

**THE SHOSHONE-PAIUTE TRIBES  
OF THE DUCK VALLEY INDIAN RESERVATION**

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**OFFICE OF THE TRIBAL CHAIRMAN**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER - No. 2020-01, Amendment 1**

**RE: PUBLIC SAFETY: *Stay Home, Stay Safe Order & Curfew Order***

WHEREAS, the Shoshone Paiute Tribes of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation is a Federally recognized Indian tribe as defined under the Indian Reorganization Act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. 984), as amended; and

WHEREAS, the Shoshone Paiute Business Council is the governing body of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes and has the authority, among other things: (1) "to safeguard and promote the peace, safety, morals and general welfare of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes..."; and (2) "to promulgate and enforce ordinances, which shall be subject to review by the Secretary of Interior, governing the conduct of Members of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes and providing for the maintenance of law and order and the administration of justice..."; and

WHEREAS, the health and safety of all Duck Valley residents is of the greatest priority to the Business Council of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes, who are a Sovereign Nation; and

WHEREAS, due to the global coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, Executive Order 2020-01 was placed into effect on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020 for public safety and was titled as the Stay Home, Stay Safe and Curfew Order; and

WHEREAS, since that time, the Business Council has been working diligently to rapidly respond to and effectively prepare for the presence of COVID-19 on the Reservation; as well as, proactively taking additional precautions to attempt to slow or possibly even stop the spread of this dangerous virus from entering our lands; which, has placed a great strain on all of us due to the restrictions, changes and protective measures that have come with these unprecedented times; and

WHEREAS, the 4<sup>th</sup> of July has historically been a time for the Shoshone Paiute People to gather, socialize and celebrate in a variety of ways and the Business Council realizes there is a great need for us all to enjoy a moment of happiness, therefore, the Business Council has authorized the Sho-Pai Fire Department to proceed with the 2020 Fireworks Show for an opportunity for people to gather in good spirits and to try to ease some of the tensions of being confined to residences; and

WHEREAS, all attendees of the 2020 Firework Show shall stay within the vicinity of their own vehicles, while practicing social distancing, wearing Personal Protective Equipment and following all procedures being communicated by the Emergency Operations Center Staff or by BIA Law Enforcement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the By-Laws of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes, Article 1, Section 1 & 2, which states that the Chairman shall exercise any authority delegated to him by the Business Council; and, by virtue of the authority vested in me, through the concurrence of the Business Council, and by Resolution Number 2020-SPR-057, adopted on March 25, 2020, I, Colin Thomas, Chairman of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes, do hereby proclaim and declare:

That, on Saturday, July 4, 2020, the following amendments to Public Safety Order shall be in effect:

**SECTION 1: STAY HOME, STAY SAFE**

**Section 1 (b)**

Those leaving their homes or places of residence, specifically for the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Firework Show, may do so with more than two (2) persons to a vehicle, so long as those individuals within the vehicle are from the same household.

**Section 2**

This amended order shall be in effect only on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2020.

**SECTION 2: CURFEW**

**Section 1**

All individuals within the exterior boundaries of the Duck Valley Indian Reservation, are hereby ordered to adhere to a curfew between the hours of 12 AM and 6 AM.

**Section 3**

This order shall be in effect, only on the night of July 4<sup>th</sup> and early morning of July 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

FURTHER, all other sections of Executive Order 2020-01 remain in effect throughout the duration of this amendment and thereafter.

FINALLY, upon the expiration of this aforementioned Executive Order 2020-01 amendment, the original version of Executive Order 2020-01 once again becomes in full force and effect until it is further amended or rescinded.

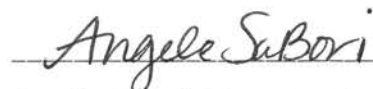
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I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the Shoshone Paiute Tribes, at the Tribal Headquarters, in Owyhee, Nevada, on this 4<sup>th</sup> day of July, in the year of two thousand and twenty.



Colin Thomas, Chairman, Shoshone Paiute Tribes

ATTEST:



Angele SaBori, Executive Secretary/Executive Assistant

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