

Saluting the world's second oldest written constitution. A symbol of personal liberty and national independence since 1791, the holiday became a focal point of anti-government protest before Poland's independence in 1990.



CLEVELAND

POLISH CONSTITUTION DAY

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Anthony Brancatelli,
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Public Arts and the
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Neighborhood
Connections,
Charles M. and Helen
Brown Memorial
Foundation in memory of
Judge Raymond Pianka.*

Dear Friend of the Cleveland Polish Community;

We cordially invite all organizations, schools, businesses, parishes or individuals to participate in this year's parade which will be held on **Sunday, April 26, 2020** Fleet Avenue in Warszawa Historic District of Cleveland (known today as Slavic Village). By participating in one of the oldest Polish parades outside of Poland you will have the opportunity to celebrate with Cleveland's Polish Community one of its finest traditions.

On **Saturday, April 25th** at 7:00pm a concert of classical music by Dr. Konrad Binienda and Mr. Konrad Kowal at the Shrine Church of Saint Stanislaus, 3649 East 65th Street Cleveland, OH in the heart of Slavic Village.

The celebration will continue **Sunday, April 26th** at 9:00am with a Polish catholic mass at St. John Cantius Church 906 College Avenue Cleveland, OH and then a Grand Parade kicking off at 1:00pm in Slavic Village concluding at the Polish American Cultural Center with a cultural program by the Cleveland Polish Schools and Dance groups.

This year's success could not have been possible without the support of you and many others like you. Please stand in solidarity with us once more, in the following ways:

- a financial contribution 501(c)(3) tax exempt to help defray our considerable expenses (checks payable to the Slavic Village Development at the above address),
- a parade unit (please fill out the attached parade applications), and
- your presence at as many of the events as your schedule allows.

Sincerely,

Raymond Vargas

Cleveland Polish Constitution Day Celebration Committee

Polish Constitution Day Celebration

Parade Committee Use ONLY

Donation Amt:	\$
Received (date):	
Position Assignment #:	



Parade Application

April 26, 2020

(Deadline: April 17, 2020)

APPLICANT/ORGANIZATION

Name of Applicant/Organization:

Address:

Phone #:

City:

State:

ZIP:

TYPE OF UNIT

Float _____ Marching Unit _____ Band _____ Vehicle _____ Other _____

Number of Participants in Unit:

CONTACT PERSON

Name of Contact Person:

Address:

Phone #:

City:

State:

ZIP:

e-Mail:

DESCRIPTION ****MANDATORY****

AN ADDITIONAL *** MANDATORY *** /MAXIMUM 100 WORD/ DESCRIPTION OF YOUR UNIT AND/OR ORGANIZATION MUST BE SUBMITTED WITH THIS APPLICATION. THIS DESCRIPTION WILL BE USED BY THE PARADE ANNOUNCERS.

ALL VEHICLES MUST HAVE PARADE PARTICIPANT INFORMATION FORM COMPLETED AND SUBMITTED WITH ALL REQUIRED DOCUMENTS PRIOR TO THE PARADE.

PARADE RULES & REGULATIONS

ADHERENCE TO CITY PARADE REGULATIONS IS A REQUIREMENT FOR PARTICIPATION IN THE PARADE. ALL PARTICIPANTS MUST BE IN POSITION BY 12:00. FLOATS MUST BE IN THEIR ASSIGNED POSITIONS BY 12:00. THE PARADE WILL STEP OFF AT **1:00PM SHARP**. ALL PARTICIPANTS ARE REQUIRED TO CONFORM TO THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE PARADE MARSHALS. WHEN MARCHING; FLOATS AND MARCHING UNITS SHALL MAINTAIN A DISTANCE OF 5 YARDS FROM THE PRECEDING UNIT UNLESS OTHERWISE INSTRUCTED BY A POLICE OFFICER OR PARADE MARSHAL. NO THROWING OF OBJECTS OR CANDY OF ANY TYPE TO THE SPECTATORS ALONG THE PARADE ROUTE. YOUR FULL COOPERATION IS APPRECIATED.

MAILING

Please send application along with the description:

**POLISH CONSTITUTION DAY CELEBRATION COMMITTEE
C/O SLAVIC VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT/ RAY VARGAS
5620 Broadway Avenue #200
Cleveland, Ohio 44127**

*******YOU WILL RECEIVE YOUR PARADE POSITION ASSIGNMENT BY E-MAIL*******

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