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Fireworks Association to Conduct Site Visit March 5

Springfield, Mo. – Members of the board of the National Fireworks Association will conduct a site visit at 10 a.m. March 5 at the Rogersville Sports Complex to check out the location for the group's fireworks events during its national convention.

The association will use the sports complex for fireworks during the convention set for Sept. 7-12, 2010, at University Plaza Hotel & Convention Center in Springfield. The convention is expected to bring more than 500 people to Springfield, some from as far away as China.

The sports complex is where fireworks demonstrations will be conducted Sept. 9-10, 2010, and a public fireworks demonstration and competition will take place Sept. 11, 2010. The City of Rogersville is also planning a festival for Sept. 11.

The National Fireworks Association is one of many groups the Convention & Visitors Bureau brings to Springfield annually. For more information about bringing conventions and events to Springfield, contact the CVB at 881-5300 or visit www.SelectSpringfield.com.

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