

ORDINANCE NO.

ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROCKLIN
ADDING CHAPTER 8.10 TO TITLE 8 OF THE ROCKLIN MUNICIPAL CODE
ESTABLISHING FIRE SAFE VEGETATION AND DEBRIS MANAGEMENT REGULATIONS

The City Council of the City of Rocklin does ordain as follows:

Section 1. Purpose. The purpose of this ordinance is to establish fire safe vegetation and debris management regulations to further increase protection from fire of residents and their property within the City of Rocklin.

Section 2. Authority. The City Council enacts this ordinance under the authority granted to cities by Article XI, Section 7 of the California Constitution and Government Code section 37100.

Section 3. Amendment to Code. Title 8 Health and Safety of the Rocklin Municipal Code is hereby amended to add a new Chapter 8.10 FIRE SAFE VEGETATION AND DEBRIS MANAGEMENT adopted to read as set forth in Exhibit "A", attached hereto and incorporated herein by such reference.

Section 4. Severability. If any section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase or portion of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional by the decision of any court of competent jurisdiction, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of the Ordinance. City Council hereby declares that it would have adopted the Ordinance and each section, sub-section, sentence, clause, phrase or portion thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, sub-sections, sentences, clauses, phrases or portions to be declared invalid or unconstitutional.

Section 5. Environmental Analysis. The City Council hereby finds that this ordinance is not subject to review under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to CEQA Guidelines sections 15060, subdivision (c)(2) (the activity will not result in a direct or reasonably foreseeable indirect physical change in the environment) and 15061, subdivision (b)(3) (there is no possibility the activity in question may have a significant effect on the environment).

Section 6. Effective Date. This ordinance shall take effect thirty (30) days after the day of its adoption.

Section 7. Publication. Within fifteen days of passage of this ordinance, the City Clerk shall cause the full text of the ordinance, with the names of those City Council members voting for and against the ordinance, to be published in the Placer Herald. In lieu of publishing the full text of the ordinance, the City Clerk, if so directed by the City Attorney and within fifteen days,

shall cause a summary of the ordinance, prepared by the City Attorney and with the names of the City Council members voting for and against the ordinance, to be published in the Placer Herald, and shall post in the office of the City Clerk a certified copy of the City Council members voting for and against the ordinance. The publication of a summary of the ordinance in lieu of the full text of the ordinance is authorized only where the requirements of Government Code section 36993 (c) (1) are met.

INTRODUCED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Rocklin held on May ____, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers:

NOES: Councilmembers:

ABSENT: Councilmembers:

ABSTAIN: Councilmembers:

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Rocklin held on May ____, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers:

NOES: Councilmembers:

ABSENT: Councilmembers:

ABSTAIN: Councilmembers:

Joe Patterson, Mayor

ATTEST:

Mona Forster, City Clerk

First Reading:

Second Reading:

Effective Date: