



ORDINANCE 2020-02 UPDATING THE TOWN CODE RELATED TO THE USE OF CONSUMER FIREWORKS

Jan 23rd, 2020

TODAY'S GOALS

- Receive information regarding Ordinance Number 2020-02 and
- Provide feedback to staff



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AGENDA

- **State Legislative Changes**
- **Current Town Code**
- **Next Steps**



STATE LEGISLATIVE CHANGES

Senate Bill 1348 adopted on May 21, 2019 added:

- Cinco de Mayo holiday
 - Sales allowed April 25 thru May 6
 - Use allowed May 4 thru May 6
- Diwali holiday
 - Sales allowed 3 days before thru the third day of Diwali
 - Use allowed on the second and third days of Diwali



CURRENT TOWN CODE

The Town Code only allows safe use for:

- 4th of July
 - Sales allowed May 20 thru July 6
 - Use allowed June 24 thru July 6
- Christmas/New Years
 - Sales allowed Dec 10 thru Jan 3
 - Use allowed Dec 24 thru Jan 3



PROPOSED TOWN CODE

Sec 13-3-3 Fireworks prohibited; exceptions

A. The use of fireworks including permissible consumer fireworks within the Town is prohibited except for the limited use of permissible consumer fireworks during the time frame of ~~June 24th through July 6th and December 24th through January 3rd~~ as specified in ARS §36-1606.

Sec 13-3-4 Sale of Fireworks

D. No person shall sell permissible consumer fireworks to the public except ~~from May 20th through July 6th and December 10th through January 3rd~~ as specified in ARS §36-1606.



NEXT STEPS

1. Consideration of adopting Ordinance 2020-02 at Feb 13, 2020 Town Council meeting.
2. Thirty days after the Mayor signs the ordinance, the Ordinance will become law and enforceable.
3. The sale and use of consumer fireworks is permissible as specified in ARS § 36-1606.



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CONSUMER FIREWORKS

