

## **BRIGHTON AREA FIRE AUTHORITY**

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## For Immediate Release: July 4th, 2021 PARADE Sunday July 4th, Kicks off at 10:00 am

The Livingston Sunrise Rotary Club and Brighton Area Fire Authority are looking forward to seeing you downtown Brighton on Main street at 10:00 am on Sunday July 4th, for our annual 4th of July parade. The parade will start on Main street at N. Church street heading down Main street and finishing on 7th street.

There are plenty of things to do before the parade

- The15th Annual Hungry Duck Run is a 5k Run & Walk, a Half Marathon at 7:00am that starts in the City of Brighton at East St. Paul street east of Grand River proceeds down Flint Rd. into Brighton Township and returns back to the start line.
- To see how fast our little ones can run there will be a "Duckling Dash" at 9:30 am on Main street.
- After the parade, BAFA Ladder 31 will be set up on N. West Street and Main to spray the crowd with water, for a larger than life sprinkler.

The Grand Marshal for this year's parade is the Staff of the Livingston County Health Department. These men and women have worked tirelessly to support the community by keeping everyone safe during the Covid-19 pandemic. The Livingston County Health Department helped obtain personal protective equipment (PPE) for our First Responders as well as planning, securing supplies, scheduling staff and volunteers for Covid vaccination clinics and keeping everyone apprised of the latest information from the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention. They put their personal lives on hold for the greater good of the community. It truly was and continues to be a daunting task that they all took on with pride and compassion and for that we chose to honor them at this year's parade.

Grab your family, some chairs and come celebrate the United States of America's Declaration of Independence with your community! There will be floats and groups of all kinds from the Brighton area participating in the parade.