ADOPT-A-POLE PROGRAM

Decorating Downtown for Christmas!

Four Prize Categories:

- Best Business or Government - $100 Downtown Giftcard
- Best Non-Profit or School Affiliate - $100 cash donation
- Best Individual - $100 Downtown Giftcard
- Best RV Park - $100 Downtown Giftcard

Entry Details:

- Fees: (Main Street Wauchula, Inc. members **FREE**)
  Business - $30 Government - $20 Non-Profit or School Affiliates - $10
  Individual (not affiliated with a business or organization) - $10 RV Park - $15
- Entry Deadline: Friday, November 20th
- Decorating will begin Saturday, November 28th and MUST be completed by Friday, December 4th @ 5pm (Participants that do not decorate their pole by the deadline will not be permitted to participate in future years)
- Poles will be judged on Friday, December 4th after dark
- Winners will be announced during the Christmas parade on Saturday, December 5th
- **Poles are judged on "Creativity", "Appearance", and "Theme" - Poles are encouraged to follow the parade theme: Christmas Through the Decades**
- Pole MUST use some form of lights (each pole has a 15w outlet)
- Decorations may be removed Saturday, January 2nd thru Saturday, January 9th. (Participants who do not remove decorations will not be permitted to participate in future years)
- Decorations must be able to withstand the elements and must be checked periodically throughout the month with repairs/replacements being made as needed. (keep them looking nice the entirety of display)
- Decorations cannot contain lewd or inappropriate material, nor be political or controversial in nature. This is up to the discretion of MSW.
- **Do not use tape, screws or un-insulated wire** to decorate your pole (You may use covered wire and/or plastic ties)

Business or Organization_____

Name of Contact Person_____

Address_____City_____State_____Zip Code_____

Telephone_____ Cell phone_____

E-mail Address_____

1st Choice: Pole # _____ 2nd Choice: Pole #_____ 3rd Choice: Pole #_____

Numbers can be found near the bottom of each pole to help you verify the pole of your choice or on the pole location map. Please select the pole you wish to decorate. Poles are first come first serve with priority given to Main Street Wauchula members. Proximity to place of business is also considered. Pole confirmation will be provided by Monday, November 23rd.

I understand that Main Street Wauchula, Inc. may use photographs of actual Adopt-A-Pole entries and names of entries for publicity and promotion. My pole decorations must remain in place through January 2nd and be removed no later than January 9th. Main Street Wauchula, Inc. is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged items associated with the decorated pole. I am responsible for "fixing" any issues that may arise associated with my decoration for the duration they are in place. I understand that my pole will not contain any lude or inappropriate material, nor be political or controversial in nature. This is up to the discretion of Main Street Wauchula. If it does, I may be asked to fix it or remove it or it will be removed for me. **I will keep in the fun spirit of Christmas!**

Signed_____ Dates_____

Make checks payable to: **Main Street Wauchula** and mail or drop off to **107 E. Main Street** along with the completed application. Pay by CC at the MSW office or through Paypal to mainstreetwauchula@gmail.com. For questions or more information contact the Main Street office at 863.767.0330.