



ALL PARTICIPANTS – ROSE PARADE

SUMMARY OF COVID-19 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS

As of October 13, 2021, the City of Pasadena is reporting that 96.1% of eligible Pasadena residents over 12 years old have received at least one COVID-19 vaccination dose. All guidelines as outlined have been prepared in consultation with the City of Pasadena and the Pasadena Department of Public Health and are intended to assist in maintaining a healthy and safe environment for all participating in Mega Events with/for the Association.

- **Mega Events Definition:** Mega Events are indoor events with 1,000 or more people and outdoor events with 10,000 or more patrons, as defined by the CDPH and include sporting events, fairs, festivals and parades, and large private events or gatherings among others.
- **Fully Vaccinated Definition:** For the purposes of this guidance, people are considered fully vaccinated for COVID-19 two weeks or more after they have received the second dose in a 2-dose series (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna or other vaccine authorized by the World Health Organization), or two weeks or more after they have received a single-dose vaccine (Johnson and Johnson [J&J]/Janssen). Individuals must provide a photo identification with their proof of vaccination.
- **Pre-Entry Negative Testing Definition:** Testing must be conducted within 72 hours before event start time (both PCR and antigen are acceptable). Results of the test must be available prior to entry into the event or venue. Individuals must provide a photo identification with their negative test result.
- **Patron Definition:** Patrons include all ticketed guests for Mega Events including, but not limited to, the Rose Parade presented by Honda, Floatfest, and the Rose Bowl Game.



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In cooperation with the City of Pasadena and the Pasadena Department of Public Health, the following guidelines are in place for ALL participants of the Rose Parade:

ALL PARTICIPANTS & PERFORMERS

It is recommended, unless otherwise noted, that all participants and performers in the Rose Parade:

- Are vaccinated prior to participating and/or arriving in Southern California
- Have a flu shot prior to participating and/or arriving in Southern California
- Get tested for COVID-19 before coming to Southern California, and stay home if receiving a positive test
- Stay home if symptoms of any illness
- If unvaccinated, participant(s) are required to stay home if in close contact in the last 10 days with someone who had COVID-19; if vaccinated, get tested for COVID-19 3-5 days after last exposure
- If unvaccinated, participant(s) are required to provide the Association proof of negative COVID-19 test taken within 72 hours of the Rose Parade
- Wear a mask in all indoor public settings, and at Outdoor Mega Events, regardless of vaccination; approved performers/participants who provide proof of vaccination or a negative test taken within 72 hours of the Parade will not have to wear a mask while on the Parade route
- Follow CDC requirements and recommendation for domestic travelers
- Encourage all participants to enable the CA Notify service on their Apple or Android mobile device; see <https://canotify.ca.gov/>

OTHER ASSOCIATION EVENTS

The Association has adopted a policy for all indoor events **requiring proof of vaccination** for all people, including participants, members, volunteers and other guests. When possible, the Association has made arrangements to hold events in an outdoor environment or venue. Please check with your Association representative should you have any questions regarding other indoor/outdoor events.



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COVID-19 COMPLIANCE LEAD

Each participant/group/builder/committee/other (“participant”) will appoint a COVID-19 Compliance Lead (“Lead”) for all Tournament of Roses activities to manage and ensure the following requirements:

- Responsible for monitoring and enforcing compliance with masking, especially in indoor settings.
- The Lead should be identified as soon as possible and should be reported to your Association contact who will share that information with the Association’s Lead.
- The Lead for each group will provide their name, group name, and contact information (mobile phone and email) to the Tournament of Roses Association (“Association”).
- Provide to the Association the number of participants in the group and a planned itinerary including temporary housing location while in Southern California.
- The Lead will maintain participant contact information for each Association activity and an accurate contact list for each participant in the group.
- Ensure anyone who does not provide proof of vaccination must provide a negative COVID-19 test to the Association taken within 72 hours prior to their participation in the Rose Parade.
- **Unvaccinated participants who do not provide a pre-event negative COVID-19 test cannot participate in any Association Mega Events including the Rose Parade, Rose Bowl Game and/or Floatfest.**
- Anyone who is symptomatic MUST test and isolate while waiting for the test result.
- Close contacts who are vaccinated are not required to quarantine if they remain asymptomatic. Asymptomatic close contacts should test 3-5 days after exposure.



BANDS/COLOR GUARD/DRILL TEAMS, EQUESTRIANS & OTHER PARTICIPANTS TRAVELING FROM OUTSIDE OF CALIFORNIA

COVID-19 COMPLIANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR MEGA EVENTS

In cooperation with the City of Pasadena and the Pasadena Department of Public Health, the following guidelines are in place for all **BANDS/COLOR GUARD/DRILL TEAMS, EQUESTRIANS AND OTHER PARADE PARTICIPANTS** who will participate in Mega Events and who are traveling from outside of California:

- It is requested that all participants, regardless of vaccination status, test before traveling from outside of California.
- It is recommended that all individuals traveling from outside of California test before traveling and be able to produce a documented negative test within 72 hours of travel if requested by the Tournament of Roses. Self-attestation is not allowed.
- Anyone who tests “positive” and are “confirmed COVID-19 cases” cannot travel to California.
- Unvaccinated individuals who are untested and unvaccinated are **not permitted** to participate in the parade or any indoor (1000 or more people) or Outdoor Mega Events (10,000+).

Participants traveling from outside the state of California should follow one of the two following options:

Option 1: PREFERRED - full vaccination for all eligible individuals including, but not limited to, band/color guard/ drill team members, equestrians, support staff, volunteers, chaperones and other participants.

- Proof of Vaccination must be provided in advance to the Tournament of Roses by the deadline.
- Self-attestation is not permitted.
- Anyone who is symptomatic **MUST** test and isolate while waiting for the test result.
- Because they are vaccinated, close contacts are not required to quarantine if they remain asymptomatic. Asymptomatic close contacts should test 3-5 days after exposure.



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Option 2: NOT PREFERRED – vaccination is strongly recommended for all individuals including, but not limited to, band/color guard/drill team members, equestrians, support staff, volunteers, chaperones and other participants, but is not required.

- All individuals should begin testing 2 weeks prior to departure for the Rose Parade so they have enough time to isolate cases and quarantine contacts who are not vaccinated.
- Unvaccinated close contacts to people who test positive for COVID-19 must quarantine and cannot travel to or participate in the parade.
- Vaccinated close contacts do not have to quarantine if they remain asymptomatic and should test on day 3-5 after last contact.
- Anyone who is symptomatic must test and isolate while waiting for the test, and all unvaccinated close contacts must quarantine and **cannot leave home quarantine, board a plane or participate in the parade for a minimum of 7 days if testing is done on day 5**. All other close contacts should test on day 3-5.
- Unvaccinated individuals must be tested within 72 hours of any Association official activities that qualify as Outdoor or Indoor Mega Events and must provide proof of negative test to the Association to participate.
- Any unvaccinated individuals who test positive must isolate for 10 days and cannot board a plane or public transport for a minimum of 10 days. Anyone who is unvaccinated and in close contact must quarantine for 7-10 days. Vaccinated people who are asymptomatic do not have to quarantine.



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FAQs

- **Why should we begin testing two weeks in advance of travel?** Should someone test positive 2 weeks before scheduled travel, there is still time for them to meet the quarantine requirements and additional proof of negative test within 72 hours of travel so that they will still be able to travel to Southern California as scheduled. Regardless of vaccination status, all participants should provide a negative COVID-19 test within 72 hours prior to travel.
- **What happens if someone tests positive while in California?** In addition to quarantining, the COVID-19 Lead for your group will be requested to report that positive test to the Association's COVID-19 Lead who will then initiate contact tracing with the Pasadena Department of Public Health. Those who are unvaccinated and test positive may be reported to a no-fly list as recommended by the CDC until the quarantine period is complete. All close contacts should be tested within 3-5 days and cannot participate if a positive test is received.
- **Where can a participant get a COVID-19 test?** The Association is working on setting up a testing site at or near Bandfest on December 29 and 30 to make testing available for those who are unvaccinated. Insurance information may be required and more information will be shared as soon as available. Alternatively, testing locations are currently available throughout Southern California, and may or may not be available in December near your place of temporary residence.
- **How can we minimize our travel disruptions due to COVID-19?** The absolute best way to minimize any disruptions is to encourage all of your participants to get vaccinated. Individuals are considered fully vaccinated for COVID-19 two weeks or



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more after they have received the second dose in a 2-dose series (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna or other vaccine authorized by the World Health Organization), or two weeks or more after they have received a single-dose vaccine (Johnson and Johnson [J&J]/Janssen).

- **Are there other travel suggestions for our group?** Your group may want to organize in “pods” that are mixed performers to minimize the possibility of “close contacts” being infected by someone who tests positive for COVID-19 and ultimately having an entire section not be able to participate. Pods would travel, eat and sleep together to minimize exposure to/from others. For example, if your entire trumpet section is in one pod, and one is not vaccinated and tests positive, all close contacts who are unvaccinated in that pod would need to quarantine and be tested and your entire trumpet section may not be able to participate in the parade.
- **Where can we find a list of testing resources?** Testing resources when in California can be found at <https://www.cityofpasadena.net/covid-19/> and <https://covid19.lacounty.gov/>.
- **What else can we do to ensure a safe and healthy trip to California?** Vaccination is the best way to remain safe. Additionally, masks in indoor settings and outdoor when individuals cannot maintain 6 feet or more from other households is recommended. Masks are required in Los Angeles County at outdoor events where the total number of patrons exceeds 10,000. You should also ensure your group has plenty of hand sanitizer available, replenish as needed and minimize mixing and mingling of participants outside of your group.