

BEE COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE
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Dear Friend:

We cordially invite you to participate in our **68th Annual Bee County Chamber of Commerce Parade**, which will be held on **Saturday, October 15, 2005 at 10:30 a.m.** in downtown Beeville. This event is held in conjunction with the Bee County West Fest that will be held at the Bee County Coliseum. The parade will begin a fun filled day of activities. Vendors, exhibits, games, carnival, rodeo, cookoffs and two days full of entertainment will take place at the Bee County Coliseum. There will not be a ground admission, but a small parking fee will be charged, so come and enjoy.

First, second and third place trophies will be awarded in the following categories: **Chamber of Commerce & Cities, Commercial, Non-Commercial, Youth Entries, Decorated and Antique Cars, Mounted Groups & and Horse Drawn Vehicles.** A grand prize trophy will be awarded to the best overall entry. This year's parade will have a *Country Western* theme. Use your imagination to promote your business, organization or just enter and have fun. **Add music to your entry to make the parade more exciting.**

You have been a very important part of our parade in the past and your entry this year will be greatly appreciated. Help us celebrate this special event by your participation.

Enclosed you will find your entry blank. **Please return it by October 7th**, for a better parade position. Entries received after this date will be added to the end of the lineup. Judging will begin at 9:00 AM. Additional information can be obtained by calling 361-358-3267.

Sincerely,

Teresa Holland
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Executive Director
Parade Chairman

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Name of Organization, Individual or Business

Description of entry (car, pickup, tractor, vehicle & trailer)

Size of entry (overall length) _____

Classification of Entry (Circle the class you wish to enter)

Chamber of Commerce & Cities	Decorated & Antique Cars
Commercial	Mounted Groups
Non-Commercial	Horse Drawn Vehicles
Marching Band (# of students _____)	Youth Groups

Contact Person (Print or type clearly)

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Important Information: By law, **no throw outs or alcoholic beverages** are allowed by the parade entries. Please include names of key person who will be on your entry or those leading bands, so proper recognition can be given them by our announcers. Everyone is encouraged to use music on their entries to help make the parade a more festive occasion.

Attention Mounted Groups: The following qualifications **must** be observed: (1) Parade limited to 10 organized mounted groups, maximum of 20 riders per group (2) Must be judged (3) Minimum dress requirements; hats, long sleeve shirts, neckerchiefs, ties, or vest, jeans and boots. (4) Horse and tack must be in good condition (5) One rider per horse (6) Horse drawn vehicles must be entered separately. **All requirements must be met in order to participate.** Your cooperation has been great in the past, keep up the good work!