

ORDINANCE NO. _____

An ordinance amending Section 63.44.P. of Article 3, Chapter VI of the Los Angeles Municipal Code to add certain fire danger ratings as a criteria for the prohibition on lighting, igniting, setting fire to, or burning any substance, or maintaining an open flame at parks located in high fire hazard zones.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES
DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1. Section 63.44.P. of Article 3, Chapter VI of the Los Angeles Municipal Code is amended so that the first sentence in Subsection P. before Subparagraph 1. reads as follows:

P. Within the limit of any park designated by this subsection as being in a high fire hazard zone, and between April 1 and November 1 of each year and on any other day on which the fire danger is rated as "Very High" or "Extreme" by the Los Angeles Fire Department using the daily "Burning Index" calculation, or any successor formula utilized by the Fire Department:

Sec. 2. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and have it published in accordance with Council policy, either in a daily newspaper circulated in the City of Los Angeles or by posting for ten days in three public places in the City of Los Angeles: one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall; one copy on the bulletin board located at the Main Street entrance to the Los Angeles City Hall East; and one copy on the bulletin board located at the Temple Street entrance to the Los Angeles County Hall of Records.

Approved as to Form and Legality

HYDEE FELDSTEIN SOTO, City Attorney

By 
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Assistant City Attorney

Date 7/31/2026

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The Clerk of the City of Los Angeles hereby certifies that the foregoing ordinance was passed by the Council of the City of Los Angeles.

CITY CLERK

MAYOR

Ordinance Passed _____

Approved _____