



## Participant Application Form Summerlin Patriotic Parade 2026

Your organization can be a part of the grandest tradition in our community—the annual Summerlin Council Patriotic Parade!

Don't miss the opportunity to join the festivities complete with tens of thousands of enthusiastic spectators, significant media coverage, and good old-fashioned patriotic spirit.

### Application Deadline

Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at 5 PM

### Entry Fees

Non-Commercial: \$100

Commercial: \$300

(Entry fees due upon acceptance of application.)

BEFORE YOU APPLY: Please be familiar with entry requirements and parade policies before completing your application form. All applications will be reviewed by and are subject to the approval of event organizers. The number of accepted entries will be capped to meet time and space requirements—not all entries will be accepted. Applicants are strongly encouraged to be thorough and creative with their descriptions and design. View the complete Entry Requirements and Evaluation Considerations online at our website, [www.summerlinpatrioticparade.com](http://www.summerlinpatrioticparade.com)

- Vehicles such as passenger cars, commercial vans, trucks, buses, and other large vehicles will not be accepted unless towing a parade float or representing an integral theme or entertaining element of the parade entry as determined by parade organizers.
- No political campaigning or advocating, opposing, or advertising any political or social issue or person is allowed.
- No participant may carry a firearm or other weapon. Only prop weapons used for costuming purposes are allowed.
- No articles of any sort may be thrown from moving vehicles or by parade participants to spectators.
- No spraying of water or other liquids is allowed.
- The use of fireworks, sparklers, etc. is prohibited.
- No animals may participate in the parade.
- All parade units must maintain forward motion at a reasonable pace at all times.

Have questions? Need help creating a dynamic parade entry?  
Contact The Summerlin Council for assistance.

Phone: (702) 341-5500

Email: [summerlinpatrioticparade@summerlincouncil.com](mailto:summerlinpatrioticparade@summerlincouncil.com)

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## SECTION 1: CONTACT INFORMATION

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Name of Organization

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Name of Parade Unit (as it will appear in parade publications)

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Organization Address

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City, State and Zip

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Organization Website

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Primary Contact Name (First and Last)

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Primary Contact Email

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Primary Contact Phone

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Primary Parade Day Phone (mobile)

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Alternate Contact Name (First and Last)

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Alternate Parade Day Phone (mobile)

## SECTION 2: ENTRY DETAILS

How would you classify your entry?

- Non-Commercial  
 Commercial

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Number of Participants

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\*Number of Vehicles in the unit (max 14)

\*(Floats being towed by a vehicle only count as one.)

What type of entry will this be?

- Standard Float (No Outwalkers)  
 Standard Float (WITH Outwalkers)  
 Marching Band  
 Performance or Musical Group  
 Veterans/Military Organization  
 Walking Unit  
 Car Club  
 Elected Official  
 Mascot/Character

**SECTION 2 (continued): ENTRY DETAILS**

Describe the type and use of all vehicles in your unit

Will you be distributing handouts?

- YES
- NO

Number of individuals distributing handouts  
(if applicable | max: 10)

Describe the handout materials

Describe the curbside distribution plan including how the materials will be carried.

**SECTION 3: PARADE UNIT AUDIO**

Will your unit feature music or sound?

- YES
- NO

(Please note: Parade organizers reserve the right to supersede an entry's sound with the parade's master soundtrack.)

Sound Loudness Level

- Soft
- Moderate
- Loud
- Very Loud

Will the sound be...

- Live
- Recorded
- Both

Will the sound be amplified?

- YES
- NO

Describe the music/sound

Describe the sound system used

If you require an additional vehicle to deliver and/or pick up the instruments or sound equipment being used, please provide details.

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**SECTION 4: PARADE UNIT DESCRIPTION AND DETAILS**

Describe the parade unit theme, design, additional elements, decoration materials, participant involvement, costuming, unique details, etc. Please be as detailed as possible.

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Detailed Description of Parade Unit

Please attach any color images, artistic renderings or sketches, diagrams, concepts or other relevant materials describing or depicting your parade unit. These materials are required for consideration.

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Optional link to online video of your parade unit

## SECTION 5: ENTRY ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND ACCEPTANCE

Please read and acknowledge the following statements:

Upon submission of your completed application, you will be emailed a confirmation within 72 hours stating the entry form was received for consideration. Any applicant not receiving this confirmation should contact The Summerlin Council immediately. It is the applicant's responsibility to follow up on their entry submission.

I Acknowledge/Accept

Because of the large number of applications received for the Summerlin Council Patriotic Parade, organizers will be capping the entries accepted to meet the limited time and space requirements of the event.

I Acknowledge/Accept

Accepted entries must remain faithful to their descriptions as submitted in the parade application. Any variance must be resubmitted for approval by Parade organizers.

I Acknowledge/Accept

Only those applicants with a high level of audience appeal (i.e. creating a visually exciting display or offering an entertaining attraction) and/or community relationship will be considered to participate in the Parade.

I Acknowledge/Accept

The Parade will not be used as a platform for special interests. Any unit discovered to be in violation of this policy may be removed from the line-up and will be excluded from future participation in the Parade.

I Acknowledge/Accept

No political campaigning or advocating, opposing, or advertising any political or social issues or person is allowed.

I Acknowledge/Accept

All applicants will receive an email by Monday, March 23, 2026 notifying them of their acceptance status in the Parade.

I Acknowledge/Accept

Absolutely no applications will be considered after Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at 5 PM. No exceptions.

I Acknowledge/Accept

I have read and understood the guidelines and policies of The Summerlin Council Patriotic Parade. Our entry will comply with these regulations. I acknowledge that the final day to submit this application for review by the parade organizers is Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at 5 p.m.

I also acknowledge that receipt of this application does not guarantee acceptance into the parade. Due to time and space restrictions, the number of units accepted in the 2026 Patriotic Parade will be limited. Furthermore, The Summerlin Council reserves the right to restrict the number of entries in any type of category to ensure the diversity, quality, and duration of The Summerlin Council Patriotic Parade.

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Your Signature

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Today's Date

All entry applications, written descriptions and artistic renderings must be received in-house by The Summerlin Council no later than Wednesday, March 11, 2026 at 5 p.m. Postmarks do not count towards the deadline.

Please return to:  
The Summerlin Council  
1910 Spring Gate Lane  
Las Vegas, NV 89134

or via email to:  
parade@summerlincouncil.com