

STAFF REPORT

DATE: May 10, 2022
TO: City Council
FROM: Carrie Dyer, City Manager's Office, Management Analyst
SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing 2022 Pyrotechnic Displays

Recommendation

Approve Resolution authorizing pyrotechnic displays for June 3 and July 4, 2022

Fiscal Impact

No fiscal impact.

Council Goals

Goal 5 - Objective 4D

Support an array of festivals and celebrations that will culturally enhance and engage our community, promote equity, and, for certain events, attract visitors and promote commerce. This can be approached as a collaboration with UC Davis as well as other partners.

Background and Analysis

The City of Davis Municipal Code states that "the use or discharge of fireworks or substances designed and intended for pyrotechnic display within the city is prohibited; provided, that pyrotechnical displays may be authorized by resolution of the city council when under the control of qualified individuals and the time, place and manner of such display is approved by the chief of the fire department." (Ord. 2303 § 2, 2007)

To celebrate the community of Davis and to honor our nations Independence Day, two celebrations are planned that include aerial firework exhibitions. Celebrate Davis on June 3 and the Independence Day celebration on July 4 will both be held in Community Park, located at 1405 F Street. The pyrotechnic displays will be under the operation of a licensed pyrotechnician and inspected prior to the show by the City of Davis Fire Marshall and Fire Inspector.

Attachments

1. Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. 22-XXX, SERIES 2022

**RESOLUTION APPROVING PYROTECHNIC DISPLAYS FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CELEBRATE DAVIS AND FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS**

WHEREAS, the City of Davis Municipal Code states that pyrotechnical displays are prohibited within the city; provided that they may be authorized by resolution of the city council when under the control of qualified individuals and the time, place and manner of such display is approved by the chief of the fire department. (Ord. 2303 § 2, 2007); and

WHEREAS, to celebrate the community of Davis and to honor our nations Independence Day, two celebrations are planned that include aerial fireworks displays; and

WHEREAS, Celebrate Davis, held on June 3 and the Independence Day celebration held on July 4 will both be held in Community Park, located at 1405 F Street; and

WHEREAS, the pyrotechnic displays will be under the operation of a licensed pyrotechnician and inspected prior to the display by the City of Davis Fire Marshal.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Davis does hereby approve the authorization of pyrotechnic displays to take place within the city on June 3 and July 4, 2022 in conjunction with the annual Celebrate Davis and Fourth of July events .

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Davis on this 10th day of May 2022, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

Gloria Partida
Mayor

ATTEST:

Zoe S. Mirabile, CMC
City Clerk