

# LARAMIE COUNTY PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

# Planning • Building

### **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Laramie County Board of Commissioners

FROM: Brad Emmons, Planning and Development Director

DATE: October 2, 2018

TITLE: Public hearing regarding Rulemaking Notice for an Amendment to the 2002

Fireworks Regulations.

Over the last couple of years we have had several new firework stands go through the Laramie County Site Plan and Building Department process. It has been found that there was a setback requirement within the 2002 Fireworks Regulations that does not coincide with setback requirements in other areas of the Laramie County regulations. Based upon the fact that Laramie County has now adopted building codes, the setback specified in Section III C. of the 2002 Fireworks Regulations was deemed excessive. This amendment would reduce the setback from 60 feet to 30 feet.

Upon approval, the attached Resolution shall serve as 45-day rulemaking public notice.

## **Proposed motion:**

I move to approve Rulemaking Notice for an Amendment to the 2002 Fireworks Regulations and hereby provide the required 45-day notice.

#### **Attachment:**

Resolution

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# RESOLUTION GIVING PUBLIC NOTICE OF LARAMIE COUNTY'S INTENT TO AMEND THE 2002 LARAMIE COUNTY FIREWORKS REGULATIONS

WHEREAS, Wyoming State Statutes § 16-3-103; §18-5-201 to 18-5-208; §18-5-301 to 18-5-315 authorize Laramie County, in promoting the public health, safety, morals and general welfare of the county, to regulate the use of land through zoning in unincorporated Laramie County; and

WHEREAS, WYO. STAT. ANN. § 16-3-103 (2007), requires 45 days public notice and a reasonable opportunity for public comment before Laramie County may adopt, amend, or repeal rules and regulations; and

**WHEREAS**, The Laramie County Board of Commissioners adopted the Laramie County Fireworks Regulations on July 16th, 2002.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF LARAMIE COUNTY, WYOMING, that notice is hereby given to the public that Laramie County intends to adopt an amendment to the first sentence in Section III. FIREWORKS STAND AND SITE IMPROVEMENTS, C., to now read "Fireworks stands or storage units shall not be located closer than thirty (30) feet from the property boundaries." The current regulations say sixty (60) feet; that copies of the proposed regulation may be obtained from the Laramie County Clerk's Office, 309 West 20<sup>th</sup> Street, Room 1513, Cheyenne, Wyoming; that all interested persons may submit written comments to the Laramie County Clerk, 309 West 20<sup>th</sup> Street, P.O. Box 608, Cheyenne, Wyoming 82003, no later than noon on November 16<sup>th</sup>, 2018; that there shall be a regularly scheduled Laramie County Planning Commission Meeting on November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2018 and a regularly scheduled Laramie County Commissioner's meeting on November 20<sup>th</sup>, 2018 at 3:30 P.M. in the Laramie County Commissioners hearing room on the third floor of the Laramie County Courthouse, 310 West 19<sup>th</sup> Street, Cheyenne, Wyoming; and that this notice shall be published once in the Wyoming Tribune-Eagle as soon as practicably possible.

PRESENTED, READ AND	ADOPTED	this	day of	, 2018.
	BOARD OF	LARAMII	E COUNTY	COMMISSIONERS
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ATTEST:	K.N. Buck H	olmes, Ch	airman	
Debra K. Lee, Laramie County Clerk				
Reviewed and approved as to form:				
Mark Voss				
Laramie County Attorney				