

PROCLAMATION

REGULATING AND RESTRICTING THE DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS WITHIN HURRICANE CITY

Whereas the Hurricane City Mayor is authorized by Hurricane City Code section 4-11-4 to place conditions on the discharge of fireworks based on fire conditions and recommendations from the Hurricane Valley Fire Special Service District; and

Whereas the fire danger in Hurricane City is deemed to be High; and

Whereas fireworks are known to be one of the causes of wildfire; and

Whereas the conditions are not expected to improve over the next months; and

Whereas brush and structural fires constitute a threat to life and property in Hurricane City; and

Whereas the celebrations of July 4th and July 24th are traditionally associated with the use of fireworks; and

Whereas it is in the best interests of the City, its residents, businesses, and visitors that the dangers and potential damage and/or injury associated with fires be minimized by the exercise of caution and advanced planning calculated to help reduce the threat of such potential dangers and harm; and

Whereas under the City's generally applicable ordinances fireworks may only be discharged as follows:

- July: Beginning on July 2 and ending on July 5 and beginning on July 22 and ending on July 25 between the hours of eleven o'clock (11:00) A.M. and eleven o'clock (11:00) P.M. except that on July 4 and July 24 the hours are eleven o'clock (11:00) A.M. to twelve o'clock (12:00) midnight;
- New Year's Eve: Beginning at eleven o'clock (11:00) A.M. on December 31 and ending at one o'clock (1:00) A.M. on the following day.
- Chinese New Year's Eve: Beginning at eleven o'clock (11:00) A.M. on the Chinese New Year's Eve and ending at one o'clock (1:00) a.m. on the following day.

Now, Therefore, in addition to the generally applicable restrictions set forth in Hurricane City Code section 4-11-5, I, Nanette Billings, Mayor of Hurricane City, do **PROCLAIM** that Condition 3 as set forth below is immediately in effect within the City limits of Hurricane City.

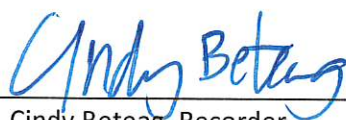
Condition 3:

1. Fireworks in July may be discharged only in the following locations:
 - a. Spilsbury Park ball fields.
 - b. American Legion ball field.
 - c. Three Falls Park.
 - d. Dixie Springs Park.

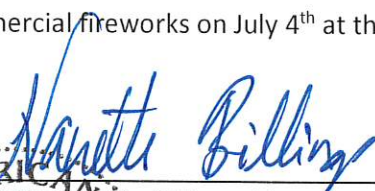
Furthermore, Hurricane City is permitted to discharge commercial fireworks on July 4th at the Sand Hollow State Park.

Proclaimed this 21st day of March 2024.

Attest:


Cindy Beteag, Recorder




Nanette Billings, Mayor