

May 7, 2024

Oelwein City Council
20 2nd Ave SW
Oelwein, IA 50662

Honorable Mayor DeVore and City Council Members,

Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. is asking for your support for this year's annual celebration. We are planning a three day event which will include Friday evening, May 31, 2024 to Sunday, June 2, 2024.

We respectfully ask that you honor our request for the street closings similar to the celebration held in July 2023 for Oelwein's 150th birthday because we are relocating our community celebration to Depot Park and the surrounding area. We ask to have the West Charles St from the North/South Frederick Ave intersection to the East side of 1st Ave NW/SW. There will also be a need to block off nearby alleyways. On Saturday morning, June 1, 2024, we will hold our parade along the same route as in previous years. Line up will be in the North parking lot beginning at 8 AM with the parade beginning at 10 AM. Following the parade, the lot will be opened for public parking. Our last event of the weekend will be Sunday afternoon. We expect to conclude the Christian Concert around 3:30 PM and streets can certainly be opened by 4 PM.

The Oelwein Police Department will be handling the barricades at the intersections at the request of Police Chief, Jeremy Logan.

Oelwein Celebrations Renewed, Inc. offers our thank you in advance for your continued support of this committee and our community events.

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For questions, comments, or concerns, please contact Kimberly Pont, Committee President at (319) 283-0473.

Respectfully,

The Celebration Committee

