



**PARADE APPLICATION - "THUMP 2026"**

**73rd Annual Luling Watermelon Thump**

**Date: Saturday, June 27, 2026**

**Time: 10:00 a.m.**

**Judging: 9:00 a.m.**

Name of Organization or Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARADE DIVISIONS (Please check one)**

- ☐ Vanguard/Dignitaries   ☐ Local Commercial   ☐ Out-of-Town Commercial   ☐ Military  
☐ Civic Clubs/Churches   ☐ Youth Groups   ☐ Shriners   ☐ Horses   ☐ In-Town-Court  
  
☐ Visiting Festivals, Chambers of Commerce, Fairs (PLEASE LIST COMMUNITY POPULATION BELOW.)  
(You MUST list the population of your community for this category, please \_\_\_\_\_.)

**TYPE OF ENTRY (Please check one)**

- ☐ Color Guard or Marching Band or Drill Team  
☐ Float  
☐ Decorated Car or Truck  
☐ Car or Truck Club (limit of 5 vehicles per club - no exceptions!)  
☐ Horses ( \_\_\_\_\_ number in your group)  
☐ OTHER, please describe \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

1. Will your entry have music? ☐ YES ☐ NO      If YES, will it be LIVE      or RECORDED      ? (check box)  
2. Approximate amount of space in feet needed for your entry? \_\_\_\_\_

**COMMENTS FOR THE PARADE ANNOUNCERS** \_\_\_\_\_

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**LULING WATERMELON THUMP PARADE DISCLAIMER**

PLEASE READ AND BE AWARE OF THE RULES AND REGULATIONS BEFORE SIGING THIS DISCLAIMER AND  
PARTICIPATING IN THE LULING WATERMELON THUMP PARADE

The Luling Watermelon Thump Association officers, members and designated officials are not liable in either official or individual capacity for property damage, personal injury or death arising from your participation in the Luling Watermelon Thump Parade. By signing this disclaimer form, the responsible person for the entry binds each person participating in the activity under the authority of this entry form to hold afore named harmless from liability and agrees to provide each participating person under the authority of this entry form with a copy of this disclaimer and rules for the parade.

**Name of Responsible Party (please print):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

*Applications will not be accepted after June 19, 2026.*

**Return Application to:** P.O. Box 188, Luling, Texas 78648 or email: [parade@watermelonthump.com](mailto:parade@watermelonthump.com)