



**CITY OF ANNAPOLIS
CITY MANAGER**

It is the policy of the City of Annapolis that City-trained Parade Marshals shall be required for all parades on City streets and sidewalks, including those parades organized and sponsored solely by private parties.

City-trained Parade Marshals play a crucial role in the safety and security of parade events. They act as safety officials and enforce, prevent, and resolve safety concerns for parade participants and spectators. The presence of City-trained Parade Marshals with City-provided safety gear and radio equipment serves as a deterrence to those who may consider violating any safety protocols.

The Office of Emergency Management will provide oversight and training to Parade Marshals, and the Lead Parade Marshal and Parade Coordinator shall also attend operational briefings and training.

For parades organized and sponsored by the City, these volunteers shall be covered by City of Annapolis insurance policies in connection with their duties at these special events. For privately organized and sponsored parades, the City shall require the private organizer/sponsor to provide evidence of private insurance coverage for the Parade Marshals and volunteers.

Teresa Sutherland, City Manager

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