

Ordinance No. 2016-36

AN ORDINANCE ADOPTING MUNICIPAL CODE TITLE 11, CHAPTER 9, SECTIONS 3 and 3.1, CITY COUNCIL DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY TO THE FIRE CODE OFFICIAL TO DETERMINE WHEN HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS EXIST WITHIN PARK CITY NECESSITATING RESTRICTIONS ON IGNITION SOURCES

WHEREAS, the City Council of Park City Municipal Corporation, Utah, (herein "City"), in conjunction with the Park City Fire Code Official and the Park City Municipal Fire Marshal, has a desire to reduce the threat of wildfires within the City limits; and

WHEREAS, the Park City Fire Code Official and Park City Fire Marshal have deemed that Park City is subject to an elevated risk of wildfire because of its mountainous setting and extensive wildland interface; and

WHEREAS, Park City and Summit County have the greatest amount of wildland urban interface in the state of Utah; and

WHEREAS, The Utah Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands in consultation with local Fire Officials has designated all of Park City to be a Wildland Urban Interface area;

WHEREAS, the City desires to reduce the risk of wildfires which may cause extensive damage and economic hardship within the City; and

WHEREAS, decisions regarding prohibition of ignition sources due to hazardous environmental conditions must be made without undue delay;

WHEREAS the Park City Fire Code Official may make those decisions expeditiously;

WHEREAS the City Council desires to delegate to the Park City Fire Code Official the decision as to when hazardous environmental conditions necessitating prohibition on ignition sources exist;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of Park City, Utah, as follows:

SECTION 1. ADOPTION. Title 11, Chapter 9, Section 3, HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS and Title 11, Chapter 9, Section 3.1 DELEGATION of the Park City Municipal Code is hereby adopted as follows:

11-9-3 HAZARDOUS ENVIRONMENTAL CONDITIONS. If hazardous environmental conditions exist in the City, the City Fire Code Official may prohibit the ignition or use of an ignition source, including fireworks, lighters, matches, sky lanterns, and smoking materials as necessary to reduce the risk of wildfire.

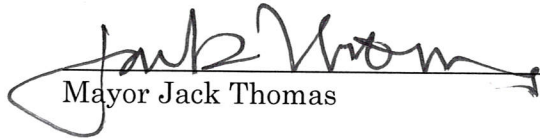
11-9-3.1 DELEGATION. The City Council has delegated this authority to the City Fire Code Official and may elect to rescind such delegated authority at its discretion.

SECTION 2. EFFECTIVE DATE. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately.

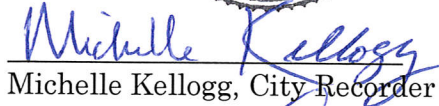
PASSED AND ADOPTED this 21st day of July, 2016.

PARK CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

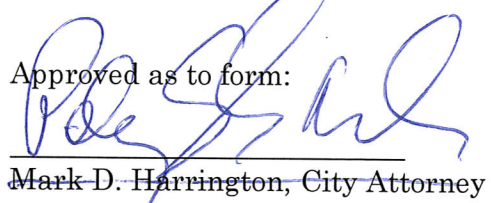



Mayor Jack Thomas

Attest:


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