

RULES FOR UNITS, FLOATS & POLITICIANS ENTERING  
THE ONTONAGON LABOR FESTIVAL PARADE:

1. **No objects, candy or otherwise may be thrown from the floats or cars, or thrown by individuals.** This measure will be strictly enforced for safety of children on the street, and no float will be considered for a prize that violates this regulation. Candy may be passed out by walkers along the sides of the parade route.
2. Drivers of floats and other vehicles in the parade may not consume alcoholic beverages while driving, and must meet the standards set forth by Michigan Law for being a sober driver.
3. Floats or other units in the parade should not be offensive to the public, obscene, or hold groups or individuals up to ridicule. The Committee has the right to have a float or unit pulled from the parade if the unit or float is found to be offensive.
4. **Politicians in the parade may walk or ride in a vehicle. They may not do both.** A politician may walk along-side of his or her vehicle, shaking hands, but may not get out and in the vehicle. The vehicle may not stop and wait for the politician outside of the normal stop and wait flow of the parade.
5. Any float can enter the Open Division. Youth Division floats must have a majority of young people on them. Any Commercial entity may enter the Commercial Float Division.
- 6.. Floats with skits or other parts that require them to stop and perform along the parade route, should make this known to the Parade Committee at the time of judging, so that floats in front can be advised to slow their pace and keep the parade spaced correctly.
7. All drivers of floats or cars, particularly those at the front of the parade, are asked to keep one eye behind them and stop when band units or others are stopping, so that the parade does not have large gaps in it.
8. Stock cars must be on trailers and not under their own power.
9. Horses will be placed at the end of the parade. Any messes must be picked up immediately by the owners.
10. Violation of the above regulations, observed by the police or the committee may result in your unit being eliminated from the Parade.

By Order of the Labor Day Committee:

Jan Tucker	Willie DuPont
Bill Chabot	Bill Wood
Joe Erickson	Dot Phillips
Mickey Hoefflerle	Angie Foley
Margo Anderson	Tanya Weisinger