

# Folsom City Council Staff Report

<b>MEETING DATE:</b>	6/23/2020
<b>AGENDA SECTION:</b>	Consent Calendar
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	Resolution No. 10480 - A Resolution Authorizing A Public Fireworks Display During the Star-Spangled Drive-In Event
<b>FROM:</b>	Fire Department

## **RECOMMENDATION / CITY COUNCIL ACTION**

The Fire Department recommends that the City Council pass and approve Resolution No. 10480 – A Resolution Authorizing a Public Fireworks Display During the Star-Spangled Drive-In Event.

## **BACKGROUND / ISSUE**

The Greater Folsom Partnership’s Star-Spangled Drive-In event is scheduled for July 3, 2020 at the Folsom Ranch. A proximate fireworks display is a planned part of the event.

The Fire Department is coordinating the safety requirements for this fireworks display with the Greater Folsom Partnership and the California State Fire Marshal’s Office. A licensed operator from J&M Displays West has been secured by the Greater Folsom Partnership to oversee the fireworks display for the event. The Fire Department is requesting Council to authorize this public display of fireworks.

## **POLICY / RULE**

Section 9.36.020 of the Folsom Municipal Code states that public displays of fireworks may only be given when authorized by resolution of the City Council, after recommendation of the Fire Chief, and when under supervision of a licensed pyrotechnic operator.

## **ANALYSIS**

Approximately 375 consumer and public display fireworks are proposed to be fired at the Star-Spangled Drive-In event on July 3, 2020. Staff has reviewed all safety issues relative to a public fireworks display and is working with the Folsom Greater Partnership and J&M Displays West to mitigate any potential issues. Staff believes that these mitigation measures will reasonably satisfy the safety concerns.

## **FINANCIAL IMPACT**

Fire Department staff costs for inspections and fire safety stand-by, associated with this public fireworks display, are reimbursed through permit fees and direct billing.

## **ENVIRONMENTAL REVIEW**

This public fireworks display has been deemed categorically exempt from environmental review.

## **ATTACHMENTS**

Attachment 1 – Resolution No. 10480- A Resolution Authorizing A Public Fireworks Display During the Star-Spangled Drive-In Event

Attachment 2 – Fire Department Permit Application from J&M Displays West

Submitted,

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Felipe Rodriguez, Fire Chief

# Attachment 1

**RESOLUTION NO. 10480**

**A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY DURING THE  
STAR-SPANGLED DRIVE-IN EVENT**

**WHEREAS**, on the evening of July 3, 2020, the Folsom Greater Partnership will be sponsoring the Star-Spangled Drive-In event; and

**WHEREAS**, Folsom Municipal Code Section 9.36.020 authorizes the public display of fireworks; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Folsom supports the festivities of our Nation's independence, as well as family-oriented activities within the community; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Folsom authorizes this public display of fireworks to celebrate this special occasion, with the recommendation of the Fire Chief, and under the supervision of a licensed pyrotechnic operator.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 23 day of June, 2020, by the following roll-call vote:

**AYES:** Council Member(s):

**NOES:** Council Member(s):

**ABSENT:** Council Member(s):

**ABSTAIN:** Council Member(s):

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Sarah Aquino, MAYOR

ATTEST:

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Christa Freemantle, CITY CLERK

# Attachment 2

## APPLICATION FOR PERMIT- PUBLIC FIREWORKS DISPLAY

WE HEREBY REQUEST A PERMIT TO CONDUCT A FIREWORKS DISPLAY AND AGREE TO COMPLY WITH PART 2 OF DIVISION 11, DIVISION 12 AND OTHER APPLICABLE SECTIONS OF THE HEALTH SAFETY CODE, AND THE RULES AND REGULATIONS SET FORTH BY THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL.

EVENT NAME AND ORGANIZATION NAME: **Greater Folsom Partnership**

ADDRESS: **200 Wool St. Folsom Ca.**

DATES AND TIMES OF DISPLAY: **July 3, 2020**

1) EVENT LOCATION: Empty field Placerville Road and Alder Creek Parkway, Folsom, CA

PYROTECHNIC OPERATOR IN CHARGE: Brandon Waits 2936-02 Cell: 916-802-4482

TYPE OF DISPLAY  1.4 G CONSUMER  1.3G DISPLA  PROXIMATE

### DESCRIPTION OF PRODUCT

130 - 2.5" Single Break Aerial Shell(s)

20 - 5" Single Break Aerial Shell(s)

150 - 3" Single Break Aerial Shell(s)

3 - Multi Shell

70 - 4" Single Break Aerial Shell(s)

### INSURANCE

GENERAL LIABILITY: \$10,000,000.00

EXPIRATION DATES: 1/15/2020 to 1/15/2021

WORKERS COMPENSATION: State Fund

GPD License No. 1331

#### OFFICIAL USE ONLY

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- PERMIT NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

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TITLE

*Nancy Chastain*

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

J&M Displays Inc.

9300 Tokay Lane

Sacramento, CA 95829

APPLICANT'S ADDRESS

Fax 916-635-4289

DATE: 6-12-20



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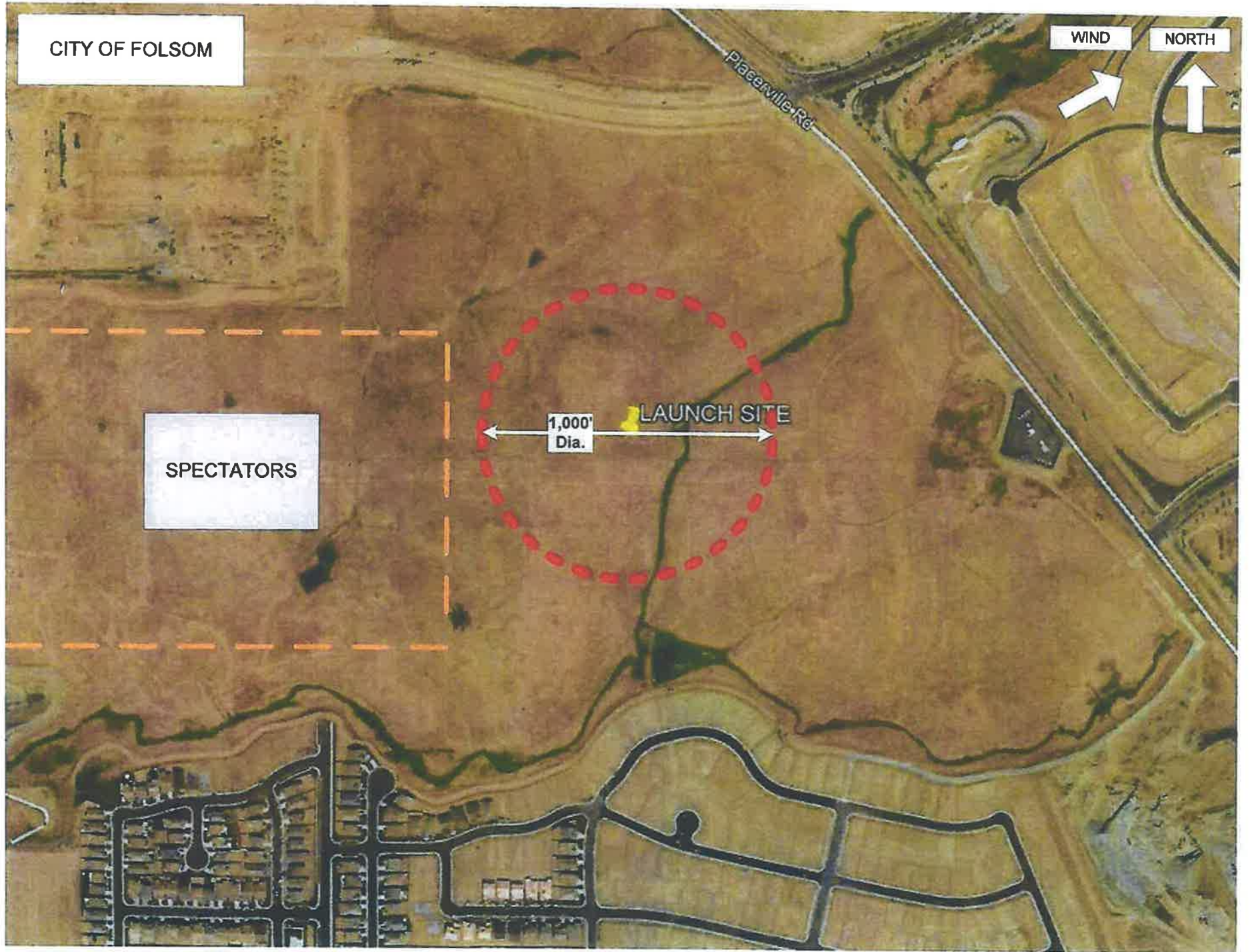
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