ORDINANCE BILL NO. 5 FOR 1993 ORDINANCE NO. 1058

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SWEET HOME MUNICIPAL CODE CHAPTER 8.04 (ORDINANCE 665) PERTAINING TO NUISANCES; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

The City of Sweet Home does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Chapter 8.04 of the Sweet Home Municipal Code is amended by adding thereto Section 8.04.025 to read as follows:

8.04.025 Open Burning

No person shall burn household garbage, plastics, wire insulation, auto bodies, asphalt, petroleum products, rubber products, animal remains, food processing, cooking waste, tires, industrial waste, or any material that emits dense smoke or noxious odors. Burning of construction waste is allowed by permit only.

Open burning of dried brush, shrubs, leaves and tree trimmings is permitted at proper times on burn days in burn season, but any open burning that is a threat to public safety is prohibited. Burning other than at proper burn time on burn days can only be done by permit.

The Fire Chief or his designee is authorized to enforce this subsection under Chapter 9.36 of the Sweet Home Municipal Code pertaining to infractions and any abatement procedures. In addition to any other remedy, after requesting that a fire be extinguished by person(s) present, if any, the Fire Chief or the designee can proceed to extinguish the fire if his request is not complied with. The cost of said abatement shall be borne by the person in charge of the property as prescribed by this chapter with the Notice and Hearing being after said abatement.

Section 4. Emergency Clause. It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 8th day of June , 1993.

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ATTEST:

City Manager - Ex Officio City Recorder