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Dear County Judge Cude,

For many years the Jourdanton Chamber of Commerce has provided an event at the Jourdanton City Park to celebrate July 4. The event is free to the community and includes sausage wraps, hot dogs, chips, snow cones, popcorn, sodas and bottled water. In addition, there are various activities and bounce castles. The evening ends with a fifteen minute, AMAZING, firework show. The fireworks are done by a professional pyrotechnic company costing the chamber close to \$10,000.

We have been blessed to provide this event to the community with the help of generous donations from the city, HEB, and other donors.

With 2026 being the 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary of our nation, the chamber wants to make this event even bigger! We are hoping that the county will want to join us in making it happen. Our thoughts are to add carnival rides and games. We are respectfully requesting a match amount of \$10,000 which would cover the cost of the rides and games, along with all the attendants to run them. This is a really important benefit as finding volunteers is extremely difficult.

The Chamber appreciates your consideration of joining us in providing an amazing event to celebrate the 250<sup>th</sup> birthday of our great nation!

Sincerely,

Karen Pesek  
Chamber Member