

## City of Ravenswood, West Virginia

## PARADE, DEMONSTRATION & RACE PERMIT APPLICATION

The purpose of this application is to promote and protect the safety of both the general public and parade participants pursuant to §92.04 of Code of City Ordinances

Organization name and mailing address:	
Person in charge of event, address, and telephone number:	
Person in charge affiliation with sponsoring organization:	
Information regarding proposed event:	
Time of commencement:	
Purpose:	
Expected duration:  Proposed route or location of event - commencement point, route, ending point:	
Expected number of participants:	



# Action taken by Common Council:

The permit is granted, with the following conditions:	
Bond required pursuant to §94.26:YesNo Bond Amount: \$	
The permit is denied, for the following reasons:	
Permit GrantedPermit Denied	
City Clerk, Ravenswood, West Virginia Date	



any combination thereof, and the number of persons, vehicles and animals expected to participate;

(4) The purpose of the parade or demonstration;

(5) The names and addresses of the actual sponsors of such parade or demonstration, and the organization or organizations, if any, of which the expected participants are members;

- (6) The name and address of the person who shall be in charge of such parade or demonstration and who shall be responsible for the conduct thereof and for compliance with all applicable provisions of law, this code and other ordinances by participants in such parade or demonstration;
  - (7) Such other information as the Common Council may require.

(1970 Code, § 14-7)

#### § 94.23 REQUIRED SIGNATURE ON APPLICATION FOR PERMIT.

Each application for a parade or demonstration permit shall be signed by at least 1 person, who shall be the person named in the application as the one who shall be in charge of such parade or demonstration and who shall be responsible for the conduct thereof and for compliance with all applicable provisions of law, this code and other ordinances by participants in such parade or demonstration.

(1970 Code, § 14-8)

### § 94.24 CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATION; GRANTING OR DENIAL.

Upon the filing of a completed and properly signed application for a parade or demonstration permit, the City Clerk shall transmit copies thereof promptly to all members of the Common Council. The Common Council, at its next meeting, shall consider such application and take action thereon. If the Common Council considers that such parade or demonstration would not be detrimental to the good government or the peace, safety, health or welfare of the city or the inhabitants thereof and would not constitute a threat to the maintenance of law and order or cause unacceptable traffic conditions within the city, the permit applied for shall be granted. If, however, the Common Council, in the exercise of sound discretion and in view of circumstances then existing, considers that the holding of such parade or demonstration would be detrimental to the good government or the peace, safety, health or welfare of the city or the inhabitants thereof, or would constitute a threat to the maintenance of law and order or would cause unacceptable traffic conditions within the city, the permit shall be denied. (1970 Code, § 14-9)

### § 94.25 CONDITIONS OF PERMIT AND REQUIRED COMPLIANCE THEREWITH.

(A) In granting a permit pursuant to this chapter the Common Council may include therein such prohibitions, conditions, restrictions and limitations as it may consider appropriate, under the general police powers of the city, to safeguard the good government and the peace, safety, health and welfare of the city and the inhabitants thereof, as well as to maintain law and order and acceptable traffic conditions within the city, and it shall be unlawful for any person covered by the permit to violate or fail to comply with any such prohibition,



#### § 94.29 SIGNS, PENNANTS, STICKERS AND THE LIKE.

No person parading or demonstrating pursuant to a permit issued under the provisions of this chapter shall carry or display any sign, pennant, sticker or other device which contains any scurrilous or obscene words, language or illustrations calculated to arouse public hatred or anger or tending to incite any breach of the public peace. No sign shall exceed a width of 24 inches or a height of 36 inches. (1970 Code, § 14-14)

# § 94.30 DISPERSAL OF RIOTS, ROUTS AND UNLAWFUL ASSEMBLIES; ARREST OF PERSONS WHO DISOBEY COMMAND TO DISPERSE.

Parades and demonstrations held pursuant to a permit issued under the provisions of this chapter which become, or which reasonably appear to present an imminent threat to becoming, a riot, rout or unlawful assembly shall be dispersed forthwith by the city police or by any law enforcement officer who may be present, and persons who are commanded to disperse by any law enforcement officer shall promptly obey such command and peacefully disengage themselves from such parade or demonstration and leave the scene thereof, and persons who fail to obey such command shall be subject to immediate arrest. (1970 Code, § 14-15)

#### § 94.31 MOLESTING PARADERS AND DEMONSTRATORS PROHIBITED.

No person shall hinder, molest, insult or harass any parader or demonstrator lawfully parading or demonstrating pursuant to a permit issued under the provisions of this chapter. (1970 Code, § 14-15)