

# Muscatine Independence Day 2016 Parade Entry Form

The Independence Day Parade is scheduled for **Monday, July 4, 2016**, to begin promptly at 5:00 p.m. **Staging and check-in to begin at Fulliam and Iowa (Iowa Field) at 3:00 p.m.** If you are interested in being a part of this year's parade, please complete and return this application to the Chamber office, no later than **4:00 p.m Friday, June 17, 2016**. All applications received after June 17th will be subject to a **\$50 late fee**. Participants are encouraged to showcase this year's theme, "*Honoring Our Armed Forces.*" To be included in this year's parade, please complete **BOTH sides of this form**, and send your payment to the address below.

Type of Entry: Float Band Walking Vehicle Bicycle Animal Other: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

Email Address (required): \_\_\_\_\_

**Entry Description:** In 25 words or less, please describe your entry as you would like it read over the public address system by the parade emcee. Tell what you do and why you are special, include your theme, motto or slogan.

**Vehicle Description:** Please provide the size and type of vehicle you will be driving (i.e. tractor and hayrack), needed in order to place your float in the line-up. **Copy of a valid driver's license and current vehicle insurance must be filed at the time of registration.** See Parade Regulations for complete details.

Judging of parade entries will be conducted in the following categories: **Best of Show "Overall"; Best of Show "Vehicle"; Best of Show "Equestrian"; Best of Show "Float"; Best Use of Theme; Best Display of Pride in Community; Best Use of Patriotic Music; Best Use of Recycled Materials; and Mayor's Choice.**

*Please complete both sides and return by*

**FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 2016 to:**

**Greater Muscatine Chamber of Commerce & Industry**  
102 Walnut Street  
Muscatine, IA 52761  
Phone: 563-263-8895  
Fax: 563-263-7662  
Email: chamber@muscatine.com

#### ENTRY FEES

Deadline: June 17, 2016

**Before Deadline After Deadline**

Not for Profit Organizations Free \$50

\*Business/Advertisers \$100 \$150

**\*Businesses/individuals who contribute \$100 or more to the fireworks will automatically receive a free entry in the parade.**

Please make all checks payable to:  
**Muscatine Chamber of Commerce Foundation**

**\*Please review the Independence Day Parade 2016 Regulations provided. \***



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Greater Muscatine Chamber of  
Commerce & Industry  
in cooperation with  
the City of Muscatine