BYLAW NO. 1517-A of the TOWN OF PINCHER CREEK

A BYLAW OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE TOWN OF PINCHER CREEK, IN THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA, FOR THE PURPOSE OF AMENDING BYLAW #1517, ESTABLISHING REGULATIONS FOR FIRE AND AMBULANCE SERVICES IN THE TOWN OF PINCHER CREEK.

WHEREAS Section 7(a) of the Municipal Government Act. Chapter M-26.1. R.S.A. 1994 and amendments thereto. provides that a Council of a Municipality may pass bylaws for the safety, health and welfare of people and the protection of people and property;

NOW THEREFORE the Council of the Municipality of the Town of Pincher Creek hereby enacts as follows:

- 1. That Bylaw #1517 be amended as follows
 - a. <u>Under "Definitions", add the following:</u>
 - "o. Fireworks means fireworks as defined in the Alberta Fire Code.
 - p. High Hazard Fireworks means high hazard fireworks as defined in the Alberta Fire Code."
 - q. Low Hazard Fireworks means low hazard fireworks as defined in the Alberta Fire Code."
 - b. Add the following new clause:

"PROHIBITIONS - FIREWORKS

- 47. No person shall offer for sale, purchase or ignite any low hazard fireworks within the corporate limits of the Town of Pincher Creek.
- 48. No person shall ignite any of the following without a permit issued by the Fire Chief or his/her designate:
 - (a) Open air fire
 - (b) High hazard fireworks
 - (c) A fire within a fire pit
- 49. Any permit issued for the ignition of High Hazard Fireworks shall only be issued to an individual who holds a valid "Fireworks Supervisors Certification" from Industry Canada.
- 50. All applicable provisions of the Alberta Fire Code related to the ignition and discharge of High Hazard Fireworks shall be considered part of this bylaw.

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- 51. The Fire Chief or his/her designate shall retain the right to place any conditions, upon a permit issued for the ignition of High Hazard Fireworks, that he/she deems reasonable to ensure that concerns for life and property safety are addressed.
- 52. The Fire Chief or his/her designate may cancel any permit issued for the ignition of High Hazard Fireworks in the interests of life and property safety."

TRANSITIONAL CLAUSE

2. Bylaw #1364-A and amendments thereto are hereby repealed.

EFFECTIVE DATE

3. This bylaw comes into force and effect upon final reading thereof.

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