

Senate Bill 4 (2021)

Clark County, Nevada

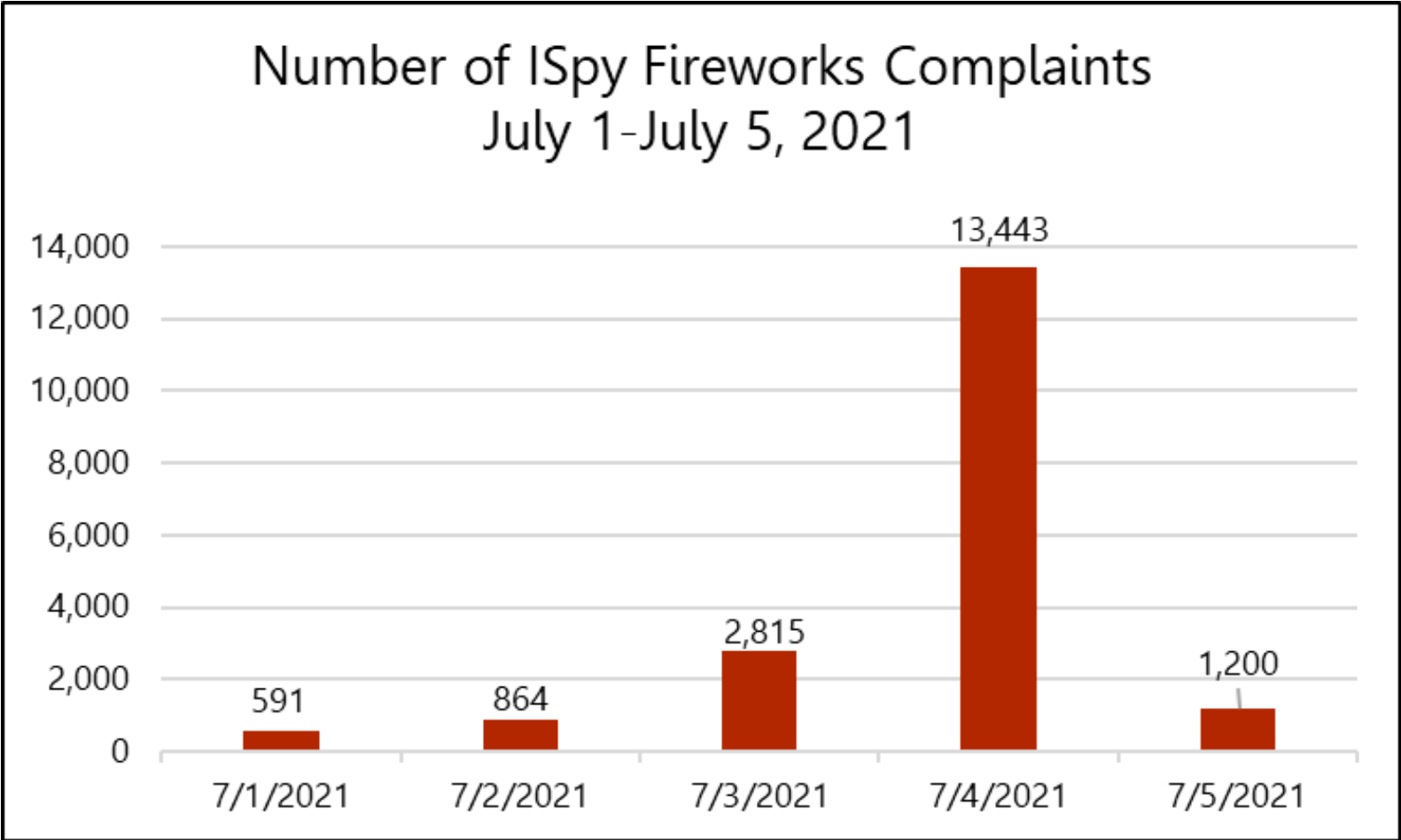


SB4: Overview



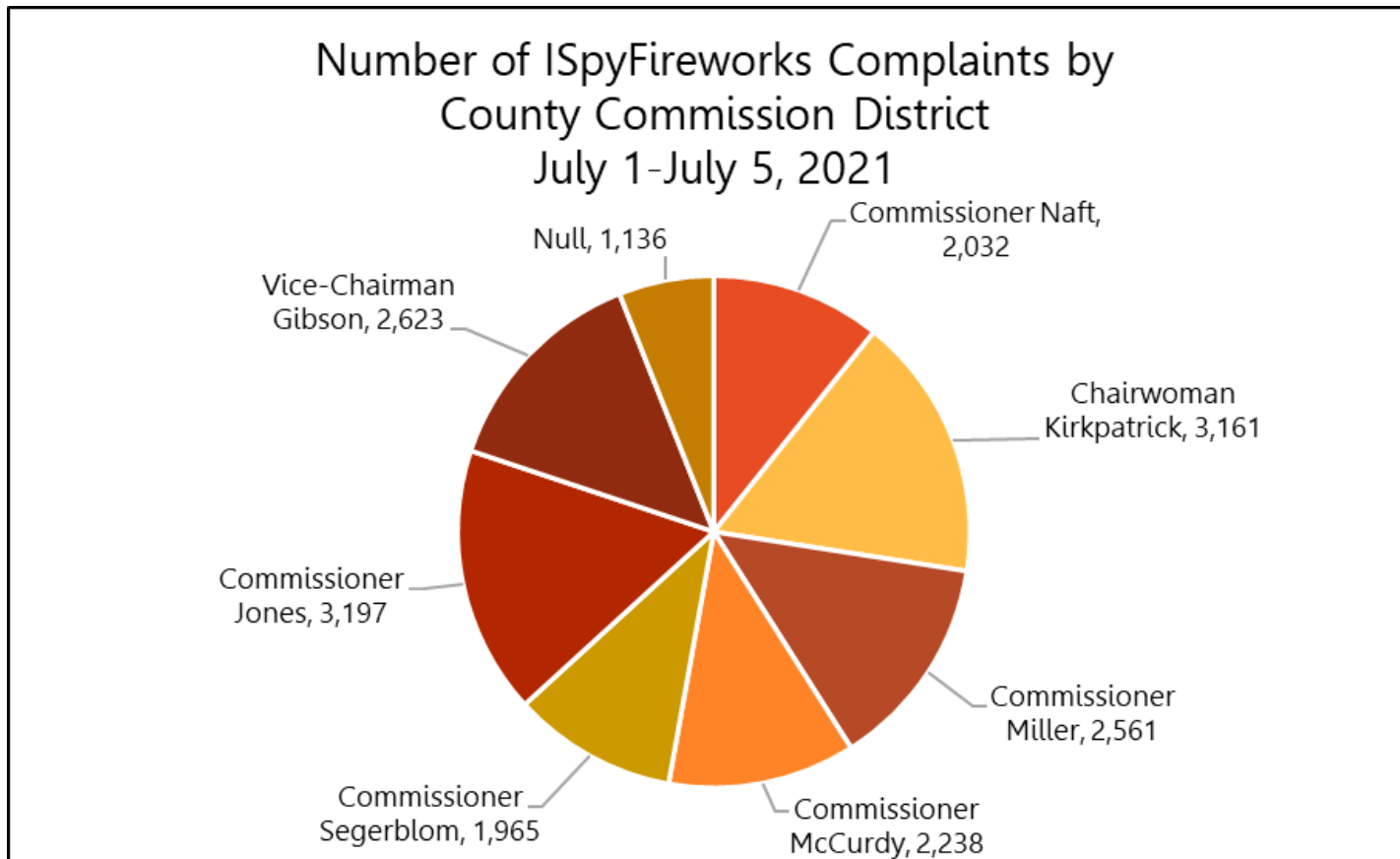
- SB4 authorizes higher civil fines for counties for violations of ordinances regulating fireworks ranging from \$250 to \$10,000 based on weight of the fireworks.
- Minors and licensed/permitted activities are exempted from the fines.
- Ordinance must establish factors for determining the severity of any civil or criminal penalty that take into account the number and severity of any prior violations.

ISpyFireworks Data: July 1-July 5, 2021



Total Number of Complaints Submitted:
18,913

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Penalties Authorized



- \$250 minimum up to \$1,000 for a violation **involving less than 100 pounds** of fireworks.
- \$1,000 minimum up to \$5,000 for a violation involving **100 pounds to 5,000 pounds** in gross weight of fireworks, including packaging.
- \$5,000 minimum up to \$10,000 for a violation involving **more than 5,000 pounds** in gross weight of fireworks, including packaging.

100 pounds: Oakland, CA PD



1,000 pounds: Pomona, CA PD



Chief Michael Ellis  @EllisPPD · Jun 18, 2020

We've received A LOT of complaints about illegal fireworks already, and it's only mid-June. Our officers are out conducting enforcement and today they took 1,000 pounds from a single individual. He was cited into court and the fireworks will be destroyed by [@LACoFDDiv8](#)



5000+ pounds: Long Beach, CA PD



Long Beach police confiscated over 5,000 pounds of illegal fireworks along with illegal firearms on Friday, Dec. 11, 2020. Photo taken from LBPD via Twitter.

SB4: Next Steps

- Staff requesting Board input on approach to ordinance and desired effective date.