

Re: The Vote on Fireworks

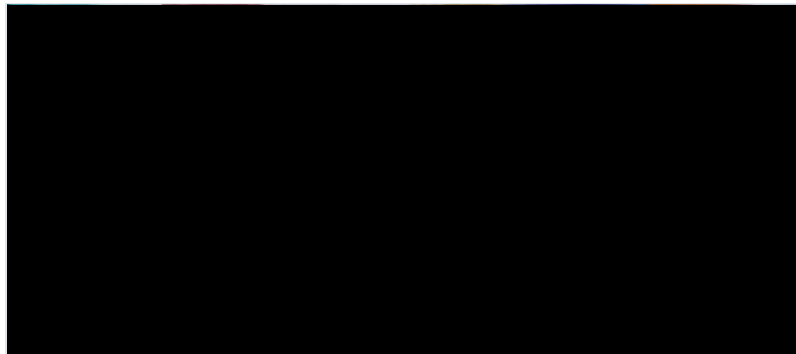
London had a poll on whether to ban backyard fireworks or not. But our city needs to think outside the box. There are other alternatives to allowing the untenable current situation to continue or curtailing people's enjoyment of our holidays.

Here is an informative link to the harm noisy fireworks cause and how cities in Canada are starting to convert to quieter options.

<https://www.cbc.ca/.../greener-alternatives-to-fireworks...>

Another option is to limit the sale of fireworks to those that do not make extremely loud noises. This may be the best alternative as a start.

<https://www.skybaconfireworks.com/.../5-low-noise...>



5 Low-Noise Fireworks

Quiet, silent, or low-noise fireworks you'll actually enjoy without disturbing your neighbors.

I realize that the thought of curtailing the celebration of our holidays is infuriating many people. However, we now know the harm these fireworks cause to pets and wildlife and to people with PTSD and others, and, in a reasonable, caring society, this cannot be allowed to continue. The above are excellent compromises.

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