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SUBJECT: City of Salinas Announces Qualified 2021 Fireworks Sales Booth Applicants

The Salinas Fire Department has completed reviews of 35 applications to enter the fireworks sales booth lottery that will be held on March 18, 2021 at 1:00 PM in the City Hall Rotunda, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Salinas 93901. The following applicants have qualified for the drawing:

High School:

Alisal High School
Everett Alvarez High School
Mount Toro High School
North Salinas High School

Notre Dame High School
Palma High School
Salinas High School
Rancho San Juan Booster Club

Schools:

Natividad Elementary
El Gabilan Elementary
Loma Vista Elementary
Los Padres Elementary School

Monterey Park Elementary
Sacred Heart Elementary
Sherwood Elementary

Youth Organization:

Alvarez Titan Youth
Dance Arts Boosters Inc
Gil Basketball Academy
Peacock Acres
Salinas Colts and Broncos

Salinas Salad Bowl Bobby Sox
Salinas Valley Pony Baseball
Salinas Valley Youth Soccer League
Valley Health Associates

Community Organizations:

730 Squad Club
Confidence Pregnancy Center

Fiesta Salinas
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Religious, Fraternal, Service Organization:

First Apostolic Church of Salinas
Kinship Support Unlimited

Salinas Upper Room
St. Pauls Episopal Church

Salinas Battalion Chief and Fire Marshal Samuel Klemek stated, “The City will select from among the qualified applicants using a lottery draw. Out of the 18 fireworks stands allowed, up to 12 will be for schools or school organizations.” Priority will be given to:

- (1) Schools or school organizations, with preference to high schools
- (2) Youth sports and activities
- (3) Community Organizations, and
- (4) Religious and fraternal, service and veterans’ organizations.

Mayor Kimbley Craig said, “We enjoy working with our non-profit partners in celebrating our independence. This provides them with an opportunity to fundraise for their valuable youth programs. We further ask that all of our residents be considerate of their neighbors and pets and use only legal fireworks at a reasonable hour.”