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Commissioners Court of Tyler County

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JACQUES L. BLANCHETTE County Judge

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STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TYLER

DONECE GREGORY County Clerk, Tyler County

ORDER PROHIBITING CERTAIN FIREWORKS IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF TYLER COUNTY, TEXAS

WHEREAS, the Texas Forest Service has determined that drought conditions exist in Tyler County; and

WHEREAS, on the 12th day of June, 2017, the Commissioners Court of Tyler County has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of Tyler County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of Tyler County adopts this Order prohibiting the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Tyler 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) (10-1-86 edition) or missiles with fins in any portion of the unincorporated areas of Tyler 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 knowlingly 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 Forest Service determines drought conditions no longer exist in the county or after July 4, whichever is earlier.

ADOPTED this the <u>12th</u> day of <u>June</u> , 2017 by the Tyler County Commissioners Court by a vote of ayes and nays.	
JACQUES L. BLANCHETTE	
County Judge, Tyler County	