## RESOLUTION #2024– R –04

## RESOLUTION FINDING HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS AND RESTRICTION OF FIREWORKS WITHIN ALL PORTIONS OF HIDEOUT

WHEREAS, Utah Code §53-7-225, prohibits the discharge of Class C common state approved explosives (fireworks) except around certain holidays including beginning on July 2 and ending on July 5, and beginning on July 22 and ending on July 25;

WHEREAS, Utah Code § 15A-5-202.5(1)(b) allows municipalities to "close a defined area to the discharge of fireworks due to a historical hazardous environmental condition" if the "historical hazardous environmental condition has existed in the defined area before July 1 of at least two of the preceding five years;"

WHEREAS, the Hideout City Council ("Council") finds that Hideout, throughout all areas, contains innumerable mountainous, brush-covered, forest covered, and dry grass-covered areas which historically and, for at least two of the preceding five years before July 1st, are in an extremely flammable condition;

WHEREAS, if existing or historical hazardous environmental conditions exist within the boundaries of Hideout, Utah Code §15A-5-202.5 allows the Council to prohibit the ignition and use of fireworks while these conditions exist 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;

WHEREAS, the Council finds that the entirety of Hideout consists of the above listed hazardous areas and a map of Hideout is attached hereto as Exhibit A;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE HIDEOUT CITY COUNCIL OF, UTAH, THAT:

<u>SECTION I</u>: Pursuant to the provisions of Utah Code Ann. 15A-5-202.5, and based on the findings as noted above, the use of Class C fireworks are hereby restricted in all areas of Hideout as shown in the attached map in Exhibit A.

<u>Section II: Effective Date</u>. This resolution shall be effective upon receipt of the attached map (Exhibit A) by Wasatch County and publication of the Resolution by the City Recorder.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Hideout City Council, Utah, this 11th day of April in the year 2024.

WASATCH

TOWN OF HILL

CORPORATE

## HIDEOUT

Phil Rubin, Mayor

ATTEST:

Alicia Fairbourne, Recorder for Hideout

COUNTY, UTAY Exhibit A: Map of Existing Hazardous Conditions Hideout. (Entire City)

