ORDINANCE NO. 1369

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER VII. FIRE, ARTICLE 3. FIREWORKS, OF THE CITY OF ELLIS, KANSAS, ESTABLISHING EXCEPTIONS FOR THE DISCHARGE OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF ELLIS, KANSAS, AND REPEALING ALL ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ELLIS, KANSAS THAT CONFLICT WITH THIS ORDINANCE

Chapter VII. Fire, Article 3, Section 3 shall be and is hereby amended to read as follows:

(a) Section 7-302 of this article shall not apply to the fire or discharge of fireworks, with the type of fireworks as provided by the laws of the state, between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight on July 3 through July 5, or on other dates as may be set by resolution of the city council.

(b) The governing body of the city may, in its discretion, grant permission at any time for the public display of fireworks by responsible individuals or organizations when such display or displays shall be of such a character and so located, discharged and fired as shall not be a fire hazard or endanger persons or surrounding property.

(c) The governing body of the city may, in its discretion, grant permission at any time for the discharge of fireworks by the public on certain dates and times as set by resolution of the city

council.

(d) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to give any public display of

fireworks without having first obtained a permit thereof.

(e) In the event that the city council of the city shall determine that weather conditions or any other circumstances shall justify the prohibition of discharge within the city limits of firecrackers and fireworks on the dates indicated above, the city council may, by resolution, prohibit the discharge of such fireworks either in the form of permitted pyrotechnical displays or by individuals. In the event the city council of the city so resolves such resolution shall be published in the official city newspaper prior to the 4th day of July in the year that such resolution is to be effective.

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its publication in the Ellis Review, the official city newspaper.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY this 2nd day of September, 2014. Lyle E. Johnston, Mayor

ATTEST:

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original ordinance; that said ordinance was passed on the hand day of the first standard ordinance was passed on the hand day of the first standard ordinance was passed on the first that the record of the first vote on its passage is recorded in the minutes. of the meeting of the same date; that it was

published in the Ellis Review on the 11th day of

Scorember. 20 14.

By Chry Buton
Ellis City Clerk