

Cookeville Veterans Parade 11 November 2016

GUIDELINES

- All entries must be submitted No Later Than 31 October 2016
- All entries must be in accordance with the theme and spirit of Veterans Day. Each entry should reflect pride in self, veterans and our military. Signs and decorations are to be in good taste, patriotic and support the parades mission
- No commercial vehicles will be permitted unless it is pulling a Veteran Service Organizations (VSO) float
- No advertising permitted on cars or floats other than designation of VSO and Posts (sponsorship of VSO's and Posts allowed on a case by case basis)
- Due to safety regulations, no tractor trailer units are allowed
- No entry is permitted to stop in front of television cameras or radio broadcast
- Flying and/or displaying the National Colors must have prior approval
- A determination of motorcycle organizations will be considered on a case by case basis
- All vehicle entries are required to have insurance and legal driver – attach proof to application
- Nothing may be thrown or handed out from vehicles and floats
- No vehicles with sirens are permitted to use them during the parade or during line-up
- Participants will follow the directions of Law Enforcement Agencies and all applicable traffic laws
- Follow directions of the Veterans Parade Line-up Lead in an orderly fashion - Other guidelines may apply and request your cooperation

Entry/Group Name: _____

Entry Title: _____

POC - Phone Number: _____

POC – E-mail: _____

Vehicle Length (50' max, includes float/trailer) _____

Vehicle Width (12' max) _____ **Vehicle Height (12' max)** _____

Attached Proof of Insurance: _____

Description of Entry (for possible judging)

Completed entry forms must be returned on or before 31 October 2016. I agree to comply with all rules and regulations of the Cookeville Veterans Parade.

Signature: _____

Cookeville Veterans Day Parade Liability Disclaimer 2016

The Putnam County Veterans Service Organization's (VSO), Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee does not provide liability insurance for the protection of individuals, groups, organizations, businesses, spectators or others who may participate in the 2016 parade. Each entry must be submitted with a copy of "proof of insurance". If an organization has multiple entries, the individual responsible must verify that each vehicle has "proof of insurance".

In consideration for your participation in the said Veterans Day parade, the individual, group, organization, business, spectator or other does hereby release and forever discharge the Putnam County VSO's, Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee and it's officers jointly and separately from any and all actions, causes of actions, claims for or upon any damage, loss, injury which hereafter may be sustained by participating in the 2016 Veterans Day Parade.

This release extends and applies to and also covers and includes all unknown, unanticipated and unsuspected injuries, damages, loss, liability and the consequences thereof, as well as, those now disclosed and known to exist. The provisions of any federal, state or local law or statute providing that releases shall not extend to claims, demands, injuries or damages which are known or unsuspected to exist at this time to the person executing such release are hereby expressly waived.

I hereby agree on behalf of my heirs, executor, administrators and assigns to indemnify the Putnam County VSO's, Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee and it's officers and workers, jointly, separately from any and all actions, causes of actions, claims, demands for or upon by any damage, loss, injury which hereafter may be sustained by participating in the 2016 Veterans Day Parade.

It is further understood and agreed that said participation in the Veterans Day Parade is not to be construed as an admission of any liability and acceptance of assumption of responsibility by the Putnam County VSO's, Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee it's officers or workers jointly or separately and the participant shall indemnify the Putnam County VSO's, Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee it's officers and workers jointly and separately for all damages and expenses for which the Putnam County VSO's, Putnam County, the City of Cookeville and the Veterans Day Committee it's officers and workers become liable as a result of any alleged act of the parade participant.

Further all entries must be in accordance with the theme and spirit of Veterans Day. Decorations and signs are to be in good taste, patriotic, and support the parade's mission in a positive manner recognizing veterans in our community.

Name of Entry/Group: _____

Name of Individual Responsible (print): _____

Signature of Individual Responsible: _____

(All group entries have "proof of insurance")

Date: _____

All participants must complete the 2016 Liability Disclaimer to be eligible to participate in the parade. Return disclaimer with entry form by close of business 31 October 2016.