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Subject: 2018 July 5<sup>th</sup> Midtown Fireworks Show

I am writing on behalf of the Field Club Homeowner's League. It has been a long-standing tradition in the Midtown area to have a July 5<sup>th</sup> fireworks show as part of the annual Independence Day celebration activities. This event, held at the Field Club of Omaha, has been enjoyed by numerous neighborhoods in the Midtown area, and has helped showcase our community to visitors from all over the Omaha metro, and families in from out-of-state.

This is only made possible through the generous funding we have received from members of our community, local businesses, and community organizations that are part of Midtown. Several years ago, a number of our funding sources reduced or eliminated their funding of the event, leaving the neighborhoods on the hook to come up with the ~\$7,000-8,000 necessary to put the event going forward. We missed a year, but have been successful on getting this fantastic event back on the calendar the past two years, but only through the generosity of donors like you.

We hope that you will be able to join us in funding this showcase Midtown event this year. We have already raised \$2,500 in personal contributions and through FCHL events, but have a long way to go – we are specifically seeking sponsor donations of \$500 or more, but any support your organization is able to give in support will still be highly appreciated. You can send a check to any of our board members (Payable to "Field Club Homeowners League", put 2018 Fireworks in the memo field), or you can donate online at <http://www.fchlomaha.com/fireworks>. This website also has additional details on who to contact and addresses if you need to mail a check.

As a donor, your organization will be highlighted in our social media outlets (Nextdoor and Facebook), and listed on a sponsorship "thank you" page on our website. We will also have a banner present at the event and in our annual July 4<sup>th</sup> parade with all of the contributing businesses/organizations and large private donors listed for additional recognition.

Any support will be highly appreciated - If you have any queries please feel free to contact us via email at [bnmelvin@gmail.com](mailto:bnmelvin@gmail.com) or [info@fchlomaha.com](mailto:info@fchlomaha.com). Our fundraising efforts need to be completed by 5/31/18 in order to complete the contract with the fireworks company. It is our hope that by getting started early in the new year that we make it easier for you to consider a contribution.

Yours Faithfully,  
Bryan Melvin  
Fireworks Chair, Field Club Homeowners League

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bryan Melvin', written in a cursive style.