

**JEFFERSON COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

WORKSHOP AGENDA REQUEST

TO: Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Mark McCauley, County Administrator

DATE: July 10, 2023

SUBJECT: Workshop: After Action Review of the June 30, 2023 County Fireworks Ban and Related Enforcement Efforts

STATEMENT OF ISSUE:

Due to the recent hot, dry weather conditions the Jefferson County Fire Chiefs Association and the Jefferson County Fire Marshal issued a High Fire Hazard Declaration on Friday, June 30, 2023, which automatically imposed a ban on fireworks, per Chapter 8.75 Jefferson County Code.

This was the first High Fire Hazard Declaration and associated fireworks ban since the adoption on Ordinance 03-0314-22 on March 14, 2022.

ANALYSIS:

All would benefit from a review of the events leading up to the declaration, the impact thereof and the enforcement efforts of local law enforcement.

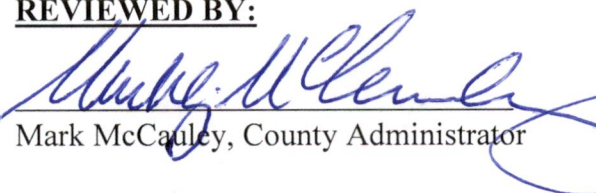
FISCAL IMPACT:

This request has no fiscal impact.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Board of County Commissioners discuss the fireworks ban and solicit input from staff, the fire chiefs and the public.

REVIEWED BY:


Mark McCauley, County Administrator


Date