RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UNION CITY AMENDING RESOLUTION NO. 2537-03 AND SUBSEQUENT RESOLUTIONS REGULATING THE USE OF STATE-APPROVED FIREWORKS

- **WHEREAS**, Chapter 15.20.140 of the Union City Municipal Code provides that "[t]he sales and use of safe and sane and/or State-Approved fireworks shall be in accordance with Union City Municipal Code and the Fireworks Regulations adopted by the City Council, Resolution No. 2537-03, as they may from time to time be amended;" and
- **WHEREAS,** the use of fireworks within the City presents a danger to public safety and is difficult to police; and
- **WHEREAS,** the City currently regulates the sale of safe and sane fireworks pursuant to Resolution No. 2537-03 (the "Resolution") as previously amended; and
- **WHEREAS**, certain provisions of the Resolution, as previously amended, are outdated and require clarification; and
- **WHEREAS**, City staff engaged in a detailed review of the Resolution, as previously amended, which led to the amendments to Resolution; and
- **WHEREAS**, the City desires to clarify the provisions in the Resolution, as previously amended, and revise existing provisions to reflect actual practice in the administration of the Fireworks Regulations and to modernize and more effectively administer the Fireworks Regulations; and
- **WHEREAS**, the amendments to the Fireworks Regulations are shown in <u>Exhibit A</u>, which is attached and incorporated herein by reference.
- **NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Union City does hereby approve the amendments to the Resolution, as previously amended, by amending the Fireworks Regulations as shown in attached <u>Exhibit A</u>, which is incorporated herein by reference.