



Agenda Item No: 1.f

PLACENTIA CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

Meeting Date: May 5, 2026

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From: Police Department

Subject:

SECOND READING AND ADOPTION OF ORDINANCE NO. O-2026-06, AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF PLACENTIA, CALIFORNIA, ADDING TO PLACENTIA MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 10.74 (FIREWORKS) TO TITLE 10 (PEACE, MORALS, AND SAFETY)

Financial Impact:

None.

Summary:

The First Reading of Ordinance No. O-2026-06, occurred on April 21, 2026. This Agenda Report conducts the Second Reading and, therefore, adoption of an Ordinance making an addition to Chapter 10.74 to the Municipal Code, providing clear regulations prohibiting fireworks within the City of Placentia, and for the enforcement of any violation of these regulations.

Recommended Action:

It is recommended that the City Council:

Waive full reading, by title only, and adopt Ordinance No. O-2026-06, an Ordinance of the City Council of the City of Placentia, California, adding Chapter 10.74 (Fireworks) to Title 10 (Peace, Morals, and Safety) of the Placentia Municipal Code.

Strategic Plan Statement:

This item conforms to Strategic Plan Goal No. 2, Public Safety, to provide a safe, family-friendly environment through proactive policing, efficient fire and emergency medical services, disaster preparedness, and strong community partnerships that protect residents, businesses and visitors.

Discussion:

Fireworks pose a significant risk of personal injuries, property damage, fires and other threats to public safety. Currently the Placentia Municipal Code is limited in its ability to properly regulate the use of fireworks, other than in the Fire Code. If firework products continue to be unregulated, then the possession, storage, use, manufacture, transportation, and sale of these items will continue to pose a threat to the public health, safety, and welfare of the City of Placentia, and its residents.

The attached Ordinance confirms the prohibition of fireworks, including the "Safe and Sane

Fireworks” product within the City of Placentia. Adoption of this Ordinance will permit enforcement upon those individuals deemed responsible, including the ability to issue citations and subject to penalties.

Financial Summary:

The adoption of this Ordinance has no fiscal impact on the City of Placentia.

Attachments

[Ordinance No. O-2026-06 - Fireworks.docx](#)