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Good morning – please advise when the next full Council meeting might be held that could accommodate a 3 to 5 minute delivery regarding a July 27th city-wide appearance by 431 Air Demonstration Squadron ‘Snowbirds’.

As the aerial tribute is planned to encompass the entire city (currently scheduled for 1155 – 1225, July 27), all Wards will be covered – in turn, there lies the potential and/or probability for each Councillor to be questioned by citizens as to what is happening that day. This in-person briefing is simply to update everyone on the aerial activity, it’s purpose and to answer any questions that may surface; all would hear the same info at the same time.

The ‘Salute to a Safe Saskatoon’ initiative is being coordinated under Saskatoon Crime Stoppers’ umbrella and has already been reviewed with Saskatoon Police, Fire, Medavie, Saskatoon Airport, NavCan, among others; the activity has already received approval through the City Manager’s Office however I suspect Council would not be aware of the scope or reason for the tribute.

While a community-wide project such as this might not ‘necessitate’ an in-Council brief, having produced the local Air Show from 1995 to 2017, it has long been demonstrated that advance information is preferred by Council when possible.

Please let me know what the next possible date might be for either a publicly attended Council Meeting or if preferred, a closed presentation if deemed to be applicable. The attached ‘cursory’ overview can be utilized as an initial advisory.

With appreciation,

Brian Swidrovich
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Member, Honorary Snowbirds, RCAF 431 Air Demonstration Squadron

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SASKATCHEWAN AVIATION MUSEUM

PROUDLY WELCOME THE
CANADIAN ARMED FORCES
SNOWBIRDS



IN A SPECIAL AERIAL

' SALUTE TO A SAFE SASKATOON '

THURSDAY, JULY 27 (11:55 – 12:25pm)

(EXACT TIME OF AERIAL APPEARANCE SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

(ADDITIONAL AERIAL FLY-OVER APPROVALS MAY BE AUTHORIZED)

Appearing on behalf of Saskatoon Crime Stoppers, the SNOWBIRDS will conduct a series of Aerial Tribute Passes throughout Saskatoon airspace in recognition of 'all' who contribute to a healthier and safer community. This appearance will somewhat mirror the 2020 Canadian fly-overs that acknowledged the efforts of front line health personnel battling the impact of covid.

Many organizations, institutions and individuals strive to help foster the attributes of a safe community; these humble yet important Hometown Heroes are dedicated to help the less fortunate, those with medical concerns, mental health challenges, family issues, work stress, preventing or solving criminal activities, investigating property damage, battling the dangers of illegal drugs, gangs, weapons or assaults, fighting fires and other imposing dangers, ensuring Ambulance care is as prompt and efficient as possible ... among many other tasks.

Teachers are committed to our children's education as well as standing on guard against bullying and negative interactions within the school system ... there are those who serve our Veterans or our elderly and handicapped with health and home care, transportation assistance ... or by just being a friend.

Building and maintaining a safe home, a safe school and safe community requires effort from a 'lot' of people. On July 27th, Saskatoon Crime Stoppers and valued community partners welcome the SNOWBIRDS as they fly over the city in spectacular aerial formations, delivering a visual expression of gratitude to all who work so hard in so many areas of life, be that professionally or as a volunteer, to help make Saskatoon and area a safe community to live, work and raise a family.

WE SALUTE YOU !!

THANK YOU

- Saskatoon Police Service * Saskatoon Fire Dept. * Medavie * RCMP
- The Commissionaires and all Security Firm Employees watching over property and people
 - All Specialists, Doctors, Nurses and Staff at St. Paul's Hospital, City Hospital Royal University Hospital / Jim Pattison Children's Hospital ... all Pharmacists & Physiotherapists
- Medi-Clinics, Private Physicians' Offices, Saskatoon's (4) Hospital Foundations and all applicable Staff
 - Saskatoon Public and Catholic School System Educators and Private Educational Entities
 - Seniors' Home Care / Veterans Homes / Child Care and Crisis Workers
 - The thousands of Volunteers who commit time and resources for worthy community causes
- City Employees and Contractors who strive to keep our roads, power, water, parks and facilities safe and clean for our families, young and old ... year after year; Commercial Pilots and Crews
 - Organizations that assist with Homelessness, Addictions and the Disadvantaged
- The men and women of the Canadian Armed Forces who not only deploy to support foreign lands in need, but are ready and able to assist here at home whenever disaster strikes – helping all stay safe

PLUS THE MANY, MANY PARENTS, GUARDIANS AND OTHERS WHO CONTRIBUTE TO A SAFER SASKATOON ... OFTEN WITHOUT REALIZING THEY'RE EVEN DOING IT !!

LOOK TO THE SKY ON JULY 27TH ... THE SNOWBIRDS SALUTE EACH ONE OF YOU !!

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

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