

**HEBER CITY CORPORATION
75 North Main Street
Heber City, UT 84032
Heber City Council Meeting**

June 25, 2026

5:00 p.m. Special Meeting

TIME AND ORDER OF ITEMS ARE APPROXIMATE AND MAY BE CHANGED AS TIME PERMITS

- I. SPECIAL MEETING - 5:00 P.M.**
 - 1. Call to Order
- II. ACTION ITEMS: (Council can discuss; table; continue; or approve items)**
 - 1. Resolution 2026-17 Heber City Fireworks Ban (Matt Brower, City Manager) -
- III. ADJOURNMENT:**

Ordinance 2006-05 allows Heber City Council Members to participate in meetings via telecommunications media. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, those needing special accommodations during this meeting or who are non-English speaking should contact Trina Cooke at the Heber City Offices 435.657.7886 at least eight hours prior to the meeting.

Posted on June 24, in the Heber City Municipal Building located at 75 North Main, the Heber City Website at www.heberut.gov, and on the Utah Public Notice Website at <http://pmn.utah.gov>.

**HEBER CITY, UTAH
RESOLUTION NO. 2026-17**

**A RESOLUTION ENACTING TEMPORARY FIREWORKS
RESTRICTIONS ON PRIVATE PROPERTY WITHIN HEBER CITY FOR
THE 2026 JULY 4TH HOLIDAY WEEKEND AND DESIGNATING**

**_____ AS A PERMITTED DISCHARGE
_____ AREA(S).**

WHEREAS, Heber City, Wasatch County, Utah, prioritizes the health, safety, and general welfare of its citizens, as well as the protection of private property and municipal resources from the threat of wildfire; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Utah has recently issued an executive order placing Wasatch County under an automatic private property fireworks ban due to high wildfire risks and extreme regional drought conditions; and

WHEREAS, state fire restrictions do not automatically apply to incorporated municipalities, meaning independent municipal action is required for individual cities to institute local safety parameters; and

WHEREAS, the Wasatch County Fire District has approached all municipalities within Wasatch County to request a unified local ban on private property fireworks during the high-risk legal discharge window from July 2nd through July 6th, 2026; and

WHEREAS, the Fire District has formally recommended that citizens instead utilize _____ as a safe, centralized location to discharge private fireworks, where the Fire District can proactively provide fire suppression coverage; and

WHEREAS, this restriction applies exclusively to personal fireworks discharged on private property and does not restrict commercial, professionally organized fireworks displays such as the July 4th event hosted by neighboring Midway City; and

WHEREAS, the Heber City Council finds it necessary to convene an emergency city council meeting on Thursday, June 25, 2026, to review and pass these urgent time-sensitive parameters;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of Heber City, Utah, as follows:

- **Section 1. Private Property Fireworks Restriction.** The City Council hereby enacts a temporary restriction prohibiting the discharge of all private fireworks on private

property within the municipal boundaries of Heber City from July 2, 2026, through July 6, 2026.

- **Section 2. Designation of Approved Discharge Area.** Citizens desiring to discharge legal personal fireworks during this window are directed to the Southfield Park ballfields. The Wasatch County Fire District will maintain designated fire response coverage at this location on _____..
- **Section 3. Commercial Displays Allowed.** This resolution governs private property usage only and explicitly exempts licensed, permitted commercial pyrotechnic displays.
- **Section 4. Penalties & Enforcement.** In alignment with standard municipal safety codes, violations of this safety order may carry a class B misdemeanor charge, with a fine of **up to \$1,000.00**, plus any applicable court surcharges and emergency service restitution costs.
- **Section 5. Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage and adoption by the City Council.

PASSED, APPROVED, AND ADOPTED by the Heber City Council this _____ day of _____, 2026.

AYE	NAY	ABSENT	ABSTAIN
Yvonne M. Barney	_____	_____	_____
Aaron Cheatwood	_____	_____	_____
Mike Johnston	_____	_____	_____
Morgan Murdock	_____	_____	_____
Sid Ostergaard	_____	_____	_____

HEBER CITY CORPORATION

By: _____
Heidi Franco, Mayor

ATTEST:

Trina Cooke, City Recorder