

In support of Tisch proposal

Ku Klux Klan requests permit for rally in park

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A local chapter of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan has filed a request to hold an Aug. 23 rally from 1-3 p.m. at the city-owned Ford Field recreation area at Farmington and Lyndon roads.

Ricky Suhayda, a former city council candidate now associated with the Klan, said the rally will be in support of the Tisch tax cut amendment. He also told The Observer this could be the first in a series of monthly rallies.

Robert Tisch, the Shawnee Drain Commissioner sponsoring the tax cut amendment, denied any connection with the proposed Klan rally.

Tisch said he's "not very thrilled" about gaining support "from organizations which I would call hate organizations."

Tisch said he doesn't endorse the KKK support. But added: "I daresay I should prohibit them," he added.

He said local Klan members have urged him to begin his political campaigning early.

An advocate of right-wing organizations whose past affiliations include membership in a neo-Nazi group, Suhayda said he's been a KKK member for about two years. "We consider ourselves the NAACP of the white people," Suhayda said of his local Klan.

He said he left the neo-Nazi group because "their views and mine didn't coincide."

Suhayda declined to provide an estimate of the number of persons who will attend the proposed rally. He said he has invited other Klan groups, including the United Klans of America, Invisible Empire and the Michigan White Knights. Suhayda said he planned a Saturday rally so that Klan members from outside Michigan could attend. He said several "local groups" have expressed an interest in participating but declined to name the groups.

SUHAYDA SAID he will talk about the Tisch tax cut proposal at the planned two-hour rally. Other speakers are being recruited, he said.

City Attorney Harry Tatigian said it appears the city may have few legal grounds to deny the permit request.

"The First Amendment right of all citizens, including those of Mr. Suhay-

da, must be observed. And so long as they comply with all processes of law and city ordinance, I can think of no sound reason in law to deny them their opportunity to be heard. I don't think there's any question you have to let people be heard," said Tatigian.

Council Vice President Robert Bishop said Suhayda's request is within his right as a citizen.

"If we allow people to use Ford Field, then we'll have to allow anybody

the right to request to use it — and I emphasize and underscore the word 'request,'" Bishop said.

Suhayda said the rally has a two-fold purpose. In addition to supporting the Tisch tax cut amendment, Suhayda hopes to generate some interest in Klan activity. He plans to hold rallies or meetings each month.

Suhayda believes there is "lots of support for the Klan in this area." He

said he hopes the rally will set an example and "help bring white groups out of the basement."

Suhayda said most people have a wrong impression of the KKK.

"The Klan is the white working man's representative in society today. Our other white brothers have betrayed us. The modern KKK does not hate Negroes. We are simply against bad blacks and bad whites," Suhayda said. Suhayda, who has lived in Livonia

since he was a youngster, said he hasn't had that much contact with black people — except in the Army.

"And, they weren't the most qualified. However, I work with some fine black people," he said.

"But when I see the Miami blacks ripping things apart and when I see the blacks around Joe Louis Arena and some of those areas — well those are the kind that have to either shape up or ship out," Suhayda said.

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