

**Amendment to the Scofield Town
Declaration of Hazardous Environmental Conditions
Dated June 14, 2026 Adding Section g. to the Declaration**

Governor Spencer Cox issued an executive order declaring a state of emergency that temporarily restricts personal fireworks statewide due to unprecedented wildfire danger. The order suspends normal state regulations, empowering municipalities and local fire officials to implement outright bans or designate strictly safe, localized discharge zones.

Due to the Town's proximity to the Wildlife Urban Interface areas Scofield Town does not have a designated, strictly safe localized discharge zone for the ignition of fireworks.

Therefore, the Town Council of Scofield, Utah is banning all personal fireworks as well as other possible ignition sources within Town limits, as outlined below, as an Amendment to the Declaration of Hazardous Environmental Conditions Dated June 14, 2026:

g. Due to unprecedented and "extremely hazardous conditions" under the National Fire Danger rating System as per Forestry, Fire, and State Lands, there is an unusually high risk of devastating fires resulting from the discharge of fireworks and other ignition sources.

The Scofield Town Council hereby declares that the following shall be prohibited until The Declaration of Hazardous Environmental Conditions rescinded:

- a. All personal fireworks.
- b. All open fires of any kind (propane fire pits are excluded).
- c. Smoking, except within a vehicle or enclosed area.
- d. The grinding, cutting, and welding of metal.
- e. Operating or using any internal combustion engine without a spark arresting device properly installed and in effective working order.

The hazardous environment conditions will be evaluated regularly and restrictions will be adjusted accordingly.

Any person who violates this Ordinance is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor and shall be punished as provided by Utah law and the Scofield Town Municipal Code.

This amendment, and the original Declaration of Hazardous Environmental Conditions dated June 14, 2026 are hereby ratified in an open meeting by the Scofield Town Council this 29th day of June, 2026.

