



FIREWORKS DISPLAY APPLICATION

RS-25-076

May 6, 2025

Background

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- The City is working on downtown event, Red White and Blue Music festival to celebrate Independence Day on July 5th, 2025.
- A public fireworks display is being planned for the event at the Killeen Athletic Complex and will be viewable from Downtown.

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- Killeen Code of Ordinances Sec. 11-6 provides that the City Council may permit the use of fireworks for public display.
- Application requirements:
 - 1) Name of the group/organization sponsoring the display, together with the names of persons actually in charge of the firing of the display;
 - 2) Evidence of financial responsibility naming the City as an additional insured;
 - 3) Date and time of the display;

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□ Application requirements:

- 4) State of Texas issued license of the operator;
- 5) Copies of the State of Texas issued public display permit;
- 6) The approximate number and kinds of fireworks to be discharged;
- 7) The manner and place of storage of such fireworks prior to delivery to the outdoor fireworks display site; and
- 8) A detailed diagram of the area of this display.

Application Received

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- ❑ City staff initiated an application on March 4, 2025.
- ❑ Magic Display Pyrotechnics FX is the pyrotechnician for the event.
- ❑ The event will take place on July 5th at 9:30 p.m. at the Killeen Athletic Complex.
- ❑ All documentation required by Sec. 11-6 has been provided.
- ❑ The Killeen Fire Marshal has reviewed the application with no significant findings.

Recommendation

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- Staff recommends that the City Council approve the application of Magic Display Pyrotechnics FX for a fireworks display on July 5, 2025.