

2017

LIGHTED CHRISTMAS PARADE REGISTRATION FORM

THEME: SANTA'S WORKSHOP

DECEMBER 2ND @ 3:00PM

Presented by the Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce

Name of Organization _____

Contact Person _____ Phone Number _____

E-mail address _____ Cell Phone number _____

Number in Group _____ Length of entry (in feet) _____

*****Parade Entry Categories*****

(Please check appropriate block)

Trophies will be presented to large floats and bands only. All others will receive ribbons.

Band

Car/Motorcycle Club

Civic Organization

Float

Marching Group

Performing Group

Youth Float

Please write a brief description of the entry for reviewing stand commentary.

NOTE: Applications must be received no later than November 27, 2017.

Check- in time is 1:00 p.m. at the Copperas Cove High School parking lot on Ave. D. If your float needs assembly you may arrive early but still must check in at 1pm and must be ready at 1:30 if being judged. Judging begins at 1:30 p.m. All entries **MUST check in before the parade begins or they will not be allowed to participate. Parking in the parade line up area will **NOT** be tolerated; this area is for loading and unloading purposes only. *Please read the attached sheet of parade rules carefully.* Rules will be strictly enforced. For more information contact 254-547-7571.**

I hereby agree that the above is eligible as entered and to release and hold harmless the management and any of its members or agents, and/or the owners or managers of the grounds or location where this event is held, from any loss, damage, or injury resulting from participation of the above entry in this event. I have read the attached parade rules and understand that failure to comply with these rules may result in my immediate expulsion from the parade.

Signed _____
(If participant is under 18 years of age, parent or guardian must sign.)

Date _____



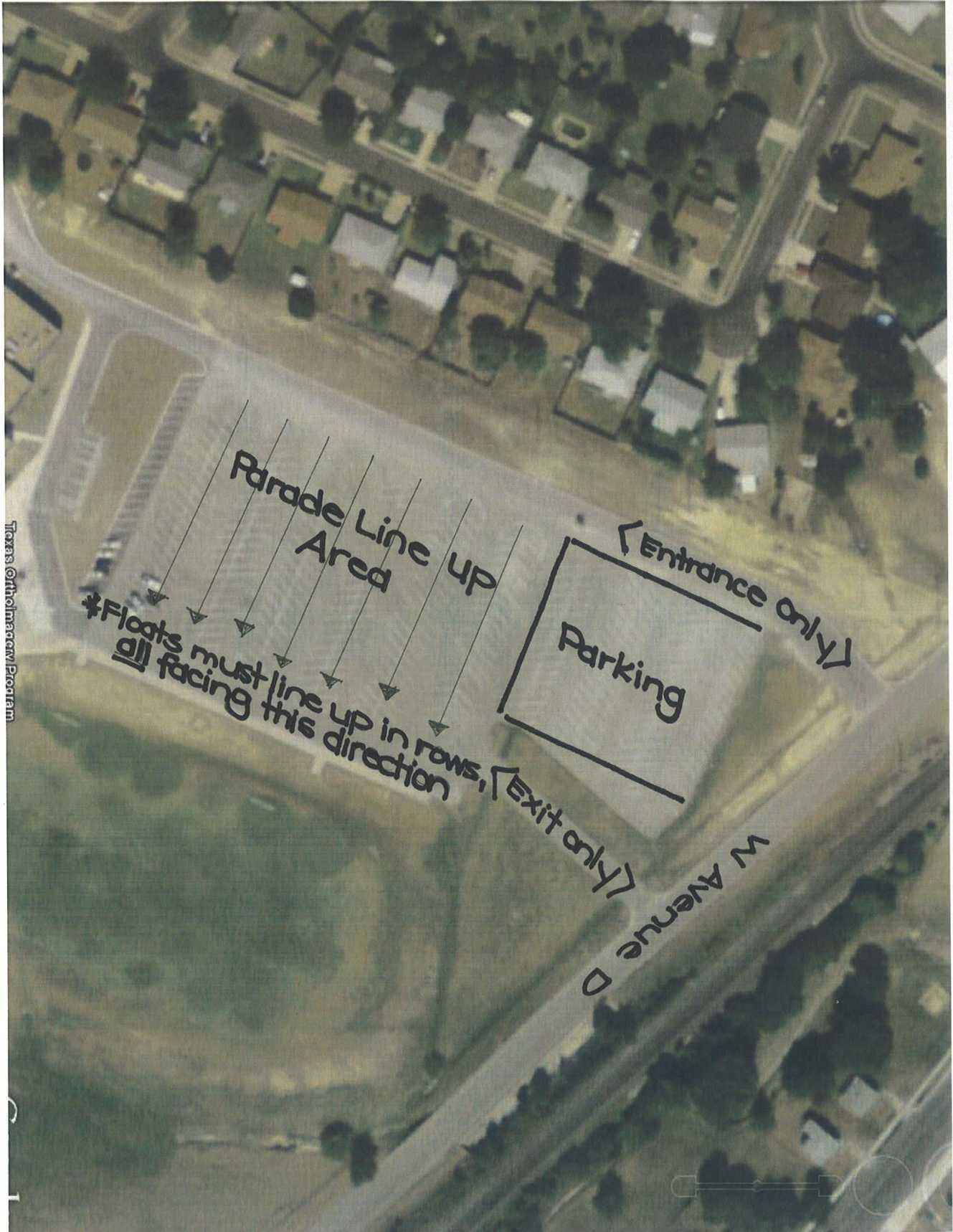
Send completed registration forms to:

Copperas Cove Chamber of Commerce
204 E. Robertson Ave.
Copperas Cove, TX 76522
or fax to 254-547-5015
Email- Chamber@copperascove.com

2017 CHRISTMAS PARADE RULES

*** Parade rules will be strictly enforced***

- No Santa Claus-like or Mrs. Claus-like costumes will be allowed in the parade except on the official Santa Claus float.
- This is an evening parade so floats must be lighted. Single vehicle entries must be decorated.
- The person in charge of the float must remain with that float throughout the parade and must have a cell phone on his/her person. This person and cell phone number must be indicated on the parade registration form. Any changes must be reported to the parade Chair prior to the parade.
- Participants must maintain a forward motion at all times once the parade has begun. No stopping or lagging behind will be allowed.
- For any cars or car clubs that are entered in the parade: **Burning rubber or excessive acceleration will absolutely not be tolerated. Violators will be removed from the parade immediately.**
- No one may leave the parade until it has reached the dispersal area at Cove Terrace Shopping Center.
- In the interest of public safety, nothing may be thrown to spectators directly from floats or other vehicles (This includes candy. Candy can be handed out by *parade walkers*). Children tend to run into the path of the float.
- Participants in parade must refrain from smoking and the consumption of alcoholic beverages.
- Parade participants driving their own vehicles must submit proof of liability insurance with their registration form.
- During lineup at the staging area, all entries must be equipped with the following:
 - *Fire extinguishers
 - *A working horn
 - *Proof of insurance
 - *Working lights on any/all vehicles
- Share the spirit of the season with spectators and fellow parade participants.
- No horses (other than the 1st CAV Horse Platoon) will be allowed in the parade for safety reasons.
- **Participants must exit floats at the dispersal point. Due to safety concerns and a city ordinance – NO ONE may ride floats back to the high school.**



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