

Memorandum

To: Mayor Orffer

From: Todd Baun- Director of Public Works

Date: August 4, 2021- For August 11th Council Meeting

Subject: Fireworks Discussion

RECOMMENDATION

Please review and provide feedback as necessary.

BACKGROUND

At the July 14th meeting, there was discussion on Fireworks. I have attached MRSC information on Fireworks, our Ordinance 589, and our municipal code about Fireworks for your review. Staff would like direction on what changes, if any, you would like to see.

For a little history, in June of 1960, an ordinance was passed that prohibited selling, exploding or have possession of any firework. That ordinance was repealed in September of 1962 and the City followed State RCW 77 up until our current ordinance went in effect in June of 1992.