

## Planning your visit to Motor City Pride

### Address

Hart Plaza, 1 Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226

### Parking

Here is a link for City Parking Lots near Hart Plaza.

Some of our parking suggestions include:

- Underground Ford Lot. At the center intersection of Jefferson and Woodward Avenues. This lot is \$15.00 for the day and is the closest to Hart Plaza (700 spaces).
- Cobo Hall Roof Lot (625 West Congress Street). 1,000+ spaces and is \$10.00 for the day.
- The two parking structures on Beaubien Street East of the Renaissance Center are \$9.00 for the day.
- The Miller Structure on the west side of the Renaissance Center is convenient, but rates are by the hour. \$10.00 for 2-5 hours; \$15.00 for 5-10 hours; maximum cost of \$20 for the day.
- There are also many other lots around the city for less, and you can take the People Mover to the Cobo Hall or Financial District Stops.

### Festival Entrance

There will be two entrances to the festival, one along Jefferson Avenue and one along the Detroit River walkway.

There is a \$5.00 cover charge for festival goers 21 and over.

Security will check bags coming into the festival. The following items are **not** allowed to be brought in:

Beverages, including water bottles

Weapons

Umbrellas larger than a golf umbrella

Roller blades and skate boards

Bicycles can be secured inside the main entrance gate.

### Festival Hours

#### Saturday, June 7, 2014

1:00 p.m. Entrances Open

8:30 p.m. Entrances Close

9:30 p.m. Festival Closes

#### Sunday, June 8, 2014

11:00 a.m. Parade Step-off (Fort and Griswold Street)

11:00 a.m. Entrances Open

6:00 p.m. Entrances Close

7:00 p.m. Festival Closes

**Rest Room Facilities**

There are two sets of restrooms on the lower level of the Plaza. These facilities have running water. There will also be portable facilities on the upper level of the Plaza.

**Food and Beverage**

The festival has 14 different food vendors that will be selling everything from vegetarian items and grilled food to pizza and burgers. These booths will also have soft drinks and water for purchase.

Our Beverage Areas will feature Budweiser products, Three Olives Vodka, and Long Island Iced Teas.

**Pets**

While we love our pets, because of the hot pavement and large crowds, we encourage you to keep them in the comfort of your home. If you do bring a pet, only pets that can walk into the festival and are on a leash will be allowed.

**Weather**

Check the weather - we are hoping that you will need sunscreen, but since its Michigan, you may also want to have an umbrella (remember nothing larger than a golf umbrella). Hart Plaza has a lower level that will provide shelter from any weather that might pass through.