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**EAGLE MOUNTAIN TO SUPPORT GOVERNOR HUNTSMAN'S FIREWORKS BAN
No Fireworks Allowed in City Limits**

Eagle Mountain, UT, July 20 – A fireworks ban will be implemented as of today within Eagle Mountain's city limits. The ban is in support of Governor Jon Huntsman's request for city governments to ban personal fireworks due to wildland fire dangers. This is of special concern to Eagle Mountain as the city continues to follow a water conservation plan following the breakdown of one of the city's wells a week ago.

In a letter to Mayor Don Richardson and City Administrator John Hendrickson, Eagle Mountain Fire Chief Rand Andrus also recommended a city-wide ban on fireworks due to the current conditions.

"With the amount of dry landscape, open space, record number of 100 degree days, and reduced water, I think it prudent to support Governor Huntsman and our Fire Chief Rand Andrus in this ban," said Mayor Richardson.