

Park Committee Meeting
January 27, 2012

Susan Washa called meeting to order at 6:03 p.m.

Notice of meeting was posted January 17, 2012. Susan Washa made a motion to certify that meeting was in compliance with open meeting law. Deb Sander seconded.

Park committee members present were Susan Washa, Deb Sander, Tom Cody, and Tom Pinch.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss the fireworks display for the Our Town Celebration. The Village of Highland has received information from two pyrotechnic firms that are interested in providing fireworks for the celebration. Kastner Pyrotechnics Fireworks Wholesale and Imports and Krueger Pyrotechnics and Firework Displays,

both companies were present for the meeting.

The park committee was able to ask questions of both Jess and Bart from Kastner and Jim and Tara from Krueger. After the discussion with both companies the park committee then discussed reasons for selecting the fireworks company.

- 1.) Krueger Pyrotechnics and Firework Displays, LLC has been doing our show since Kastner Pyrotechnics sold the Rewey operation to them. Kastner Pyrotechnics Fireworks Wholesale and Imports has not done a show under Jess and Bart's ownership. At the present time they do not have any other show booked for the summer.
- 2.) Kastner Pyrotechnics Fireworks Wholesale and Imports have transportation insurance of \$5,000,000 and liability insurance of \$1,000,000. Krueger Pyrotechnics and Fireworks Displays, LLC has \$5,000,000 transportation insurance and \$5,000,000 liability insurance.
- 3.) Susan and Deb asked some community members their thoughts on the fireworks display and everyone asked was satisfied with the display. Tom P. has heard concerns on the grand finale that Krueger Pyrotechnics gives.

It was decided that the park committee would like to recommend to the board that Krueger Pyrotechnics and Fireworks Displays, LLC is given the contract for the 2012 Our Town celebration.

Deb Sanders made a motion to adjourn at 7:18 p.m. it was seconded by Tom Cody.

Submitted by Susan Washa