



Connecticut Institute for Community Development -
Puerto Rican Parade, Inc.

2018 Greater Hartford Puerto Rican Day Parade
Saturday, June 2, 2018

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Group Name: _____

Contact Person: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____

Telephone: _____

Have you participated in the Hartford Puerto Rican parade before?
____ Yes ___ No

Please check your type of group and participation:

Type of Group:

- ___ Public School
- ___ College/University
- ___ Non-Profit Organization
- ___ For Profit Organization
- ___ Elected Official
- ___ Political Candidate

Type of Participation:

- ___ Marching only
- ___ Marching and Performance (describe below)
- ___ Marching and Decorated Float
- ___ Marching and Decorated Car
- ___ Decorated Float only
- ___ Decorated Car only

All participants must wear wristbands, including everyone who is marching or riding on a decorated float or car.

*Number of participants: _____

If your group is performing, please describe the details of the performance below:

All registration forms and fees are due by **May 1, 2018**. Late registrations or registrations on the day of the parade will not be accepted.

Motorized vehicles must provide proof of insurance coverage for the day of the parade. Before filling out the Participant Application, make sure you have read and understood the new Parade Rules and Regulations beginning on page 3.

CICD PUERTO RICAN PARADE REGISTRATION FEES:

	TYPE	Fee	Qty.	Total
<input type="checkbox"/>	*PUBLIC SCHOOLS (MARCHERS)	No Fee		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*COLLEGES/UNIVERSITIES (MARCHERS)	\$50.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*NON PROFIT ORGANIZATIONS (MARCHERS) and CULTURAL DANCE/MUSIC GROUPS	\$75.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*BUSINESSES (MARCHERS)	\$150.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*ELECTED OFFICIALS (Not running for office) No political campaigning will be allowed through the parade or at the festival. No exceptions.	No fee		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*POLITICAL CANDIDATES (Running for office) No political campaigning will be allowed through the parade or at the festival. No exceptions.	\$500.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	*MOTORIZED VEHICLE FEES Each group is limited to 2 (two) vehicles at the parade. 2-4 doors, SUVs, Pick-up Trucks. A \$75.00 fee applies for <u>each</u> vehicle.	\$75.00 per vehicle		
<input type="checkbox"/>	FLOAT FEES Participants must provide their own trailers, flatbeds or floats. No 18-wheelers or rigs will be allowed.	\$250.00		
<input type="checkbox"/>	ADDITIONAL REGISTRATIONS Use this space to order additional participant wristbands up to 50.	\$1.00 each		
	Add up all the fees here →			Total: \$_____

*This fee includes wristbands for as many as 50 people; up to an additional 50 wristbands may be purchased prior to the event. Float and vehicle fees are not included in this fee.

**Complete and send full application and payment to:
CICD Puerto Rican Parade, Inc.
ATTN: PARADE COMMITTEE
80 Cedar Street
Hartford, CT 06106**

**Questions/comments can be directed to:
CICD Puerto Rican Parade Office
cicdprparade@gmail.com
(860) 904-7860**

Applications and payments are due by May 1, 2018. No late applications will be accepted. No exceptions.



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1. All participants must submit a completed application and payment by May 1, 2018. Applications and payments will not be accepted after the deadline.
2. Only the contact person will be allowed at the registration desk the morning of the parade. Groups will only receive the number of wristbands requested on the application. Wristbands will be made available a week prior to the parade. Registration will begin at 8:30am until 10:30am, at the corner of Wawarme Avenue and Locust Street. The parade will begin promptly at 12:00pm. If your group arrives late, your group will not participate in the parade. No refunds will be provided.
3. All vehicles must be in good working condition and must comply with the Motor Vehicle Laws of the State of Connecticut. Cars that are part of a marching unit must be decorated. All drivers must have a valid driver's license. All motorized vehicles including cars, motorcycles, floats will be provided with a vehicle permit/pass that must be displayed at all times during the parade. All vehicles must have at least half a tank of fuel.
4. Puerto Rican flags with any other emblem and/or design WILL NOT be permitted in the parade. Any altered Puerto Rican flags will be immediately removed from the parade.
5. Music played by participants must be appropriate and in good taste. No profanity will be allowed during the staging or during the parade. The Board of Directors and the parade committee reserve the right to remove participants that violate this rule.
6. Participant attire and/or costumes must reflect Puerto Rican culture both appropriately and in good taste. The Board of Directors reserves the right to request a viewing of costumes or attires prior to approving your application. Furthermore, the Board and/or the parade committee reserves the right to remove participants that do not follow this rule.
7. Neither elected officials nor participants can engage in political campaigning or distribute political propaganda during the parade or at the festival. This includes political messages. NO Exceptions.
8. Participants will not consume and/or distribute alcohol and/or illegal drugs during the staging or throughout the parade.
9. Participants will not engage in any activity that may represent a safety hazard to the participants or spectators, ex. revving engines or throwing items into the crowd.
10. Violation of any of these rules will constitute grounds for removal from the parade and from future participation as approved by the Board of Directors and/or the Parade committee.

2018 Greater Hartford Puerto Rican Day Parade Rules and Regulations Acknowledgment

Please complete this form and return with your completed application and payment to:

CICD Puerto Rican Parade
Attn: Parade Committee
80 Cedar Street
Hartford, CT 06106

Group Name: _____

____ (initial) I certify that I have read and understand the Greater Hartford Puerto Rican Parade Rules and Regulations pertaining to the participation in the parade. I understand the Parade will run RAIN or SHINE and agree to abide by all parade regulations.

____ (initial) I understand that failure to comply with the rules and regulations may result in expulsion and banning from participating in future parades. I understand that if our participation should be cancelled due to violation of the above directives, CICD shall not return our registration fee. I further understand that this entry into the Greater Hartford Puerto Rican Parade is subject to the final approval of the Board of Directors.

____ (initial) I hereby grant permission to CICD Puerto Rican Parade, Inc. and those authorized by the Organization to interview, secure media statements, design printed materials (including social media websites), photograph, film, videotape, audio record or use other means of capturing my image or voice, to use my and my group's images, voices and statements for all Parade-related events, activities and promotions.

____ (initial) I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless the CICD/PRP, Inc. Hartford Chapter for any injuries or damages sustained by anyone in my unit as a result of participating in the Parade.

____ (initial) I further acknowledge and agree that the CICD/PRP, Inc. assumes no responsibility for the loss or damage of personal belongings.

Name of Group Representative: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____