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Frank Minosky Named Belton 4th of July Parade Grand Marshal

The Belton Area Chamber of Commerce announced that the Grand Marshal of the Belton 4th of July Parade this year will be Frank Minosky.

The theme for this year's parade is "Celebrating 250 Years of the USA" with a special focus on honoring our military veterans, so it is fitting for a veteran servant leader in our community to serve as the Grand Marshal.

Retired Command Sargeant Major Frank Minosky came to Belton via assignment to Fort Hood, and thanks in no small part to his wife Joey, quickly made it his home, sinking deep roots and investing in our community to make it better.

Minosky had a second career with Workforce Solutions of Central Texas, with a special focus on the needs of veterans. He has also served our community in many other ways, including volunteering with the VFW, AUSA, Belton Planning and Zoning Commission, and City Council.

His work with the Belton Chamber over the past 20+ years has included serving on the Board of Directors, as Chair of the Military Relations Committee, and as Chair of the 4th of July Parade. He was named the 2005 Citizen of the Year, and in 2025 was honored with the Chamber's Legendary Impact Award.

Minosky has been a driving force in promoting the one-percenters luncheon on the last Friday of each month for veterans, and was instrumental in helping our Military Relations Committee thrive. He helped us connect and collaborate with our Fort Hood neighbors and veteran community.

"We are excited to celebrate the 250 year anniversary of our country and our military veterans with the parade this year," stated Randy Pittenger, President/CEO of the Belton Area Chamber of Commerce. "Frank Minosky is a great representative, not only of our community, but also of the honor and appreciation our veterans are due."

The annual parade serves as the centerpiece of a week-long 4th of July celebration in Belton that will start with a Downtown Street Party on the Courthouse Square on Saturday, June 27.

The 4th of July will be full of festivities, including the Patriotic Program, Parade (starting at 9:00 a.m. again this year), Festival on Nolan Creek in Liberty Park featuring the Rev, White & Blue Car Show and the 5th Annual Hot Dog Eating Contest, Family Night of the 102nd annual PRCA Rodeo at the Huntington Bank Expo (formerly known as the Cadence Bank Center, and more commonly known as the Bell County Expo),, then finishing the day with the Backyard Party at Schoepf's Concert and Fireworks.

For more information about these events, visit the website at www.beltonchamber.com, call 254-939-3551, or email info@beltonchamber.com. ###