

RESOLUTION NO. R-12-2024

**A RESOLUTION OF EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY, UTAH,
ADOPTING FIREWORKS RESTRICTIONS**

PREAMBLE

WHEREAS Eagle Mountain City Code (EMMC) 8.20.010, in accordance with Utah Code Annotated (UCA) §53-7-225, prohibits the discharge of Class C common state-approved explosives (fireworks) at all times, except within specified hours, beginning on July 2 and ending on July 5; and beginning on July 22 and ending on July 25; and on December 31; and on Chinese New Year's Eve; and

WHEREAS UCA §15A-5-202.5 allows a municipal governing body to prohibit the ignition and use of fireworks in the following areas: (1) mountainous, brush-covered, forest-covered, or dry grass-covered areas; (2) within 200 feet of waterways, trails, canyons, washes, ravines, or similar areas; (3) wildland urban interface area, which means the line, area, or zone where structures or other human development meet or intermingle with undeveloped wildland or land being used for an agricultural purpose; or (4) a limited area outside the hazardous areas; and

WHEREAS Eagle Mountain City experiences regular periods of hot and/or dry weather, including drought conditions, and much of the city includes or is near: (1) mountainous, brush-covered, forest-covered, or dry grass-covered areas, (2) waterways, trails, canyons, washes, ravines, or similar areas; and (3) wildland urban interface areas; and

WHEREAS the City Council finds: (1) dry brush-covered or dry grass-covered areas could be easily ignited by fireworks or other ignition source; and (2) a fire or multiple fires within Eagle Mountain City could significantly impact the health, safety, and welfare of residents in Eagle Mountain City; and

WHEREAS EMMC 8.20.020, in accordance with UCA §53-7-225, provides that the city may, by resolution, designate certain areas where fireworks are prohibited or impose other restrictions on the discharge of fireworks.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Eagle Mountain, Utah, as follows:

1. The use or discharge of fireworks are prohibited at all times and seasons in the following areas: (1) mountainous, brush-covered, forest-covered, or dry grass-covered areas; (2) within 200 feet of waterways, trails, canyons, washes, ravines, or similar areas; (3) wildland urban interface areas, and (4) a limited area outside the hazardous areas; as shown

on the Eagle Mountain Fireworks Restricted Areas map, effective May 1, 2024, hereto attached as Exhibit A.

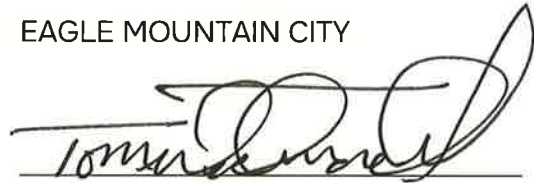
2. These fireworks restrictions and the associated map continue until replaced or revoked by resolution of the City Council.

3. City staff shall send the map, in whatever format required, to the Unified Fire Authority and Utah County before May 1, 2024.

4. City staff shall make reasonable effort to publicize Fireworks Time and Date Restrictions (EMMC 8.20.010), the Fireworks Restricted Areas Map (per EMMC 8.20.020), Penalty for Violation (EMMC 8.20.030), and Civil Liability (EMMC 8.20.040), on the city's website and other communications channels.

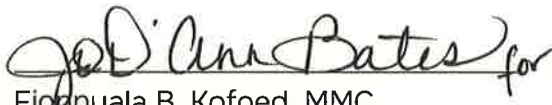
PASSED and APPROVED the 16th day of April 2024.

EAGLE MOUNTAIN CITY



Tom Westmoreland, Mayor

ATTEST:



Fionnuala B. Kofoed, MMC
City Recorder



CERTIFICATION

The above resolution was adopted by the City Council of Eagle Mountain City on the 16th day of April 2024.

Those voting aye:	Those voting nay:	Those excused:	Those abstaining:
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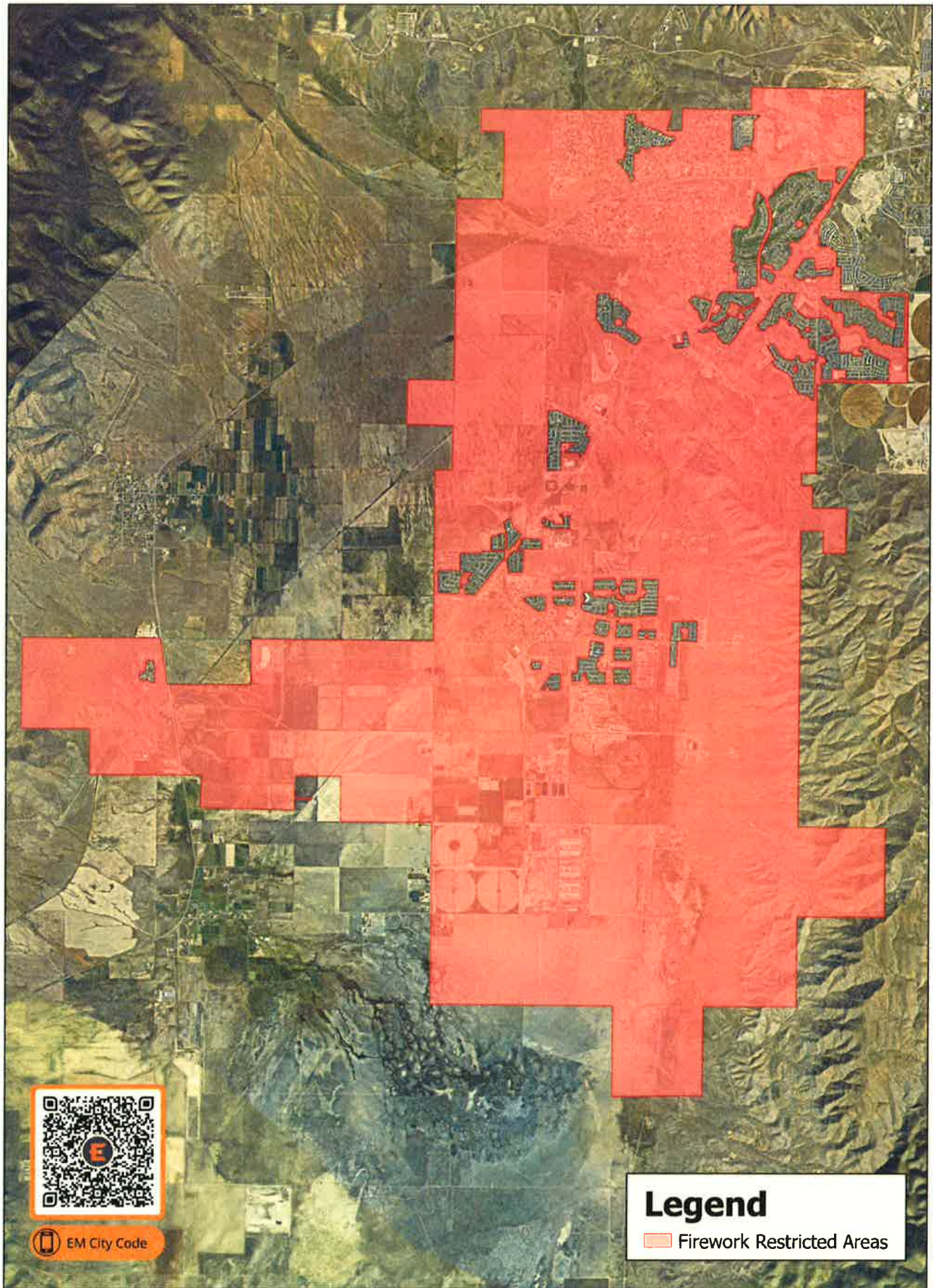


Exhibit A



Eagle Mountain Fireworks Restricted Areas

Effective: May 1, 2024



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