



**Ordinance No. 2021-13**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING TITLE 6, CHAPTER 3 - NOISE, OF THE MUNICIPAL CODE OF PARK CITY, UTAH**

WHEREAS, the livability and viability of Park City, its residents, businesses, and guests is a high priority; and

WHEREAS, Park City has a direct interest in protecting the health, economy, and natural environment of our community by addressing noise pollution while at the same time balancing residential and commercial interests; and

WHEREAS, residential complaints regarding noise pollution are often in conflict with adjacent commercial interests; and WHEREAS, members of the City Council find it in the best interest of the public to clarify the Municipal Code from time to time and specifically in this instance to realistically promote best practices by minimizing conflicts in neighboring commercial and residential zones.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PARK CITY, UTAH THAT:

**Section I.** Amendments. Title 6 Chapter 3 of the Municipal Code of Park City is hereby amended to include the following:

**6- 3-10. EXEMPTIONS.**

The following uses and activities shall be exempt from noise level regulations:

- (A) Noise of safety signals, warning devices, and emergency pressure relief valves;
- (B) Noise resulting from any authorized emergency vehicle when responding to an emergency call or in time of an emergency;
- (C) Noise resulting from emergency work;
- (D) Noise resulting from lawful fireworks and noisemakers used for celebration of an official holiday;
- (E) Any noise resulting from activities of temporary nature during periods permitted by law for which a license or permit has been approved in accordance with Section 6-3-11;

- (F) Any noise resulting from snowmaking activities at ski areas; and
- (G) Any noise resulting from the maintenance of golf courses.
- (H) Any noise resulting from snow plowing or removal services.
- (I) Ten o'clock whistle.

~~(J) Noise resulting from a duly licensed and operated Public Outdoor Music Plaza pursuant to Title 4 of the Municipal Code of Park City.~~

~~(K) Noise resulting from the operation of a permitted and approved Heating, Ventilation, and Air Conditioning (HVAC) system, including central air conditioning units, evaporative coolers, or window cooling units, regardless of the time or frequency of operation, provided the system is in good repair and operating within manufacturer's specifications.~~

**Section II.** Severability. If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, phrase, or portion of this ordinance is, for any reason, held invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent jurisdiction, such provision shall be deemed a separate, distinct, and independent provision, and such holding shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

**Section III.** Conflict with Existing Ordinances, Resolutions, or Policies. To the extent that any ordinances, resolutions, or policies of Park City Municipal Corporation conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, this ordinance shall prevail.

**Section IV.** Effective Date. This ordinance shall become effective upon publication.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE PARK CITY COUNCIL this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2021.

PARK CITY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION

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