

Sensory Zone Information

Please be advised that the Wauwatosa Commission for Persons with Disabilities will once again be sponsoring a Sensory Friendly Zone at the end of our parade route (81st-80th Street.). This initiative is geared towards individuals who are sensitive to sensory overload, including those with autism, PTSD or other conditions that make certain environments challenging for them, in order that they may also enjoy our parade.

We ask that parade units continue to participate fully throughout this area including waving, dancing, passing out candy, smiling etc. For units that are performing or playing music we ask you to continue participating as normal just at a reduced/soft volume. We ask that units refrain from use of sirens, flashing lights, loud music , poppers or other noise makers that may make a loud or startling sound as you approach and within the Sensory Zone. As you approach 81st Street please look for the Sensory Zone signs ahead and stop any flashing lights, sirens , loud music , or startling sounds that may be disturbing to individuals in this area.

Thank you for your cooperation and Happy 4th of July!

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