

**A MAYORAL PROCLAMATION DECLARING THAT CONDITIONS OF EXTREME FIRE HAZARD NO LONGER EXIST WITHIN THE TOWN OF BRECKENRIDGE; AND ENDING THE EMERGENCY FIRE RESTRICTIONS IMPOSED BY THAT PROCLAMATION ISSUED AUGUST 7, 2018 BY THE MAYOR PRO TEM**

**Background and Need**

On August 7, 2018 Elizabeth Lawrence, Mayor Pro Tem, issued a Proclamation entitled “A Second Amended Proclamation Declaring That Conditions Of Extreme Fire Hazard Continue To Exist Within The Town Of Breckenridge; Repealing Fire Restrictions Previously Imposed Within The Town; And Imposing New, Less Restrictive Temporary Restrictions Within The Town To Reduce The Chance Of Wildfire” (“**Second Amended Proclamation**”). The Second Amended Proclamation declared a Fire Hazard Emergency continued within the Town, and imposed new, less restrictive temporary fire restrictions. The Second Amended Proclamation provided that the fire restrictions would continue in effect until the Mayor finds and declares that conditions of fire hazard no longer exist within the Town.

I have been informed by the Police Chief and other emergency management personnel that recent rainfall has greatly reduced the threat of a wildfire within the Town, and that the fire restrictions imposed by the Second Amended Proclamation are no longer needed to protect public health, safety, and welfare.

The Board of County Commissioners of Summit County, Colorado have also recently ended their “Stage 1 Fire Restrictions” in the unincorporated areas of the county. Such action is further evidence that it is no longer necessary for fire restrictions to be imposed within the Town, over and above those permanent restrictions on open burning set forth in Chapter 5 of Title 5 of the Breckenridge Town Code.

**Finding**

I find and determine that conditions of extreme fire hazard no longer exist within the Town of Breckenridge.

**Proclamation**

Now, Therefore, I, Eric S. Mamula, Mayor of the Town of Breckenridge, Colorado declare as follows:

**Section 1. Proclamation That The Fire Hazard Emergency Has Ended.** The fire hazard emergency within the Town of Breckenridge, Colorado, as declared by the Second Amended Proclamation, is found and determined to no longer exist.

**Section 2. Fire Restrictions Terminated.** The fire restrictions imposed by the Second Amended Proclamation are repealed, and are no longer of any force or effect.

**Section 3. Effect of Repeal of Second Amended Proclamation.** The repeal of the Second Amended Proclamation does not affect or prevent the prosecution or punishment of any person for any act done or committed in violation of the Second Amended Proclamation prior to this Proclamation taking effect.

**Section 4. Effective Date and Time.** This Proclamation is issued and is effective this 5th day of September, 2018 at 8:30 o'clock A. M.

TOWN OF BRECKENRIDGE

By \_\_\_\_\_/s/\_\_\_\_\_  
Eric S. Mamula, Mayor

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_/s/\_\_\_\_\_  
Helen Cospolich, CMC, Town Clerk