

## Thank you for your interest in supporting Twin Cities Pride!

Space in the parade is very limited - **there will be maximum 85 paid units**. Due to the high level of interest in parade participation, we use an adjudicated system for selecting participants.

The process will work as follows:

1. Prospective participants will submit an application that includes a detailed description of their proposed parade entry and verifiable examples of their support for the LGBTQ community.
2. A jury will review all the applications and select participants based on a number of factors, including, but not limited to: community support; type of organization; visual presence in accordance with the theme of the parade; and amplified sound balance.
3. Selected participants will be invited to complete the registration process. The actual parade lineup will be based on both aesthetic balance and receipt of payment.
4. Non-selected applicants may have the opportunity to revise their unit description and reapply in the unlikely event that spaces remain.

**Timeline:** This application is due no later than March 31. Selected participants will be notified by April 15 and **must** complete their registration and participation payment by May 1.

**All applicants shall submit a one-time \$50 nonrefundable application fee to be considered for a position. Credit card and e-checks NOW ACCEPTED**

**If the applicant is accepted, the additional participation fee per unit to complete registration is as follows:**

- \$200\* Community Groups and Nonprofits with fewer than 50 employees.  
(This may also include ERGs that are **separate nonprofit organizations** from their parent company and some government entities.)
- \$600 Businesses and all other Nonprofits (Corporations, Companies, Businesses, Nonprofits with more than 50 Employees, or Employee Groups of such entities)
- \$375 Candidates for Local or State Office
- \$550 Political Parties or Candidates for Federal Office
- \$0 Current Officeholders not seeking reelection

*\*A limited number of \$100 Fee Waivers are available to small nonprofits and community groups. Fee Waivers will apply to the participation fee, not the nonrefundable \$50 application fee.*

**Thank you for your interest in participating in the 2019 Ashley Rukes GLBT Pride Parade!**

### **2019 Ashley Rukes GLBT Pride Parade**

Sunday, June 23, 2019 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (Central Time)

#### **Twin Cities Pride (office address)**

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If you have questions, you can email Parade Staff at [parade@tcpride.org](mailto:parade@tcpride.org). Parade Staff are volunteers, so your patience is appreciated.