

# Mardi Gras Light Parade & Street Fair



## KING NOMINATION FORM

The "Mardi Gras King," "REX," "Monarch of Merriment," or "Grand Marshall" is a prestigious title held by one prominent business man within the community. The REX motto is "Pro Bono Publico" meaning for the public good. The REX affirms the symbolic colors of Mardi Gras: Purple-Justice, Green-Faith, and Gold-Power.

### The Mardi Gras King will perform the following duties alongside the Mardi Gras Queen:

- Participate in interviews with various media entities to promote the Mardi Gras Light Parade & Street Festival.
- Host the City of El Centro's Mardi Gras King & Queen Coronation Reception on January 16, 2025.

### APPLICATION DEADLINE • January 13, 2025 • 5PM

(Please print)

Mardi Gras King Nominee's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Please explain reasons for this individuals nomination:

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Full Name of Person Completing This Form: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

### Return application and all required information to:

City of El Centro, Community Center, 375 S. First St., El Centro, CA 92243

or email to [anava@cityofelcentro.org](mailto:anava@cityofelcentro.org)

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- Issue an Official Proclamation of Carnival declaring the date of the celebrations and inviting their subjects to gather in the City of El Centro to celebrate the Mardi Gras Light Parade & Street Festival.
- Serve as an official judge for Mardi Gras Parade entries on February 22, 2025.
- Ride on the last float of the parade on February 22, 2025.

Please attach endorsements, letters of support, biographies, etc... **Candidates must live or work in El Centro.**





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## QUEEN NOMINATION FORM

A Mardi Gras Queen will be selected, along with the Mardi Gras King. The Queen is selected by the same criteria as that of the King. The "Mardi Gras Queen" is a prestigious title held by one prominent business woman within the community. The Queen must affirm the motto and the symbolic colors of Mardi Gras: Purple-Justice, Green-Faith, and Gold-Power. The motto is "Pro Bono Publico" meaning for the public good.

### Along with the King, the Mardi Gras Queen will perform the following duties:

- Participate in interviews with various media entities to promote the Mardi Gras Light Parade & Street Festival.

- Host the City of El Centro's Mardi Gras King & Queen Coronation Reception on January 16, 2025.
- Issue an Official Proclamation of Carnival declaring the date of the celebrations and inviting their subjects to gather in the City of El Centro to celebrate the Mardi Gras Light Parade & Street Festival.
- Serve as an official judge for Mardi Gras Parade entries on February 22, 2025.
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Please explain reasons for this individuals nomination:

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Telephone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

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