ORDINANCE NO. 773

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTIONS 7-303 AND 7-304 OF THE CITY CODE OF THE CITY OF SOLOMON, KANSAS PERTAINING TO THE DISCHARGE AND SALE OF FIREWORKS WITHIN THE CITY LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SOLOMON, KANSAS.

BE IT ORDAINED, BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF SOLOMON, KANSAS:

SECTION ONE. Section 7-303 of the City Code of the City of Solomon, Kansas is hereby amended to read as follows:

7-303. Same: exceptions; discharge.

- (a) Section 7-302 of this article shall not apply to the firing or discharge of fireworks in the city between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. on July 1st through July 4th; provided, however, that if July 4th falls on a Thursday or Friday, the firing or discharge shall also be permitted through the immediately following Saturday.
- (b) The governing body of the city may, in its discretion, grant permission at any time for the public display of fireworks by responsible individuals or organizations when such display or displays shall be of such a character and so located, discharged and fired as shall not be a fire hazard or endanger persons or surrounding property.
- (c) It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to give any public display of fireworks without having first obtained a permit thereof.
- (d) The governing body reserves the right to ban the discharge of fireworks when any condition exists which they determine is hazardous.

SECTION TWO. Section 7-304 of the City Code of the City of Solomon, Kansas is hereby amended to read as follows:

7-304. Same: exceptions; sale of fireworks.

Any person who has first obtained a valid permit to sell fireworks within the city may do so between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 12:00 midnight commencing June 27th through July 4th of each year; provided, however, that if July 4th falls on a Thursday or Friday, the sale of fireworks shall also be permitted through July 5th.

SECTION THREE. Existing Sections 7-303 and 7-304 are hereby repealed.

SECTION FOUR. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption and publication once in the official city newspaper by the following summary:

Ordinance No. <u>773</u> Summary

On June 11, 2025, the City Council passed Ordinance No. <u>773</u>. The ordinance amends Sections 7-303 and 7-304 of the City Code of the City of Solomon, Kansas pertaining to the discharge and sale of fireworks within the City of Solomon, Kansas. A complete copy of the ordinance is available online at <u>www.solomon-ks.com</u> or in the office of the City Clerk, 116 W. Main, in Solomon, Kansas, free of charge. This summary is certified by the City's legal counsel.

APPROVED AND PASSED by the City Council of the City of Solomon, Kansas, this 11th day of June, 2025

Brandy Gray, Mayor

(SEAL)

ATTEST:

Andrea McCook, City Clerk

The publication summary set forth above is certified this 11th day of June, 2025.

Aaron O. Martin, Legal Counsel