



**Position Title:** Parade & Bead Staff  
**Department:** Special Events  
**Supervisor:** Special Events Coordinator  
**Position Type:** Casual – The Big E only

### **Position Summary**

Parade and Bead Staff load beads on the Mardi Gras Floats each day of the fair as well as walk the entirety of the one mile parade route. Positive public interaction is a key component of this role.

### **Position Responsibilities**

- Assist parade organizer with parade staging by providing line up direction, guiding spectators to appropriate viewing locations, and answering general questions from the public
- Walk along the parade route with the parade
- Answer basic questions regarding the fair

### **Requirements**

- Must be a minimum of 21 years old at the start date of the position
- Excellent customer service ability
- Ability to stand and walk for extended periods of time in varying weather conditions
- Must have strong voice projection to be heard throughout large crowds
- Must be able to lift and move 25 lbs.
- Must be able to work the following hours: 5pm-9pm Mon-Thurs and 3pm -7pm Fri-Sun
- Parade staff will be provided with a shirt that must be worn
- Attend training on September 11 at 6:30pm

### **To Apply:**

Please fill out our online application form - <http://tinyurl.com/BigEemployment>. Positions are open until filled. Questions regarding the application process can be addressed to [employment@TheBigE.com](mailto:employment@TheBigE.com).

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