



Parade Units with Trailers or Floats

Each Trailer and Float is inspected the afternoon of the Pro Football Hall of Fame Enshrinement Festival Community Parade by a representative of the Canton Fire Department. Our goal is to maintain as safe an environment as possible for parade participants. In addition to examining the hitch and other equipment, the positioning and restraints for passengers will be reviewed.

- 1) All passengers **must be** restrained or seated with a barrier between them and the edge of the vehicle/trailer. A barrier consists of sitting inside of a walled pick-up truck bed or similar, or seated on the floor of a vehicle/trailer without sides being restrained by secured safety belts, or standing behind a T-bar and secured with safety belt or chain.
- 2) Any bench, chair or other seating on which a passenger is seated **must be** secured to the vehicle/trailer. For example, a passenger may not sit on an unattached lawn type chair on top of a vehicle or trailer.
- 3) Standing on any float **is prohibited unless** the following conditions are met. Children must be at least 16 years of age. All standing passengers must stand behind a secured T-bar and held in place by a safety belt or chain. Sitting on the edge of a pick-up truck bed **is not** permitted.

The Pro Football Hall of Fame Enshrinement Festival Community Parade Committee will follow all directives of the Canton Fire Department including refusing to allow a unit's vehicle to participate in the parade and/or preventing or limiting passengers on the vehicle in manners contrary to the safety evaluation of the Canton City Fire Department.

Rather than explore these issues on parade day Parade Units are strongly encouraged to contact Captain Paige of the Canton City Fire Department at 330-489-3400.