



City of Rochelle

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Memo

To: Dave Plyman (City Manager)
From: Mark Delhotal (Airport Manager)
Date: 04/12/2013
Re: Fireworks display at the Rochelle Municipal Airport

A request by the Chicagoland Skydiving center to host a fireworks display on July 6th 2013 during the Independence boogie at the airport was submitted to me. I have reviewed the request and feel that this event would be another positive activity at the Rochelle Municipal Airport. The Airport and CSC will advertise and promote this event as a fly in drive in event. The cost to attend the concert and fireworks display will be \$7 of which the Airport will receive \$5.00 per ticket to offset the cost of half the fireworks \$1,500. The Chicagoland Skydiving Center is going to have multiple events including music and skydiving equipment vendors on site throughout the day as well as offer dinner specials for the event. I have submitted the special event application required by the Illinois Department of Transportation Division of Aeronautics and form 7460 which is a notice of proposed alteration for the launch site of the fireworks I recommend that this event be put on the agenda as a consent item for council approval.

The following documents are included in this packet:

- Request letter from the Chicagoland Skydiving Center
- State website link for DCV Imports Licensing
- Location of launch site
- Submitted special event application review request
- Submitted 7460 form
- Copy of insurance for DCV imports

Chicagoland Skydiving Center

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12 April 2013

Mark,

Chicagoland Skydiving Center would like to host a fireworks display. This would be part of our Independence Boogie. As you know The Independence Boogie is a five day skydiving event in which we bring in extra specialty aircraft for the jumpers, skydiving organizers from around the world, and equipment manufactures to show the latest technology in skydiving equipment. The event allows skydivers from around the world the opportunity to meet new friends and make a lot of great skydives from large aircraft that we have at this gathering. This year we would like to add a fireworks display to the boogie and invite the public Saturday evening July 6th to a drive in fly in to watch the fireworks with us. This would be a great addition to our event. Our goal is to bring in 50 aircraft and 200-300 people from the community in addition to the skydiving community. Jake Vogeler from DCV Imports will be the lead shooter. He and his team would start the show at 9:15pm on July 6, 2013. They would setup the display north of the runway in front of the Chicagoland Skydiving Center and the Flight Deck Bar and Grill. The show would run 10 to 15 minutes. The largest shell they would fire would be a six inch. That size shell would go up about six hundred feet. Jake and DCV are licensed by the State of Illinois and are insured by Britlon Gallagher of Cleveland, Ohio. They have \$100,000,000 of coverage and they would name the city as an additional insured party. We would follow all federal, state, and city rules for safety and insure that all the needed paperwork would be properly filed. If you need any additional information from me please contact me.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'DS', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Douglas Smith
President
Sky Team, Inc.

State Fire Marshall licensing site.

<http://www.sfm.illinois.gov/documents/List%20of%20Pyrotechnic%20Authorized%20Distributors%20and%20Operators.pdf>



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Special Event Application Review Request

By submitting this application for approval, the Mark Delhotal
(Sponsor Name)

Sponsor of the aviation facility officially known as Rochelle Municipal Airport
(Airport Name)

hereby certifies that the following conditions have been thoroughly reviewed, addressed and satisfied as they relate to the event known as Independence Fireworks Display
(Event Name)

and that support documentation indicating such can be made available for review upon request:

1. The need to conduct the event at the airport is justified.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2. Details of the event are provided on FAA Form 7460-1 (attached) for an operational safety and airspace review.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
3. The event is widely supported by the airport tenants and the community at large.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
4. The event will not adversely affect aviation activity at the facility.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
5. There is a quantifiable, documented financial benefit to the airport.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
6. Adequate insurance policies will be in force during the event.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
7. Any damage resulting from the event will be repaired to previous condition.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
8. Appropriate NOTAMS will be issued (as applicable).	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

The Sponsor hereby certifies, to the best of their belief and knowledge, that the proposed activity, as planned, does not violate any assurances as defined in the Terms and Conditions of Accepting Improvements Program Grants. The Sponsor further agrees to make available, upon request, any and all information required to support the accomplishment of above noted conditions, if necessary.

BY: Mark Delhotal (Duly Authorized Representative of Sponsor) 07/06/13 Event Date 04/09/13 Today's Date

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Submit completed Form with FAA Form 7460-1 electronically to
Alan.Mlacnik@illinois.gov and copy Robert.Hahn@illinois.gov.

