CITY OF NORTH TONAWANDA

Office of the Mayor

ROBERT G. ORTT

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March 28, 2012

City of North Tonawanda Common Council
City Hall
216 Payne Avenue
North Tonawanda, NY 14120

Re: 2012 Twin Cities Fireworks Agreement between the City of North Tonawanda ("City") and Judith M. Arida ("Property Owner")

Dear Honorable Body:

As part of the July 4th holiday tradition, the City of North Tonawanda and City of Tonawanda will share in hosting the July 4th fireworks. The fireworks are planned for Wednesday, July 4th, with a rain date of Thursday, July 5th.

In connection with the fireworks, the City has previously been granted permission to shoot the fireworks from a private property owned by Judith M. Arida at 2 Bridge Street on Tonawanda Island. Attached is a proposed Agreement between the City and property owner. This same agreement format has been used in prior years.

If your honorable body should concur with this initiative, I respectfully request that you allow me to execute this Agreement upon review and approval by the City Attorney.

Thank you for your consideration and attention to this matter.

Faithfully,

Robert G. Ortt
Mayor

Cc: Patricia Brosius, Superintendent of Parks & Recreation
Scott Kiedrowski, Clerk-Treasurer
Shawn P. Nickerson, City Attorney

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AGREEMENT

In consideration of One and No More Dollars ($1.00 & No More), paid by the City of North Tonawanda, New York, to Judith M. Arida, residing at 177 Eiseman Avenue, Kenmore, New York 14217, it is hereby agreed that the City of North Tonawanda, New York, a municipal corporation located at 216 Payne Avenue, North Tonawanda, New York 14120, will be granted permission to utilize the property located on Tonawanda Island, owned by Judith M. Arida, at 2 Bridge Street, North Tonawanda, NY SBL No. 184.08-1-1 (on the northwest side of Tonawanda Island), for the annual "4th of July" fireworks display, sponsored by the Cities of North Tonawanda and Tonawanda. Furthermore, this permission is granted for all activities associated with setup of the fireworks on July 3, 2012, the display of the fireworks on July 4, 2012, and for the rain date of July 5, 2012, if necessary, due to inclement weather.

As a requirement of this Agreement, the City of North Tonawanda will provide a certificate of liability insurance in sufficient amounts that covers and insures the property owner, Judith M. Arida, for said activities on her property connected with the "4th of July" fireworks display.

_____ Dated: _____

Judith M. Arida
Property Owner (604-4749)

_____ Dated: _____

Robert G. Ortt
Mayor (695-8540)