

CITY OF LACEY

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS ON SALE OF FIREWORKS.

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

WHEREAS, it appearing to the City Council of the City of Lacey that Chapter 228 of the Laws of 1961 of the State of Washington curtailed and restricted the sale of fireworks in the State of Washington, and it appearing that it is for the best interest of the City of Lacey that an ordinance be enacted in conformity therewith, now, therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Lacey as follows:

Section 1. "Fireworks" as used herein shall have the same definition as Section 2, Chapter 228, Laws of 1961, of the State of Washington.

Section 2. "Dangerous Fireworks" as used herein shall have the same definition as given by Section 3, Chapter 228, Laws of 1961, of the State of Washington.

Section 3. "Safe and sane fireworks" as used herein shall have the same definition as Section 4, Chapter 228, Laws of 1961, of the State of Washington.

Section 4. No fireworks shall be sold in the City of Lacey at any time except as herein provided.

Section 5. Safe and sane fireworks may be sold in the City of Lacey only from twelve o'clock noon on the 28th day of June to twelve o'clock noon on the 6th day of July of each year, and the type of safe and sane fireworks shall be governed by Section 57, Chapter 228, Laws of 1961, of the State of Washington.

Section 6. The sale of any other fireworks shall be governed by Chapter 228, Laws of 1961, of the State of Washington.

Section 7. Toy pistols, toy canes, toy guns, or other similar devices in which paper caps containing not more than twenty-five hundredth grains of explosive compound for each cap used may be sold at all times.

Section 8. Whenever the term "wholesale dealer" is used herein it shall be held to mean a person, firm or corporation whose business is the selling of goods in gross to jobbers or retail dealers, and not to the ultimate consumer of an individual unit.

Section 9. Whenever the term "retail dealer" is used herein it shall be held to mean a person, firm or corporation whose business is the selling of goods by single articles or in small quantities to the consumer.

Section 10. Any person, firm or corporation selling fireworks within the City of Lacey, State of Washington, either as a wholesale dealer or as a retail dealer, shall be required as a condition of such operation to secure from the City Clerk of the City of Lacey, a license for such sale of fireworks; that the fee for such license shall be Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00) for the selling of fireworks as a wholesale dealer and shall be Five Dollars (\$5.00) for the selling of fireworks as a retail dealer, and such license shall be effective for the full calendar year in which the license is secured, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to issue such licenses upon application and payment of the said license fee.

Section 11. Any violation of the provisions and restrictions of this resolution shall constitute a misdemeanor and shall be punished by a fine of not more than Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00), or more than thirty (30) days in the ~~City Jail~~, Thurston County, State of Washington.

Section 12. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force five (5) days after its passage, approval and publication.

PASSED THIS 18 day of May, 1967.


MAYOR *Anderson*

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


CITY ATTORNEY

ATTEST:


CITY CLERK

PASSED: May 18, 1967
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