



Lake Oswego

"LOVE MY CITY" VIDEO CONTEST

The City of Lake Oswego is excited to introduce a new video contest - the Love My City Video Contest! Do you think you can capture the spirit of this charming community? We are seeking video submissions that illustrate what makes Lake Oswego special to you. Tell us your story and you could win \$1000! Second and third place winners will also receive gift cards valued at \$500 and \$100, respectively. The Love My City Video Contest is free to enter and open to professional and amateur filmmakers of all ages.

Winning videos will be announced in August or September 2017 during a City Council meeting. Plus, they will be featured on our social media platforms, displayed on the City's website, and screened at many City events and locations throughout the next few years.

OFFICIAL RULES AND GUIDELINES

- All entries must be received by 5:00 p.m., Friday, July 14, 2017.
- Contestants do not have to live in Lake Oswego.
- Videos must be filmed in Lake Oswego and must have been taken within two years before the entry deadline.
- Videos must be between 2-4 minutes in length, including titles and credits.
- Videos must be submitted in a common format, for example: .mp4, .mpg, .wmv, etc.
- Contestants may submit multiple videos, but only one prize is given per contestant.
- A completed and signed Entry Agreement must accompany each video submitted. (Entry Agreements by youth under 18 years of age must be signed by parent or guardian.)
- Videos will not be returned and may be displayed on the City's website, shared through social media, shown at various City locations, and also be used for publicity and promotional purposes.
- The City of Lake Oswego, reserves the right, in its sole discretion, to disqualify any entry that it believes violates any of the rules for this contest or is otherwise not consistent with the spirit and theme of the contest.
- The City of Lake Oswego reserves the right to cancel, suspend and/or modify the contest, or any part of it, without notice.
- City employees are encouraged to submit a video, but will not be eligible for monetary prizes. However, they will be recognized in a separate category.

HOW TO ENTER YOUR VIDEO

Video entries can be submitted online, by mail or in-person. A completed Entry Agreement must be submitted for each video by the deadline. Signed Entry Agreements submitted as PDF files are acceptable; we cannot accept an unsigned Entry Agreement.

- Online: Videos and Entry Agreements can be submitted online at www.lakeoswego.city/VideoContest.
- Mail/In-Person: For contestants submitting an entry on a CD, please deliver the CD and signed Entry Agreement to: Bonnie Hirshberger, City of Lake Oswego, 380 A Avenue, PO Box 369, Lake Oswego, OR 97034

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JUDGING

A panel consisting of City of Lake Oswego staff and a City Councilor ("Judges") will evaluate all eligible entries based on overall quality, creativity and how well the video portrays the contest theme. The Judges will select a first, second and third place winner. The City will notify the winners by mid-August. Winners will be notified by phone or email. Only one prize is given per contestant. Decisions of the Judges are final and binding.

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ENTRY AGREEMENT - LAKE OSWEGO VIDEO CONTEST

NAME OF CONTESTANT (print): _____

In submitting this video to the City of Lake Oswego and participating in the City of Lake Oswego Video Contest, I hereby warrant and agree to the following:

- I am the author of, and have lawful ownership rights to the video, including the publication and republication rights of the video.
- I will be responsible for all taxes, fees, and costs associated with prize receipt and/or use.
- The video is the result of Contestant's sole artistic effort.
- The video is unique and original and does not infringe upon any copyright, trademark, or patent.
- Any models or persons identifiable in the video have given approval for publication and distribution (releases) of the video as stated in this Entry Agreement, and that City shall have no obligation to compensate the models or persons.
- The video is free and clear of any lien.
- Contestant licenses to the City perpetually all rights of display, transmission, reproduction, and distribution of the video work, and to display two- or three-dimensional reproductions of any images within the video in any manner, collectively "the Work," provided however that the City's use of the Work shall be restricted to use, publication, republication, and distribution of whatsoever kind relating to any City publication or event, including, without limitation, public display as well as reproduction on City items, such as movie, television, internet (electronic display and distribution), print ads, postcards, posters, brochures, applications, City website, and any other of distribution or display, whether print, electronic, or televised. In addition, the City may alter or convert the images of the Work as necessary to fit into a reduced or enlarged format size, or a different format. The photo may be reproduced, displayed, or distributed in any form without credit to the Contestant. The Contestant retains ownership and copyright, including the right to similarly display, transmit, reproduce, and distribute the Work. No compensation shall be due to Contestant.
- Contestant agrees to release, defend, indemnify and hold harmless the City, its agents, officials, employees, and volunteers from and against any and all claims and liability, including but not limited to copyright, trademark, or patent infringement, arising out of Contestant's participation or association with the City of Lake Oswego Video Contest, or screening or distribution of the video. Contestant agrees to pay all costs incident to any claim, including, without limitation, attorneys' fees.

I agree that the above information is correct. I further agree that this agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of Oregon and of the United States.

Address: _____

Email: _____

Are you 18 or older? Yes No

Title of your video: _____

When and where was your video taken: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Signature of parent or guardian:
(if under 18 years of age) _____ Date: _____