

The St. Patrick's Parade



A Detroit Tradition

APPLICATION TO MARCH

Group Name: _____ Number of Marchers: _____

Address: _____ City/State: _____ Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

E-Mail Address: _____ Cell: _____

Type of Group: _____ Irish Affiliation: _____

Description of Float: _____

NO BUSES WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE PARADE & NO KEGS ALLOWED ON FLOATS.

Due to the increase in the costs of staging the Parade, the United Irish Societies has found it necessary to charge a mandatory marching entrance fee for all participating groups.

MANDATORY PARADE MARCHING ENTRANCE FEE SCHEDULE:

_____ Social Groups, Organizations, Clans	\$ 150.00
_____ Bars, Pubs & Restaurants	\$ 200.00
_____ Commercial Companies, Distributors	\$ 400.00

In addition to the required entrance fee, your group may be interested in purchasing an ad or patron in our newly expanded Parade Times Magazine. This year's Parade Times Magazine will be sold on the Parade Route to increase readership and advertising opportunities. Maybe your group or family would like to rent a personalized Parade Route Shamrock posted for two weeks along the Parade Route (see attached forms).

Please submit your completed application to march, your signed letter of commitment and application fee made out to the "United Irish Societies" by February 19, 2010. A copy of the Parade Marching Orders detailing your groups precise location and time of assembly and your Authorization to March Credentials will be mailed to you approximately 10 days prior to the parade.

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STATE MENT OF COMMITMENT TO COMPLY WITH PARADE ORDERS, PARADE MARSHALS, DIRECTIONS AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY TO THE UNITED IRISH SOCIETIES, PARADE COMMITTEE AND PARADE OFFICIALS.

We the undersigned, having made application, paid entrance fee and been accepted by the United Irish Societies as a credentialed parade participant, commit to comply with any and all rules, regulations, policies and requirements of the United Irish Societies, the Parade Marshals and the Parade Orders provided to us. Chief among these rules and regulations are the requirement that we refrain from the use of alcohol while marching or riding in the Parade and that we adhere to the directions of the assigned Parade Marshals.

We also understand that we will be required to produce the “**Authorization to March**” credentials provided to us, upon request of a Parade Marshal or Police Officer.

We further understand that the United Irish Societies or any of its member organizations are not liable, responsible or accountable for any damages, injuries or other adverse consequences which may occur in the course of the Parade. We accept full responsibility for our participation and understand that it is completely voluntary and thus agree to hold the United Irish Societies, officers and its member organizations harmless and blameless for any and all damages, injuries or losses sustained. We have further been advised that obtaining liability insurance might be advisable.

If your group feels it meets a hardship test or is a registered non-profit group and is unable to pay the fee, you may seek a waiver by written request attached to your group's application.

Signature of Agent

Date

Printed Name

Title

Please return executed agreement and application fee to the St. Patrick's' Parade Office listed below.