

City Clerk

From: Mary Beth Daniels <mdaniels@grandhotel.com>
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To: City Clerk
Subject: Detroit Regional Chamber
Attachments: Golf Course Drawing.pdf; Drone Information for DRC May 26 Show.pdf

Good morning!

Ok, so Detroit Regional Chamber is looking to do a drone show on the opening day of their island wide conference. I'm working on getting the insurance for the drone company and they will be on the call for the March 18th meeting to answer any questions that the city has. David just stated that there was discussion about completely banning drones on the island coming up and we would hope since this is an island wide group and also that it's early in the season that the council would be open to it. The group is very excited for this opportunity.

I filled out the firework permit because it has all the good information sections on it even though it's not a fireworks show. Once I get the insurance information and the names of the persons with Firefly Drones that will be on the call for the March 18th meeting I will let you know as well and send that along for being on that agenda.

Hope you are keeping warm, I know by the time I get there next month there will still be a bunch of snow!

Mary Beth



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CITY OF MACKINAC ISLAND
~~COMMERCIAL FIREWORKS PERMIT APPLICATION~~

Submitted for Drone Show

Name of Person/Organization Conducting the Display: Detroit Regional Chamber

Address, City, State, Zip: One Kennedy Square, 777 Woodward Ave, Suite 800, Detroit, MI 48226

Phone: 313-964-4000 Fax: _____

Name of Pyrotechnics Company/Technician: Firefly Drone Shows - this will be a drone show, not fireworks

Address, City, State, Zip: 1900 Opdyke Ct. Auburn Hills, MI 48236

Phone: 248-461-6615 Fax: _____

Date, Time and Duration of Display: Tuesday, May 26, 2026, 9:45pm, 15 minutes - Rain out date of Wed, May 27th

Location Offshore of Display (Attach Map): Grand nine golf course adjacent to Cadotte Avenue and The Jockey Club

- In addition to the application, the following is required: A copy of the certificate of insurance naming the City of Mackinac Island as additional insured for the amount of \$5,000,000.
- All applicants and pyrotechnic companies must submit, with this application, proof of any licenses, permits or other authorization required by any branch of the local, state or federal government relating to the proposed fireworks display.
- All fireworks displays will only be permitted off shore.

Make checks payable to: City of Mackinac Island

Applicant's Signature: Mary Beth Daniels for DRC Date: 2/27/26

Application Date: _____ Council Approved ____ Denied ____ Date: _____
