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TO: Honorable Town Board

From: Councilman Gene Hart

RE: Lions Concert July 30, 2015

June 1, 2015

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**On July 30, 2015 the West Seneca Lions will be hosting a concert by Terry Buchwald at the Lions Band shell. Recently the Lions and our community lost access to several fund raising opportunities as a result of a change in business climate. The Lions are seeking Town Board Approval to hold a hotdog roast on the date of Mr. Buchwald's concert, with the club hoping to recover some of its lost revenues which are used to support our community. The roast will be set up near the band shell, the Lions will obtain all necessary permits from Erie County, insurance is provided through Lions International for events sponsored by local Lions Clubs.**

**It is expected that this concert will attract a large viewing audience on site. In the event of rain, the Lions Club requests the use of the Ice Rink as an alternate site for the concert. We do not believe that the alternate site for all other concerts, the Senior Citizen Center can hold as large a crowd.**

**Attached is a letter from Lion Mike Hart, the Lions Band shell Chairman, regarding the requests outlined above.**

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Dear Gene,

As you instructed me, I'm writing this letter to you to obtain permission on behalf of the West Seneca Lions Club to do a hot dog roast on July 30<sup>th</sup> 2015, at the Band Shell. Terry Buchwald is performing on that date and I would like to see if we can help the club to regain some of the funds lost by the loss of Celebrate America.

I think this would be a great opportunity for the W. Seneca Lions, the Town of W. Seneca and other organizations.

We have a little over two months to do this, but I think if we give it a shot we can get it done. In case of ~~in~~ rain we may need to use the ice-rink for the Terry Buchwald concert.

Thank you.

Mike Hart