



# Eldon Turkey Festival Parade Application



Parade Date: September 30, 2017 –10 a.m.

**Entry Deadline to be judged and for preferred placement:  
September 26, 2017**

## Parade Theme “Down on the Farm”

Group or Unit Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please check all that apply to you or your organization:*

### Description of Unit

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Band, Drum & Bugle Corps, Majorette Corps*      | <input type="checkbox"/> Antique Tractor*                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Color Guard                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Modified Tractor*                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Float (Church or Community Organization Entry)* | <input type="checkbox"/> Antique/Classic Vehicle, pre 1950 * |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Float (Business/Commercial Entry) *             | <input type="checkbox"/> Antique/Classic Vehicle, post 1950* |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bikes, ATV's, etc*                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Modified Classic Vehicle*           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Equestrian Unit(s)*                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Beauty Queen or Notable Person      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Municipal Entry                                 |  |

**WE ARE REQUESTING PARADE PARTICIPANTS TO BRING NON PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS TO REGISTRATION THAT WILL BE DONATED TO THE ELDON FOOD PANTRY!!!!**

\*These are the only categories that will be judged and ONLY if this entry form is received by September 26, 2017 and you have checked in and are in your assigned parade position no later than 9:45 am Saturday, September 30, 2017. First, Second and Third place ribbons will be given if enough entries are received in each category. General judging criteria includes: presentation of parade’s theme, originality, & visual appeal. Criteria for judging antique tractors, antique & classic autos: originality ▪ condition ▪ modified

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### **PLEASE READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS INCLUDING THOSE ABOVE!**

The parade participants will need to check-in at the **Eldon Career Center** between 8:45 am – **9:30 am** on Saturday morning. Parade positions will be assigned at check-in. Judging begins **promptly** at 9:30 am. Parking is available between the EHS Gymnasium and the Fine Arts Building and the parking lot to the east of the gymnasium. All other parking lots are used by parade participants.

**Equine** will be in the open field on the **corner of Second & Locust Streets**. Ribbons will be given in two equestrian categories; Wagon & Team and Horse & Rider. All fire trucks & large trailers or vehicles should line up on Third, go North on Spruce and will be directed into the parade route.

Bands will be in the parking lot to the North of the Career Center and across the street on the lawn in front of Building C.

We look forward to your participation in the parade and seeing you at the Eldon Turkey Festival!