

**STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF POTTER**

**ORDER PROHIBITING CERTAIN FIREWORKS  
IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF POTTER COUNTY, TEXAS**

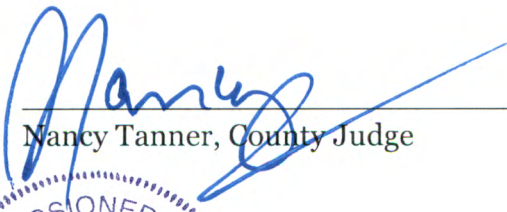
WHEREAS, the Texas A&M Forest Service has determined that drought conditions exist in Potter County; and

WHEREAS, on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2026, the Potter County Commissioners Court has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of Potter County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

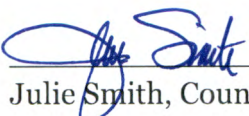
NOW, THEREFORE, the Potter County Commissioners Court adopts this Order prohibiting the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Potter County.

- A. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use fireworks classified as “skyrockets with sticks” under 49 C.F.R. part 173.100(r)(2) (10-01-86 edition) or missiles with fins in any portion of the unincorporated areas of Potter County.
- B. This Order does not prohibit “permissible fireworks” as authorized in Occupations Code Section 2154.003(a).
- C. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly or intentionally violates a prohibition established by this Order. An offense under this Order is a Class C Misdemeanor.
- D. This Order expires on the date the Texas A&M Forest Service determines drought conditions no longer exist in Potter County, or July 13, whichever is earlier.

APPROVED this 8<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2026, by the Potter County Commissioners Court.

  
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Nancy Tanner, County Judge

Attest:

  
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Julie Smith, County Clerk

