

## **Labor Day Parade Guidelines** **Saturday, September 12, 2009**

- The assembly area blocks will be closed at 7:00 AM except for parade vehicles, vehicles dropping off items and parade marchers.
- The bus drop-off area will be Madison Avenue at 44<sup>th</sup> Street and Sixth Avenue at 44<sup>th</sup> Street. Buses will then proceed to the designated bus parking area at the end of the parade route.
- No alcoholic beverages, BBQ's, or heating of food is allowed. Heated/BBQ foods may only be distributed by a vendor licensed with NYC, having a valid Board of Health certificate and a contained heating unit with no open flames (hot dog cart, etc.).
- No amplified sound is permitted in the assembly area. Sound permits are restricted to the parade route as well as bands and floats in the assembly area.
- All parade vehicles are to have a "Parade Vehicle" pass.
- Floats have a height restriction of 14ft.
- All trucks/floats are to have a minimum of 4 ground guides for their vehicles while in the assembly area and throughout the parade route. All drivers should make sure that they have a valid license, registration and insurance for the respective vehicles they will be driving in the parade.
- No signs/placards with wood, metal or plastic sticks. Cardboard tubes are preferred.
- Any vehicles in the parade, other than floats, trucks, etc., must be decorated as parade vehicles or else they will not be allowed in the formation. All Vehicles dropping off supplies and/or food must have a "Supply Vehicle" pass displayed in order to enter the assembly area.
- All vehicles dropping off supplies into the assembly area should arrive early, drop off the supplies, food, etc., and then exit the assembly area as early as possible.

*Any changes will be updated and posted on our website: [www.nycclc.org](http://www.nycclc.org)*