

September 21, 2016

Mayor and Council,

Thank you for accepting my written submission for consideration in the 2017 municipal budget.

The Town of Fort Frances generously contributed \$7,500 to the fireworks show held on July 1<sup>st</sup> 2016. Many people have said it was the best fireworks show the town has seen and I would agree. Through the contributions of the Town and local sponsors we were able to purchase not only more product than in previous years but higher quality effects that resulted in a spectacular display enjoyed by many citizens of the Town.

2017 marks Canada's 150<sup>th</sup> birthday and we are hoping to put on an even better show to celebrate the special occasion. I would ask Mayor and Council to consider once again contributing \$7,500 towards our 2017 Canada Day fireworks show. We will also pursue additional funding through federal and provincial grants, local sponsors and fundraising.

If you have any questions or would like further information regarding any aspect of the show, please contact me at 275-9481.

Thank you for your consideration.

Dave Coats

Fun in the Sun Committee