ORDINANCE NO. 2023-13

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 7 OF ORDINANCE 49, AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING THE MANUFACTURING, ASSEMBLING, STORING, TRANSPORTING, RECEIVING, KEEPING, SELLING, OFFERING FOR SALE, POSSESSING, USING, DISCHARGING, CAUSING TO BE DISCHARGED, IGNITING, DETONATING, FIRING, OR OTHERWISE SETTING IN ACTION OF ANY FIREWORKS OF ANY DESCRIPTION; DECLARING ILLEGAL FIREWORKS A NUISANCE; PROVIDING FOR THE SEIZURE AND DESTRUCTION OF ILLEGAL FIREWORKS ON CERTAIN ROADS; PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF; PROVIDING A SEVERABLITY CLAUSE; AND DELARING AN EMERGENCY.

Section 7 is hereby amended as follows:

- a. Any person who shall manufacture, assemble, store, transport, receive, keep, sell, offer for sale, or have in his possession with intent to sell any fireworks in violation of this Ordinance shall be <u>fined five hundred dollars (\$500.00)</u> for each offence. If the fireworks are separately wrapped or separately packaged fireworks. Each day that a violation of this Ordinance shall continue with respect to any package of fireworks shall constitute a separate offense.
- b. Any person who shall possess, use, discharge, cause to be discharged, ignite, detonate, fire, or otherwise set in action any fireworks in violation of this Ordinance shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) no more than one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Any parent or guardian of any minor child below the age of fourteen (14) who permits or allow such minor child to use, discharge, ignite, detonate, fire, or otherwise set in action any fireworks in violation of this Ordinance shall be fined not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) no more than one thousand (\$1,000.00).

PASSED AND APPROVED on this day December 7, 2023.

ATTEST:

Kenneth Reid, Mayor

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