

**2023 DR. MARTIN LUTHER. KING, JR. PARADE**  
**MONDAY, JANUARY 16<sup>th</sup> 2023 beginning at 12:00pm**  
**PARTICIPANT INFORMATION**

As a condition to participation in the parade, all individuals and organizations shall be required to comply with the rules and conditions of participation set forth below, as well as, the directions of event staff the day of the parade.

Parade line up will begin at 11:00am at the Northwest corner of 12<sup>th</sup> Street and Martin Luther King Street, and will begin promptly at 12:00pm. The parade will then head East on Martin Luther King Street, ending at North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street.

**RULES AND CONDITIONS OF PARTICIPATION**

1. Parade participation entries **MUST** pre-register through the MLKCC office, additionally, they must acknowledge the Rules and Conditions of Participation as set forth in this document.
2. All entries shall maintain a theme consistent with celebrating the legacy of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Birthday. MLKCCTA/NBN reserves the right to reject any entries deemed inconsistent with the theme of the parade.
3. Masks are recommended and must be worn at all times in the MLKCC Building.
4. CDC Social Distancing protocols shall be observed, where applicable.
5. Items can be distributed from parade entrants, additionally, items may be thrown from floats or vehicles - please be sure to have a safe plan in place to do this that includes distancing vehicles from the parade spectators.
6. Persons may not get on or off of a moving vehicle and parade participants are not allowed to ride on the outside of moving vehicles; riding on hoods, fenders, sides or roofs of vehicles is similarly prohibited.
7. Marching entries must stay in the parade for the entire route.
8. **EFFECT OF NON-COMPLIANCE.** I acknowledge and agree that failure to adhere to any of these rules may result in denial of parade participation privileges.
9. **LIABILITY RELEASE.** I assume all liability for my actions, and further agree that as a condition to my participation, I hereby release and forever discharge MLKCCTA/NBN, its members, officers, agents, assigns, and Parade sponsors, from any and all, causes of action, claims and demands of any type whatsoever, arising from, or related to, any damage, loss, or injury, which may be sustained by my organization and further do hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless MLKCCTA/NBN, its members, officers, agents, and liabilities, loss, damages, and expense of any type, including attorney's fees, which may be sustained by reason of myself or an organization to which I am affiliated as a result of participating in the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Parade and Celebration.

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PLEASE be respectful of the Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Community Center Building rules and regulations on the day of the event.