

## PROHIBITION OF FIREWORKS IN SANDIA HEIGHTS PER BERNALILLO COUNTY ORDINANCE

Chapter 34 of the Bernalillo County Code – Fire Prevention and Protection

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Sec. 34-71. - Purpose.

The purpose is to adopt the 2009 edition of the International Fire Code regulating and governing the safe-guarding of life and property from fire and explosion hazards arising from the storage, handling and use of hazardous substances materials and devices, and from conditions hazardous to life or property in the occupancy of buildings in the County of Bernalillo; providing for the issuance of permits and collection of fees.

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Sec. 34-74. - Adoption of the International Fire Code.

The 2009 edition of the International Fire Code, including appendices A, B, C, D, F, G, H, I, J, and added appendices K, L, M, and N published by the International Fire Code Institute, being particularly the 2009 Edition is hereby adopted, save and except such portions as are deleted, modified or amended by this article.

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Sec. 34-76. - Amendments to the fire code.

The following adopts and amends the 2009 edition of the International Fire Code. The fire code is amended and changed in the following respects:

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*International Fire Code is hereby amended thereto by adding new Appendix M entitled "Wildland Urban Interface Requirements; Bernalillo County Wildland Urban Interface Code" to read as follows:*

*Appendix M  
Wildland Urban Interface Requirements  
Bernalillo County Wildland Urban Interface Code*

M101.1 Title. These regulations shall be known as the Wildland-Urban Interface Code of Bernalillo County, hereinafter referred to as "this code".

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M301.1 Declaration. The Wildland-urban interface areas within Bernalillo County are those areas East Tramway Boulevard to the west face of the Sandia Mountains and from San Antonio north to the Sandia Indian Reservation, East Mountain Area, north, south, and east to the County line, portions of the unincorporated areas to include the Rio Grande Bosque and Wildland areas extending 1,000 feet from the outer edge of the Bosque.

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M604.6 Fireworks. Fireworks shall not be used or possessed in Wildland-urban interface areas. The Fire Code Official is authorized to seize, take, remove, or cause to be removed fireworks in violation of this section.

**\*\* The Bernalillo County Code of Ordinances may be seen in its entirety by [clicking here](#).**