

## 2023 Annual Window Display Contest

Dear Business Owner,

In conjunction with the Annual Lighted Christmas Parade, Oskaloosa Main Street is sponsoring the annual Window Display

Contest. **“The Heart of Christmas”** is this year’s parade theme, and we ask that you try to stay close to this theme, as much as possible, when decorating your window.



**To participate**, fill out the form below and return it to the Mahaska Chamber & Development Group or call no later than **November 10th**. If you have any questions, please call Morgan McClendon or Vicki Van Donselaar at Mahaska Chamber & Development Group/Oskaloosa Main Street 641- 672-2591.

Event Information & Suggestions:

- ❖ There is no cost to enter.
- ❖ To be considered for judging, your display must be up by Tuesday, November 28.
- ❖ **Judging will take place on Wednesday, Nov. 29 & Thursday, Nov. 30.**
- ❖ The winner will be announced the week of December 4, 2023.
- ❖ The winner will receive the coveted traveling trophy and \$50 in Chamber Cash.

Additionally, you may want to have your display up by November 18 for the ‘Turn on the Lights!’ event happening in downtown starting at 5:30. We have many event happenings this holiday season and visitors would love to enjoy your window display and Oskaloosa’s festive spirit. Let’s make this holiday season fun for all who shop small and local in Oskaloosa.

### THINGS TO NOTE:

- ❖ **Turn on the Lights! - Saturday, November 18, 5:30-8 p.m.**
- ❖ **Retail events – Christmas Around the World, Saturday, November 18, Plaid Friday, November 24, Small Business Saturday, November 25**
- ❖ **Young Ambassador Contest – Monday, November 27, 6 p.m.**
- ❖ **Merry Little Downtown Christmas – Friday, December 1, 5:30-7:30 p.m.**
- ❖ **Tour of Homes – Saturday & Sunday, December 2-3, 1-4 p.m.**
- ❖ **35<sup>th</sup> Annual Lighted Christmas Parade - December 2 at 7 p.m.**



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### Window Display Participation Form

Business Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_