## Town of Edgewood Resolution 2003- 05

## Requesting the participation of the Citizens of Edgewood in respecting the Santa Fe County Fire Marshall's ban on the use of fireworks and open fires in the Town of Edgewood limits.

**WHEREAS,** the fire danger is the most severe it has been in many years in the Town of Edgewood and surrounding jurisdictions; and

**WHEREAS**, the risk to life, property and the environment clearly exists within the Town of Edgewood and surrounding areas, due to the severe drought conditions; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Edgewood has adopted the 1997 Uniform Fire Code and appendices, particularly II-A pertaining to control of hazardous Fire Areas; and

**WHEREAS,** the 4<sup>th</sup> of July weekend is approaching and fireworks are a tradition for that holiday; and

**WHEREAS**, fireworks are another source of ignition in the severe dry, drought conditions that the Town of Edgewood is experiencing; and

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED** by the Mayor and Council of the Town of Edgewood that the Santa Fe County Fire Marshall's ban is to be respected by all of the Citizens of Edgewood.

**ADOPTED AND APPROVED** by the Council of the Town of Edgewood this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 2003

Howard Calkins, Mayor

ATTEST.

Karen Alarid, CMC Clerk/Treasurer