



### Gulf County Song Contest Judging Criteria

Each question should be given a rating from 1- 10, with 1 being the lowest and 10 being the highest score.

1. Is there a powerful beginning that captures the listener's attention?

Circle One - 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

2. Does the music grab the listener's attention and set the tone for the song?

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3. Are the lyrics illustrative and clear; building on the theme of the song?

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4. Rate the melody in both the verse and the chorus of the song.

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5. Is there a good pattern and rhythm between the lyrics and melody?

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6. Is the hook memorable?

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7. Rate the song format (structure and length).

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8. Does the song evoke an emotional reaction from the listener?

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9. Rate the listenability of the song. Could you listen to this song on repeat?

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10. Does the song represent the Gulf County Brand Standard?

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11. Does the song represent the Gulf County Brand Character?

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