their representatives and law enforcement personnel.
- No individual or group shall be in possession or consume any alcoholic beverage during the line-up or parade.
- No stopping at any point in the parade line. All units must move forward at all times with no gaps. (Stationary performances must be requested and approved by Special Events Manager)
- If a vehicle experiences mechanical issues, please pull to the side of the road and do not block flow of parade.
- **As a safety precaution, NO candy or other objects shall be thrown from parade unit. Items may be handed to children and other parade spectators by persons walking along the sides of the parade unit.**
- All entries are to be "Family-Friendly" and suitable for all audiences.
- Music must be suitable for a family audience. If vulgar lyrics and/or profanity is being played, you will be asked to leave by a City official.
- Flag protocol calls for all entries flying flags from other countries, cities or associations to have the American Flag posted first and prominent to any other flags.
- Car/Truck Clubs must limit participation to five (5) or fewer vehicles not exceed 100 feet in length. No out of town or multiple entries of same car clubs are allowed. City reserves the right to limit the number of Car/Truck club entries.
- All entries must maintain a single file lane, no swerving is allowed.
- No extended blaring of loud air horns and sirens; intermittent please! TRAIN HORNS ARE NOT ALLOWED.
- Applicant ensures children (under 12 years of age) in parade unit will be adequately supervised from parade lineup to completion.
- All animal entries must have a person or persons walking behind the animal contingent for immediate clean-up of urine or feces. Animals must be both people friendly and crowd experienced and behave safely for all concerned.
- Protect yourself and those on your float from the sun and heat.
- Roller blades, skateboards, and scooters are not allowed on streets along the route during the parade.
- If you are asked to leave the parade route for any reason, you may not be allowed to return for the parade next year.
- Line Up: Parade units will be assigned placement by the Parade Coordinator. Lineup will begin at 8:30 a.m.

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