City Council Item

October 27, 2025

Item	Award 2026-2028 4th of July Fireworks Contract	
File No.		**Item No:** D.7
Agenda Section	**CONSENT AGENDA**	
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SUGGESTED ACTION

"The Chanhassen City Council awards a three-year contract (2026-2028) to J&M Displays, Inc. for the provision of 4th of July fireworks in the amount of $33,000 in 2026, $34,000 in 2027, and $35,000 in 2028."

Motion Type	Simple Majority Vote of members present
Strategic Priority	N/A

SUMMARY

In preparing for the upcoming 4th of July Celebration, quotes were solicited for 2026, 2027, and 2028 fireworks displays from RES Pyro, J&M Displays, Inc., and Minnesota Pyrotechnics, all in Minnesota. Staff instructed each company to submit a quote for the budgeted amounts below. The addition of $1,000 to the budget each successive year is to ensure consistent show quality as product costs rise annually. $33,000 is allocated in the 1600 budget for the 2026 fireworks display.

- 2026: $33,000
- 2027: $34,000
- 2028: $35,000

The city received only one quote back, from J&M Displays, Inc. After reviewing the quote from J&M Displays, Inc., they met all specifications and are offering quality shows with an opening body, main body, mid-show barrage, and grand finale. They also offer an additional 15% "bonus" firework product

each year, as part of a loyalty program and the city's proposed three-year contract.

J&M Displays, Inc. has been providing Chanhassen's 4th of July fireworks display for over 30 years. During this time, J&M Displays, Inc. has consistently displayed a high level of professionalism, and a great safety record, and has always offered a variety of high-quality products to produce excellent shows.

BACKGROUND

DISCUSSION

BUDGET

RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council award a three-year contract (2026-2028) to J&M Displays, Inc. for the provision of 4th of July fireworks in the amount of $33,000 in 2026, $34,000 in 2027, and $35,000 in 2028.

ATTACHMENTS

Fireworks RFP 2026
J&M Displays Proposal
Minnesota Pyrotechnics Correspondence