

Join us...this Christmas

Dear Valued Partner,

The holiday season is quickly approaching, and we are excited to announce the City of Port Wentworth's Annual Christmas Parade, happening on Saturday, December 5, 2026 at 10:00 AM in Downtown Port Wentworth. We would love for your business/organization to join us in making this year's parade a magical celebration for our community! Whether it's a decorated float, a performance group, vehicles, or a walking unit, your participation will help spread holiday cheer and showcase the wonderful spirit of our city.

Parade Details:

- Date & Time: Saturday, December 5, 2026 10:00AM
- Line-Up Location: U.S. Sugar Refinery
- Theme: Christmas
- Registration Deadline: December 3, 2026

Participation is free, and all groups are encouraged to decorate in festive holiday style. To register, please complete the attached entry form (or visit www.portwentworthga.gov for the online form) and return it to tlancaster@portwentworthga.gov by December 3, 2026.

If you have any questions, feel free to contact Tiffany Lancaster at 912-966-7428 or tlancaster@portwentworthga.gov.

Thank you for considering this opportunity to celebrate the season with us. We look forward to seeing your group in the parade and sharing the joy of Christmas with the community!

Sincerely,

City of Port Wentworth Recreation Department



PORT WENTWORTH CHRISTMAS PARADE

Saturday December 5, 2026 ● Port Wentworth, Ga

PLEASE MEET AT THE STAGING AREA: 201 Oxnard Drive U.S. Sugar Refinery Port Wentworth

The City of Port Wentworth is hosting their 3rd annual Christmas Parade this December! We would love if your community organization or local business would like to be involved and help us celebrate Christmas with all of our residents in Port Wentworth and the surrounding areas! The parade will take place on Saturday, December 5, 2026 and the lineup for the parade will start at 8:00 AM and the parade will start at 10:00 AM. There is NO COST for Parade entry nor is it limited to commercial entities or groups within Port Wentworth. So, get started by completing the information below.

Please retain a copy of this form for your records

Parade start time: 10:00 AM SHARP - Line Up starts 7:30 AM - 9:30 AM

ORGANIZATION/BUSINESS INFORMATION

ORGANIZATION NAME:

CONTACT NAME: **PHONE:**

EMAIL ADDRESS:

ADDRESS:

CITY/STATE/ZIP:

PARADE CATEGORIES

please check all that apply

- ☐ **Antique/Classic/Vintage Car or Truck**
- ☐ **Car or Truck w/ Float**
- ☐ **Car/Bicycle/Motorcycle Club**
- ☐ **Civic/Non-Profit** Church/Service/Youth Group
- ☐ **Dance/Musical Group**
- ☐ **State/City/County Official**
- ☐ **Decorated Vehicles** Bicycle, Car, Golf Cart, Motorcycle, truck, etc.
- ☐ **Emergency Vehicles** Ambulance/Fire/Police
- ☐ **Horse/Pony & Rider**
- ☐ **Military Vehicle**
- ☐ **Novelty**
- ☐ **Twirling/Majorettes**
- ☐ **Marching Band** High School/Middle/Elementary
- ☐ **Marching/Walking Unit** Drill Team, I.D. Unit
- ☐ **School Group or Club**
- ☐ **Scouts (boys/girls)**
- ☐ **Specialty Vehicle**
- ☐ **Other**

GROUP DESCRIPTION

SPECIAL CONSIDERATION

SHORT DESCRIPTION OF YOUR FLOAT

NO. OF WALKERS

TOAL GROUP SIZE

NO. OF VEHICLES

NO. OF HORSES/PONIES & RIDERS

DOES ENTRY HAVE MUSIC OR LOUD NOISE? ☐ **YES** ☐ **NO**

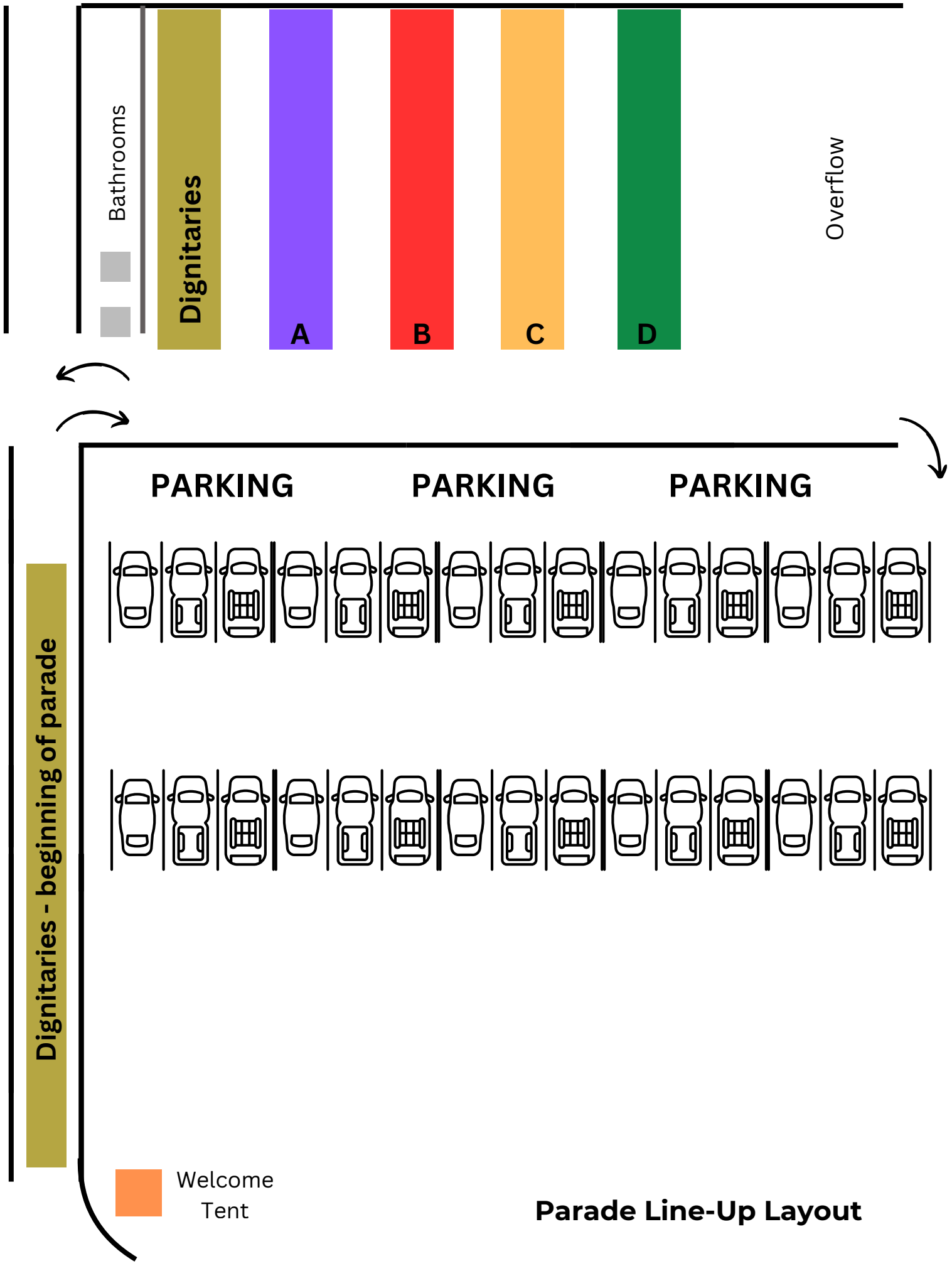
PARADE ENTRY RULES:

- Parade entry deadline is Wednesday, December 3, 2026.
- Forms must be emailed to tlancaster@portwentworthga.gov by the deadline.
- **Parade line-up begins promptly at 7:30 AM - Please meet at the staging area: U.S. Sugar Refinery, 201 Oxford Dr., Port Wentworth, Ga 31407.**
- Entries must be decorated in a Christmas theme.
- All entries are asked to have a group banner or some form of clearly identifiable signage.
- **Individually wrapped candy is allowed - but NOT thrown. All candy and handouts must be given out by walkers on either side of the floats in parade route.**
- No squirting of water.
- Although every effort will be made to honor request for placement, parade order/placement will not be guaranteed..

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL CITY OF PORT WENTWORTH RECREATION @ 912-966-7428

PARADE ROUTE




Bathrooms
Dignitaries
A
B
C
D
Overflow
PARKING
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Dignitaries - beginning of parade
Welcome Tent
Parade Line-Up Layout