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May 20, 2020

David Tibbitt  
Ajo Gibson Volunteer Fire Department  
P.O. Box 909  
Ajo, AZ 85321

RE: Fireworks Display  
Applicant: Ajo Gibson Volunteer Fire Department  
Date: July 4, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.  
Location: 400 Taladro

Dear Mr. Tibbitt:

Notice is hereby given that the above-referenced application for a fireworks permit is scheduled to be heard before the Pima County Board of Supervisors on Tuesday, June 9, 2020, at approximately 9:00 a.m. or thereafter, to be held at the following location:

Pima County Administration Building  
Board of Supervisors Hearing Room  
130 W. Congress, 1st Floor  
Tucson, AZ 85701

If you have any questions pertaining to this matter, please contact this office at (520)724-8449.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Julie Castañeda", is written over a horizontal line.

Julie Castañeda  
Clerk of the Board

c: Sheriff's Department-Explosives Division  
Fireworks Productions of Arizona



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## PIMA COUNTY APPLICATION FOR FIREWORKS DISPLAY INSPECTION/PERMIT

Persons applying for a fireworks display permit in Pima County are required to undergo a display site inspection conducted by the Pima Regional Bomb Squad. This inspection is used to make a recommendation to the Board of Supervisors regarding the approval or denial of your permit. Inspectors will be checking for compliance with Pima County Code 9.04 and the National Fire Protection Association Code 1123: Code for Fireworks Display. The local fire district and or the state fire marshal may conduct an independent inspection which has the authority to override permit approval.

**NOTE:** The Display Operator and Site Manager should be selected as individuals with authority to supervise the event. These parties must be willing to accept civil/criminal responsibility for assuring compliance with provisions and safety regarding this display. A violation of Pima County Code 9.04 is a class 3 misdemeanor.

ORGANIZATION/APPLICANT: ASO - GIBSON Vol. Fire Dept.  
MAILING ADDRESS: P.O. Box 909 ASO, AZ 85321  
LOCATION/ADDRESS OF DISPLAY: Freepart Slag Dump  
SITE MANAGER: DAVID TIBBITT Phone #: 602-399-9382  
DATE AND TIME OF DISPLAY: July 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020 @ APPROX 18:00  
ALTERNATE DISPLAY DATE(S)/TIME\* July 5<sup>th</sup> to July 11<sup>th</sup> 2020  
\*(Alternate display date(s) must be within 7 days of the date selected above)  
PRODUCTION COMPANY: Fireworks Productions of Arizona  
DISPLAY OPERATOR: ASO - GIBSON Vol. F.D. Phone #: 602-399-9382

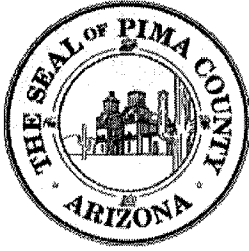
Submit this completed application to the **Pima County Clerk of the Board** with the following:

- ☐ Pima County Permit for Fireworks Display form completed with organization/display information
- ☐ Written shot sheet including display list and mortar diameters
- ☐ Site plan diagram including dimensions of display, location of discharge site, spectator area, parking area, fall-out area and associated distances per NFPA 1123 5.1.2.2.
- ☐ Evidence that all persons participating in the display have received training as required under NFPA 1123 8.1.3.3
- ☐ Evidence of insurance/bonding (Alternative display date(s) requested above must be listed on the Certificate of Liability Insurance.)

A Pima Regional Bomb Squad representative will contact you to schedule a site inspection.

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**PIMA COUNTY PERMIT FOR FIREWORKS DISPLAY**

ORGANIZATION: ASD-GIBSON Vol. Fire Dept.  
ADDRESS: 400 TALADRO / P.O. Box 909 Ajo, Az. 85321  
LOCATION OF DISPLAY: Freeport Slag Dump  
DATE AND TIME OF DISPLAY: July 4<sup>th</sup> 2020 @ Appx 18:00 hrs.  
ALTERNATIVE DISPLAY DATE(s)/TIME: July 5<sup>th</sup> to July 11<sup>th</sup> 2020  
PRODUCTION COMPANY: Fire Works Production of Arizona

Pursuant to Pima County Code 9.04.050, the Pima County Sheriff's Department has conducted a site inspection and recommends approval of the Permit for Fireworks Display. Conformance to the provisions on the attached *Pima County Fireworks Inspection Form* is required.

Jose L. Gonzalez 5-14-20  
Pima County Sheriff Constable

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The Pima County Board of Supervisors approves the Permit for Fireworks Display for the location, date and time, or alternative date(s) and time, specified above. In the event a fire emergency is declared, adherence to any restriction(s) set forth in that declaration is required.

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Chairman, Pima County Board of Supervisors

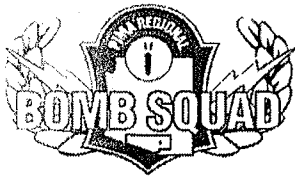
ATTEST

\_\_\_\_\_  
CLERK OF THE BOARD

This permit is not transferable or assignable, must have the executed *Pima County Fireworks Inspection Form* attached and must be available for inspection prior to, during and after the fireworks display.

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# PIMA REGIONAL BOMB SQUAD

Pima County Sheriff's Department

1750 E Benson Highway, Tucson, AZ 85714

"Leadership Through Teamwork"



## PIMA COUNTY FIREWORKS INSPECTION FORM

This inspection is being conducted pursuant to Pima County Code (PCC) 09.04.050. Its purpose is to assure compliance with NFPA 1123 and PCC 09.04.080. No permit will be recommended for approval unless the display meets the requirements of both standards; a person violating these provisions is guilty of a class three misdemeanor. The "Site Representative" and "Operator's Representative" signing this document assume criminal and civil responsibility for compliance with these provisions.

- YES ☒ NO ☐ DATE OF INSPECTION: 5-14-20
- ☒ ☐ Launch site is more than (200') two hundred feet from the nearest permanent building, public highway, railroad, or other means of travel. Building is defined as a facility intended for occupancy or inhabitation. (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Site plan submitted to inspecting authority (NFPA 1123 5.1.2.1)
- ☒ ☐ Site Plan includes dimensions of display, location of discharge site, spectator area, parking area, fall-out area, and associated distances (Attach Site Plan) (NFPA 1123 5.1.2.2)
- ☒ ☐ Minimum radius of display site equals 70 feet per inch shell diameter (NFPA 1123 5.1.3.1)
- ☐ ☒ Distance exemption required Reason: \_\_\_\_\_ (NFPA 1123 5.1.4.6)
- ☒ ☐ Launch site is more than (50') fifty feet from the nearest above ground telephone or telegraph line, tree or other overhead obstruction, or one hundred feet from a high-tension wire (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Launch site is more than five hundred feet from a school, theater, church, hospital, or similar institution (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Spectator site is more than (200') two hundred feet from the point at which the fireworks are to be discharged (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Only authorized persons and those in actual charge of the display shall be allowed inside these lines or barriers during the unloading, preparation, firing and clean-up period of fireworks (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Mortar rack set to be designed at as near vertical as possible (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Fireworks display will be stopped during any storm or wind in which the wind reaches a velocity of more than ten miles per hour (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ All fireworks, articles and items at places of display shall be stored in a manner and in a place secure from fire, accidental discharge, and theft or other potential hazards, and in a manner approved by the governmental agency having jurisdiction. Storage method: \_\_\_\_\_ (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Any fireworks that remain unfired after the display is concluded shall be immediately disposed of or removed in a manner safe for the particular type of fireworks (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Debris from the discharged fireworks will be properly disposed of by the operator before operator leaves the premises (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Upon conclusion of the display the operator shall make a complete and thorough search for any unfired fireworks or pieces which have failed to fire or function and shall dispose of them in a safe manner and contact the bomb squad for assistance if necessary (09.04.080)
- ☒ ☐ Fire department scheduled for standby. Fire agency and POC: \_\_\_\_\_ (NFPA 1123 8.1.1)
- ☒ ☐ Evidence of all site crew meeting NFPA training requirements provided (NFPA 1123 8.1.3.3)
- ☒ ☐ Display site meets crowd control requirements including the use of ropes, boundary lines and/or spotters (NFPA 1123 8.1.2)
- ☒ ☐ Operator will conduct display in compliance with the provisions set forth in NFPA 1123 and Pima County Code 9.04
- ☒ ☐ Permit approved by Sheriff's Department (09.04.050)

Jose L. Gonzalez  
Inspector JOSE GONZALEZ  
Pima County Constable

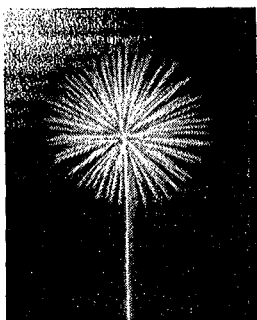
David T. Bitt  
Site Representative  
DAVID T. BITT  
Fire Chief

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Operator's Representative  
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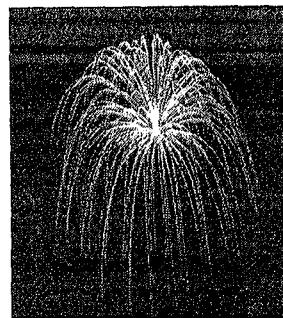
EXHIBIT A



**AJO FIRE DEPARTMENT**

**Saturday, July 4, 2020**

**Total Aerial Effects 265**



**Set Piece:**

1 – 4' x 8' American Flag

**Opening:**

*Your show begins with an impressive series of powerful booms and flashing white light to excite and thrill the audience.*

1 - 3" Titanium Salutes

**Aerial Display:**

*A large assortment of brilliantly-colored shells, including Chrysanthemums, Rings, Various Shapes, Waves, Crowns, Peonies, Strobes, Rings, Brocade Crowns, Diadems, and Crossettes in gorgeous Reds, Yellows, Blues, Greens, Silvers, and Golds.*

Your Aerial Display will contain a total of 226 Aerial shells.

- 3" - **10** Titanium Salutes
- 3" - **108** Chinese Fancy's & Specials
- 4" - **72** Chinese Fancy's & Specials
- 5" - **20** Chinese Fancy's & Specials
- 6" - **12** Chinese Fancy's & Specials
- 8" - **4** Chinese Fancy's & Specials

**GRANDE FINALE:**

*Your celebration will close in spectacular excitement as multiple styles of brilliantly-colored shells, rocket skyward growing and glowing in breath-taking Blues, Golds, Greens, Silvers, Yellows, Purples and Red.*

Your Grande Finale consists of 38 Aerial shells:

Your Grande Finale: 28 - 3" shells, 8 - 4" shells and 2 - 6" shells.

*Designed for Ajo Fire Department by: Fireworks Productions of Arizona*

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Carrier Code 35117

**CopperPoint Casualty Insurance Company**

3030 N. 3<sup>rd</sup> Street | Phoenix, Arizona 85012-3039

Policy No: 1012080

**WORKERS COMPENSATION AND EMPLOYERS LIABILITY INSURANCE POLICY**

Type of Ownership: Non or not for profit corp.

Item 2 Policy Period, From: **01/01/2020** To: **01/01/2021**  
12:01 AM Standard Time at your mailing address.

Item 3 A. Workers Compensation Insurance: Part One of the policy applies to the Workers Compensation Law of the state(s) listed here: **AZ**

B. Employers Liability Insurance: Part Two of the policy applies to work in each state listed in Item 3.A.

The limits of our liability under Part Two are:

Bodily Injury by Accident	\$ 100,000	each accident
Bodily Injury by Disease	\$ 100,000	each employee
Bodily Injury by Disease	\$ 500,000	policy limit

C. Other States Insurance: Part three of the policy per the Terms of the Limited Others States Insurance Endorsement

D. This policy includes these endorsements and schedules:

See Item 4, below, for other workplaces not shown above. THE COMPANY RESERVES THE RIGHT TO EXCLUDE COVERAGE UNDER PART TWO FOR REJECTORS.

Item 4 Classification of Operations	Class Code	The premium for this policy will be determined by our manual of rules, classifications, rates and rating plans. All information required below is subject to verification and change by audit.	PREMIUM BASIS Estimated Total Annual Remuneration	RATES Rate per \$100 of Payroll	ESTIMATED ANNUAL PREMIUM
<b>ARIZONA</b>					
<b>1</b>	<b>400</b>	<b>TALADRO RD, AJO, AZ 85321</b>			
<b>01/01/2020 - 01/01/2021</b>					
	<b>8411</b>	<b>VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS</b>	<b>\$235,844</b>	<b>1.81</b>	<b>\$4,269</b>
		Manual Premium			<b>\$4,269</b>
	<b>9898</b>	<b>Experience Modification</b>	<b>\$4,269</b>	<b>0.96</b>	<b>(\$171)</b>
	<b>9740</b>	<b>Terrorism</b>	<b>\$235,844</b>	<b>0.0135</b>	<b>\$32</b>
	<b>9741</b>	<b>Catastrophe (other than Certified Acts of Terrorism)</b>	<b>\$235,844</b>	<b>0.0135</b>	<b>\$32</b>
	<b>0900</b>	<b>Expense Constant</b>	<b>\$1</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>\$160</b>
		<b>ARIZONA Total Premium</b>			<b>\$4,322</b>

\* THIS IS NOT A BILLING \*

If indicated, interim adjustments of premium shall be made: **Installment Plan - 4 Pay, 35% Down**

Minimum Premium: **\$374**

First Payment Premium: **\$1,616.70**

Total Estimated Annual Premium: **\$4,322**

Endorsement Numbers: Refer to Endorsement WC 89 06 14

Effective Date: **01/01/2020**

Experience Modification Factor: **0.96**

Expires: **01/01/2021**

Countersigned: **December 10**

**20 19**



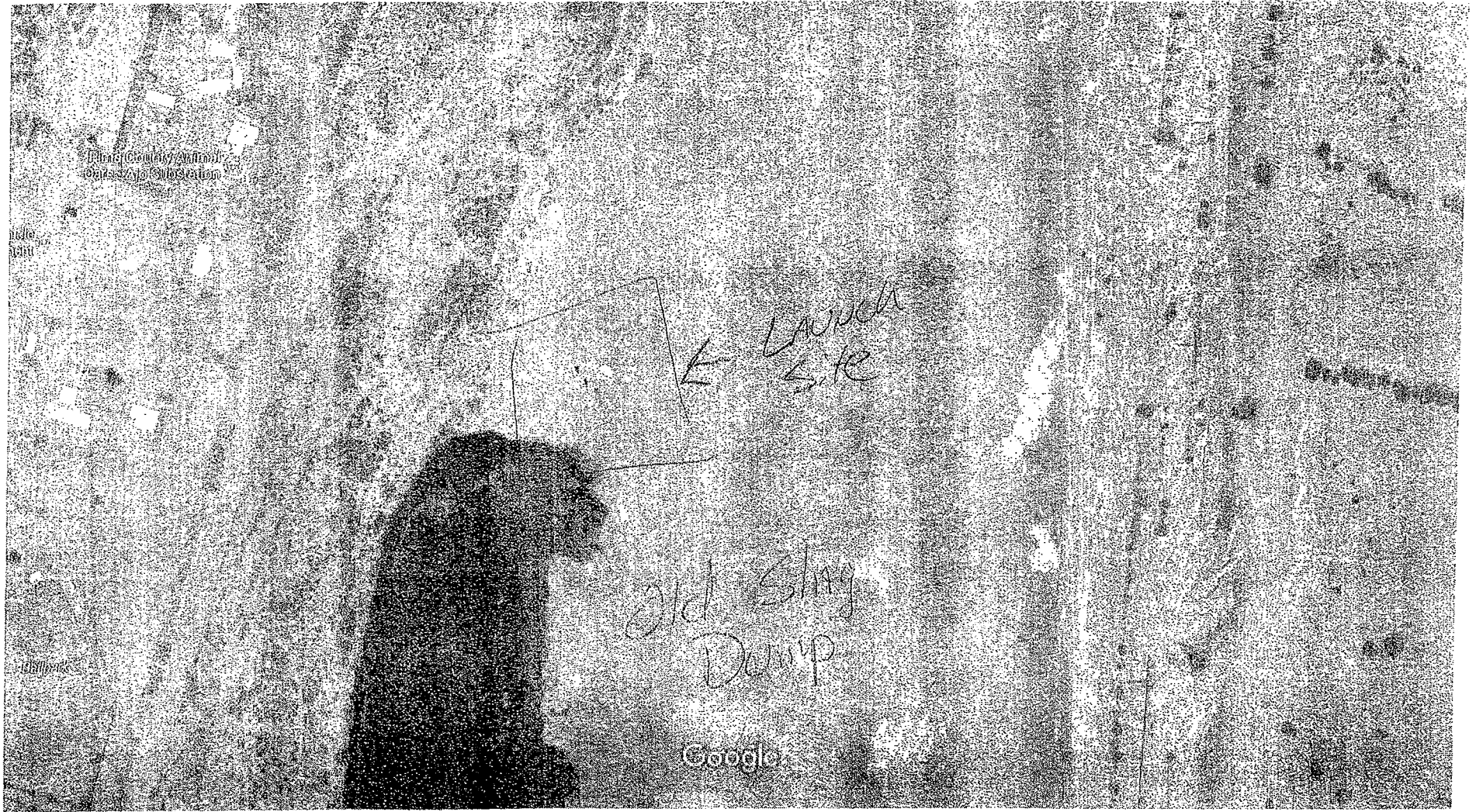
PRESIDENT



AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE

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**Ajo-Gibson Volunteer Fire Department**  
**PO Box 909**  
**Ajo, AZ 85321**

May 14th, 2020

Chief  
David Tibbitt

To Whom it may concern:

Captain  
Mark Coyle

All Ajo/Gibson Volunteer Fire Department firefighters have been through the Shooter School that is put on in April of every year by FireWorks Production of Arizona in Mesa Arizona. If anyone has any question please feel free to contact me on my cell phone @ 602-399-9382.

Secretary  
Katie Allen

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Thanks  
Chief David Tibbitt.

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