

Chapter 5.35

PARADES

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No person shall engage in any parade, march, ceremony, show, exhibition, pageant or procession of any kind, or similar display, in or upon any street, park, or other public place except in accordance with a permit issued under this chapter; provided, however, that this requirement shall not apply to funeral processions or to governmental agencies acting within the scope of their authority or in the performance of their functions.

Upon application, the City Clerk shall issue a parade permit if, after review by the Director of Public Works and Utilities or his authorized representative, it is found that:

- (a) Such activity will not unreasonably interfere with the efficient movement of traffic;
- (b) Such activity will not interfere with the movement of firefighting equipment;
- (c) The proposed activity does not conflict with activities under any previously approved parade permit.

No parade permit shall be issued for a parade or similar display within the congested districts between the hours of 7:30 a.m. and 9:00 a.m., and between the hours of 4:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m., Monday through Friday.

No parade permit shall be issued for any parade or similar display which is to be held for the sole purpose of advertising any product or goods, or which is designed to be held purely for private profit.

The Director of Public Works and Utilities may place in the permit such restrictions on the time, place, and manner of carrying out the activity as the Director of Public Works and Utilities finds reasonably necessary to meet the requirements of this section. (Ord. 16951 §34; March 11, 1996; prior Ord. 15471 §1; March 5, 1990).

5.35.020 Notice of Rejection.

The City Clerk shall act upon the application for a parade permit within seven days after the filing thereof. If the application is disapproved, the clerk shall immediately notify the applicant by mail of the fact of such disapproval, stating the reasons for denial of the permit.

Any person aggrieved by the denial of an application for a parade permit shall have the right to appeal the denial to the City Council. The appeal shall be taken within fourteen days after notice of such denial. The City Council shall act upon such appeal at its next regularly scheduled meeting after receipt of such notice. (Ord. 15471 §2; March 5, 1990).