

**Special Meeting**

**June 18, 2002**

The Board of County Commissioners, in and for the County of Otero, State of New Mexico, met in a Special Meeting at the Otero County Courthouse in Alamogordo, County and State aforesaid. Meeting called to order by the Vice-Chairman at 5:05 p.m., June 18, 2002; and he announced that reasonable notice for this meeting was given to the Alamogordo Daily News, Holloman Sunburst, Mountain Monthly, and to Radio Stations, KPSA, KINN and KYEE.

**Present:**

Richard Zierlein

Not Present

Tim McGinn

Vice-Chairman

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Mike Nivison

Member

Ray Backstrom

Administrative Office Manager

LaDonna Adams

Department Assistant

Lynn Estrada

Deputy Clerk

1. The Vice-Chairman called the meeting to order and announced the purpose of this meeting is to approve the emergency resolution on banning burning and fireworks in Otero County.

Sheriff, John Lee, suggested changing the wording in paragraph 1 to make it read, in Otero County.

Mr. and Mrs. Bishop, who own a Fireworks stand were present. Their fireworks have already been purchased and were interested in knowing if they would be able to sell or if there were going to be any restrictions placed on them. The Board assured them that they could sell.

Fire chief, Archie Koenmund, read the resolution with the changes that were made.

Commissioner Nivison made a motion to pass Resolution No. 06-18-02/90-67. The motion was

seconded by Commissioner McGinn. Discussion was held. John Lee asked the definition of display firework. Mr. Bishop stated that a display fireworks is a firework that is fired from tubes, mortars, or airborne fireworks.

A vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously. See pages \_\_\_\_\_.

There being no further business the Vice-Chairman adjourned the meeting at 5:40 p.m.

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CHAIRMAN

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