

May 21, 2025

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Good afternoon,

The Kerman Chamber of Commerce is excited to propose a collaboration with the City of Kerman to sponsor the Bulldog Blitz Skydive Team for the American Spirit Firework Extravaganza on July 3, 2025. This talented team, owned and led by our own Kerman native and Kerman High School graduate, MaryAnn Samarin Boling, offers a unique opportunity to elevate our community's Independence Day celebration with a thrilling and patriotic performance.

For a sponsorship of \$3,000, all expenses will be covered, including skydiver fees, insurance, plane, pilot, and a custom flag featuring both the City's and the Chamber's logos. As the team descends during the National Anthem, they will showcase the sponsor flag and also bring in the American flag, creating a heartfelt moment that celebrates Kerman's pride and unity. This display will captivate attendees and highlight the strength of our community's spirit.

Partnering on this initiative will underscore the City and Chamber's shared dedication to supporting local businesses and fostering a sense of togetherness in Kerman. By backing MaryAnn and her team, we can make this event a standout celebration that resonates with residents and reflects our town's vibrant character.

I would be more than willing to attend the City Council meeting on May 28, 2025, to present this proposal in person and address any questions or ideas the Council may have. Thank you for considering this chance to join forces and make the Extravaganza a memorable showcase of Kerman's community pride. Please feel free to reach out to me with any questions or to discuss this further.

Warm regards,

Denise L. Baronian Executive Director

Kerman Chamber of Commerce