

**APPLICATION TO PARTICIPATE**  
**in the**  
*St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.*  
at noon on March 9, 2024  
200 South St., Morristown, NJ 07960

*The St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.* is a celebration of Saint Patrick, our patron saint.

To apply, please complete this form and submit it to [pam@paradeday.com](mailto:pam@paradeday.com). You will receive a response as soon as possible.

**ORGANIZATION STATUS:**

Our organization marched in the 2023 St. Patrick's Day Parade.

We are a new organization wishing to be placed on the waiting list. (You will be advised by February 14, 2024 if your organization has been added to the line of march.)

**ORGANIZATION DETAILS:**

Please complete the application as soon as possible and submit it no later than January 31, 2024.

Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Size of your marching group: \_\_\_\_\_ (**Note:** the size of your group may not exceed 150 people)

Will your group have music? Yes:      No:      Type of music: \_\_\_\_\_

**Contact Name of person who will be responsible for your group at the parade site on March 9, 2024:**

**Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_**

**ORIENTATION MEETING:**

This meeting is **MANDATORY**. It will be held on February 26, 2024 at 6:00 PM at the VFW hall, 45 Tabor Road (route 53), Morris Plains, NJ.

A representative of your organization must attend the orientation. At this meeting, you will be informed of your division and place in the line of march. Permits for parade vehicles will be issued at this time.

Please acknowledge with your **initials** that a representative of your organization will attend the orientation.

Acknowledged: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARADE VEHICLES:**

A limit of **ONE** vehicle per group. Vehicles must be clean and presentable. Construction vehicles are **NOT** permitted in the line of march.

Will your group have motorcycles?

Yes: If yes, how many? \_\_\_\_\_

No:

Will your group be providing its own FLOAT?

Yes: If yes, will you have music? \_\_\_\_\_ Type of music: \_\_\_\_\_

No:

Will your group provide its own vehicle?

Yes: If yes, what type of vehicle? \_\_\_\_\_

No:

**BANNERS:**

Please be advised that your organization **must** have a banner or signage to identify itself. If a banner is needed, we have sponsors that can provide one at minimal cost. They are:

- **AlphaGraphics**  
973-984-0066  
us293@alphagraphics.com
- **Morris Sign**  
973-386-1755  
info@morrissignco.com

Brief Background of your organization. (This information is used by the Parade emcees at the reviewing stand.) Please do not exceed five sentences.

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Government officials who are marching must provide names and titles. Not to exceed 1 person.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Title: \_\_\_\_\_

**PUBLIC SAFETY:**

The parade goes on rain or shine. However, if there is a danger to public safety, the parade will be postponed.

**Parade Make-Up Date:** March 23, 2024

This information is included in — but not limited to — the application and cover letter, a **hold harmless agreement** for information disseminated during the mandatory orientation meeting and directions given by parade marshals and other officials on Parade Day.

All participants are to conduct themselves in an acceptable manner in keeping with the spirit of the event.

If you have any questions, contact Line of March Coordinator Pam Ryan at [pam@paradeday.com](mailto:pam@paradeday.com)

**PLEASE READ CAREFULLY BEFORE SIGNING:**

On behalf of the firm/organization/institute/individuals noted above and all people in the entry described above, I, the undersigned, have been given the authority to sign on behalf of the entry and all people directly and indirectly related to the entry. I have read and agree to comply with the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.*'s rules and regulations and all directions of parade officials.

I further agree that neither the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.* nor any of its officers, volunteers or committees will be liable for any injury to any people and/or damaged property suffered in connection with the parade and related activities as a result of the negligence of our organization. I further agree to assure release and hold harmless the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.*, its officers, volunteers and committees from all claims for injury or damage caused by negligence by our organization or guests.

I further agree that I hereby grant the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.* and its legal representatives and assignees the irrevocable and unrestricted rights to use and publish photographs and video of this entry and the entry's participants, and people accompanying it, for purposes of publication, solicitation and sponsorship, advertising, broadcast and cablecast on television or radio, display on the Internet, and any other purpose, now and in the future, forever, by the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.*, without any notice or further compensation to me.

I hereby release *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.* and its legal representatives and assignees from all claims and relating to said photography and/or other video imaging processes. I further undertake to provide all people directly or indirectly related to this entry with the *St. Patrick's Day Parade of Morris County, Inc.* rules and regulations.

**Note:** By returning this application, you and your group **agree to abide** by all instructions, rules, and regulations established by the parade organizers. You further agree and confirm that your organization is able to participate if the parade is **postponed to the make-up date**.

Authorized Representative

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_