January 31, 2025

Public Works Committee Chair 730 Wisconsin Ave. Racine, WI 53403



To whom it may concern:

My name is Corey Prince, and I am the Chair of the Racine Juneteenth Parade Committee. We are seeking approval for city street closure and supplemental support to hold the 3rd Annual Racine Juneteenth Parade on Saturday June 14th, 2025. Last year, we had over 50 acts participating in this great tradition, celebrating the Freedom that this country was founded on. For this year's parade, staging will begin at 9:30 am and the parade begins at 10:45. This time change is the only difference in last year's parade. We thank the City of Racine Common Council for amending Resolution #10-1995 to include the Racine Juneteenth Parade as an event fiscally sponsored by the City of Racine, in conjunction with other celebrations. The community support is overwhelming, and the City is ready for a great parade this year. We look forward to seeing all of you and your families waving the flag of Freedom on Saturday June 14th, 2025.

We request the permits for the following closures: No parking on Lake Ave for pre-parade staging from 4^{th} St. to 6^{th} St. from 9 am-1 pm.

o No Parking on Main St. from 4th St. to 14th St. from 9 am-1 pm.

No Parking on 14th St. from Main St. to Grand Ave. from 9 am-1 pm.

o on Grand Ave. from 14th St. to Caron Butler Drive from 9 am-1 pm.

We request all cross streets along the route be blocked from traffic while the parade is en route. Our volunteers will man the barricades at non-major intersections once placed. Please see attached map of parade route

Thank you for consideration,

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