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Memo

City Manager's Office

TO: Mayor and Members of the City Council
FROM: Sheila Lundt, Assistant City Manager SL
DATE: October 3, 2007
SUBJECT: ISU Homecoming Fireworks Request

Please note as you review the attached request from the ISU Homecoming Committee, the requested start time for the display is 11:55 p.m. on October 19.

Organizers are aware of the City Council's preference that fireworks displays start before 10:00 p.m., and of the concerns expressed by members of the community about interruptions to sleep, particularly for young children.

In making this request, the Homecoming Committee will be limiting the show to approximately ten minutes and will be using ground-effect displays and no more than 2" shells. In addition, none of the "air bombs" (loud exploding sound only) will be used.

A Committee representative will be available at the City Council meeting on October 9th to answer questions.

CITY OF AMES, IOWA
APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO DISPLAY FIREWORKS

Name of Event: ISU Homecoming Rally – 2007

Name of Organization Sponsoring Event: ISU Homecoming Committee

Address of Organization: ISU Homecoming, Fisher-Nickell, 214 Richardson Court, Ames, IA 50011

Name of Person in Charge: Kurt Beyer

Telephone: 515.294.2632 E-mail address: beyerku@alumni.iastate.edu

Date and Time of Event: Friday – October 19th, 2007 – Approximately 11:55 p.m.

Exact Location of shoot/display*: Central Campus – East of Beardshear Hall and North
of the Campanile in the open field

Size and Type of Display: 10 Minute display using ground effects – and 2” Aerial Shells

Rain Date(s) and Time: None

Name of Operator of Display: J & M Displays – Kelm Brueschke (See Resume On File)
(Please submit a resume showing qualifications of person in charge.)

Are You Insured? Yes

Name of Insurance Company: (See Insurance Certificate)
(For shoots on public property \$500,000 general comprehensive liability insurance is required, with the applicant or sponsor named as certificate holder and the City of Ames named as an additional insured.)

***For displays based on property owned by Iowa State University** (including Stuart Smith Park and Brookside Park), obtain letter of authorization from ISU Risk Management, 1350 Beardshear, prior to submitting this application.

Signature of Applicant: James J. Oelken Date: 9-13-07

OFFICE USE

Date Fee (\$25.00) Paid: 9/17/07 Fire Inspector: Tom Hennixsen

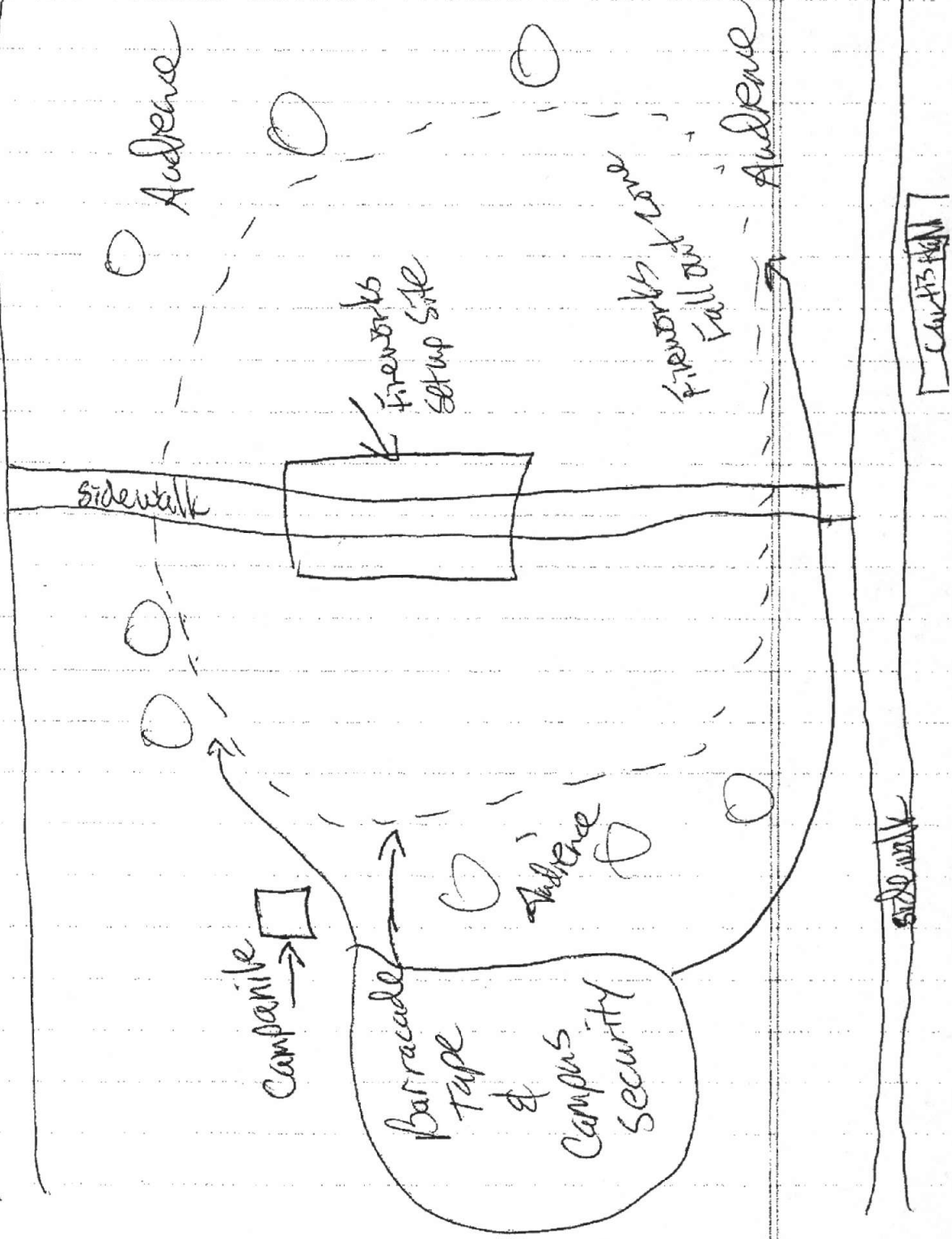
Date Approved by Ames City Council: _____ City Clerk: _____

ISU Homecoming Pep Rally

Oct. 19th, 2007

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Beardshear Hall



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October 4, 2007

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Ames, Iowa 50010
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RE: Fireworks Display

ATTN: City Council, Ames, Iowa

Iowa State University has received a fireworks display request with operator J&M Displays, Inc. Approval is granted by Iowa State University. The fireworks display takes place as follows:

Event Name: ISU Homecoming - 2007
Date: Friday, October 19, 2007
Time: Approximately Midnight (11:55 PM)
Rain Date: N/A
Location of display or shoot: Central Campus (north of Campanile)

The fireworks vendor will be solely responsible for the shooting operations and clean-up.

Questions or concerns regarding this approval should be directed to the ISU Office of Risk Management at 294-7711.

Sincerely,



Rebecca L. Adair
University Risk Manager

c: Troy Carey/Jim Gunning, EH&S
Robert Bowers, ISU Police
Homecoming Central