To Whom It may concern of the PRCS Board:

I Ray Stibeck Would like to bring back an event that was in its time very big and very community oriented event- Harbor Fest. Unfortunately it's been gone a long time like so many other events in this community that I know I personally grew up with. I am now in a unique position to try to bring back some of the great things this community once had. We cannot use The Name "Harbor Fest" As it was not our organization and the board of past that ran it is dissolved. This great event started at Pershing park and then moved to Festival Park as it grew. Unfortunately Festival Park isn't Available now as it has weddings booked. Since bringing a historic event back would be great I thought it would be relevant to bring it back to where it started in the first place. We are looking to use both the fenced in soccer field areas as well as the grassed area to the south(old Softball Diamond area). Inside the fenced in soccer field we will put a stage for live bands. We will also put in several tents. One of the tents will have beer and wine served from it. We chose this based on the field is completely fenced in and easier to control and prevent alcohol from leaving the area of the soccer fields. We will also have misc. smaller tents for the bands to be under by stage as well as tents for other local vendors (food, clothing ect.) and other small activities. Since this will be a community event we would want to have local vendors involved. As far as the south end of park (old softball diamond area) we want to also encourage some family fun and activities as well as carnival rides to help embrace that goal. The Hours and Dates of this event would be June 15th & 16th from roughly noon to 11:30 pm both days. We would also need a couple days before and after for set up and tear down/ clean up. We will charge admission for this event as well as set up some temporary fencing around the southern grassed area for control of attendees. We will work with and provide the city with security plans and staff as well as parking and traffic routing. We are requesting this permit application almost a year in advance to allow us for proper planning and obtain all sponsorships, vendor applications, permits, board/public hearings if needed. Those of you who know me know that I do have a lot of community involvement and have done similar events of this nature before. I take great pride in what I do for our community. We are a great city and I want to help bring back some events that were staples in building this community, as I believe this festival was one of them. Thank you For your consideration and I look forward to putting together a plan to make this a great event and impact in our community.

Sincerely

Ray Stibeck