

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 210: OFFENSES, SECTION 210.2340: FIREWORKS, SPECIFICALLY SUBSECTION Z, ALLOWING FOR THE USE OF FIREWORKS IN THE CITY OF TROY, MISSOURI UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES

WHEREAS, the City of Troy, Missouri has made provisions in its Code of Ordinances relating to the sale and use of fireworks in the City of Troy, Missouri;

WHEREAS, the Board of Alderman seek to amend Section 210.2340 to allow usage of fireworks by individuals in the City limits on July 4;

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen seek to amend Section 210.2340, subsection Z, to remove the limitations, application, and permitting for usage in non "R" zoned areas in the City limits;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF TROY, MISSOURI, AS FOLLOWS:

**SECTION 1.** Chapter 210: Offenses, Section 210.2340, Subsection Z is hereby amended in its entirety as follows:

Z. Use of Fireworks in City Limits.

1. Except as is otherwise provided under Section 210.2340, subsection Z, it shall be illegal for any person to use, discharge, set off, ignite, or fire fireworks within the City limits of the City of Troy, Missouri.
2. Allowed Usage of Fireworks: A person may use, discharge, set off, ignite, or fire fireworks within the City limits of the City of Troy, Missouri on **July 4** of each calendar year between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 p.m. Any person who may use, discharge, set off, ignite, or fire fireworks shall be responsible for the safe and responsible usage, discharge, setting off, ignition, or firing of such fireworks and any damages caused by such fireworks, as provided in Section 210.2340, subsection AB below.

**SECTION 2.** Conflicts: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed, but shall otherwise remain in full force and effect.

**SECTION 3.** Severability Clause: If any term, condition, or provision of this Ordinance shall, to any extent, be held to be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder hereof shall be valid in all other respects and continue to be effective and each and every remaining provision hereof shall be valid and shall be enforced to the fullest extent permitted by law, it being the intent of the Board of Aldermen that it would have enacted this Ordinance without the invalid or unenforceable provisions. In the event of a subsequent change in applicable law so that the provision which had been held invalid is no longer invalid, said provision shall thereupon return to full force and effect without further action by the City and shall thereafter be binding.


**SECTION 4:** Effective Date: This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect after its passage and approval, as provided by law.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 22nd DAY OF June, 2023.

CITY OF TROY

By:   
Ron Sconce, Mayor

Attest:

  
Tonya Hawkins, City Clerk

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: **June 22, 2023**

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: **June 22, 2023**