

The **Beaver City Council** met in a **Emergency Meeting** at **1:00 p.m.** in the Beaver City Center located at 30 West 300 North on Friday, **June 29, 2018**. The following members of the Council were present in the Council Chamber: Council Members Alison Webb and Hal Murdock. Those attending by phone were Mayor Matt Robinson and Council Member Bradshaw. Council Members Fails and Schena were unavailable. Also present were City Manager Jason Brown and City Recorder Anona Yardley. City Attorney Justin Wayment also attended by phone.

FIREWORKS RESTRICTIONS FOR BEAVER CITY (Conference Call)

Attorney Wayment provided the Utah State Code HB38 addressing fire restrictions for the Council's consideration. Manager Brown conducted the conference call by cell phone. Mayor Robinson received a call from Sheriff Noel asking for a complete ban on fireworks within the Beaver City limits. Beaver City is at a Level 2 firework restriction at present which prohibits open fires, welding in vegetated areas and fireworks in only three designated areas. The Council was considering posing a restriction on all aerial fireworks. Council Member Bradshaw would like to keep the July 4th fireworks show and look at aerial fireworks prohibition. The risk of using normal state approved fireworks is usually low. The fireworks show is a low risk also. Fireworks not legal for purchase in Utah, or aerial fireworks, are a high risk. Attorney Wayment counseled the Council about the State law and the requirements of the State of Utah. After discussion, Council Member Webb moved and Council Member Murdock seconded to amend the current Level Two document to allow aerial fireworks only by permit. Council Member Murdock, Bradshaw, and Webb voted yea by voice vote. Council Members Schena and Fails were excused. The motion passed by a majority vote. Recorder Yardley will submit the Mayor's signed document to the Beaver County Journal for publication in the next issue.

The meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

APPROVED: _____ **ATTEST:** _____
MATTHEW ROBINSON **ANONA S. YARDLEY**
MAYOR **CITY RECORDER**