

INDEPENDENCE CITY COMMISSION

SPECIAL SESSION AGENDA

June 3, 2025

9:00 AM

Commission Room City Hall

The Agenda shall be as follows:

I. SPECIAL SESSION

A. Call to Order

II. ITEMS FOR COMMISSION ACTION

A. Consider adopting an ordinance modifying the sale and/or discharge of fireworks.

III. EXECUTIVE SESSION

A. Matters relating to the security of a public body or agency, public building or facility, or the information system of a public body or agency.

B. Consultation with an attorney on matters that would be deemed privileged in an attorney-client relationship.

IV. ADJOURNMENT



REQUEST FOR COMMISSION ACTION
CITY OF INDEPENDENCE
June 3, 2025

Department Admin

Director Approval Kelly Passauer

AGENDA ITEM Consider adopting an ordinance modifying the sale and/or discharge of fireworks.

SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION Staff recommends amending the fireworks ordinance to align fireworks sales dates with those permitted under Kansas state law, which is currently June 20 through July 7 for seasonal retailers, and year-round for permanent retailers. This change eliminates the need for future ordinance amendments if state law changes in the future.

For discharge dates, Staff recommends allowing the discharge of fireworks from July 1 through July 5, which provides an appropriate balance between public celebration and community impact. Additional options are also presented for Commission consideration. Staff also recommends amending Sec. 46-107 to require retailers to post an additional sign informing the public of the legal fireworks discharge dates and times within City limits.

BACKGROUND On May 8, 2025, the City Commission adopted Ordinance No. 4482, extending the fireworks sales dates from June 27–July 4 to June 20–July 7, in line with Senate Bill 199 (SB199). The Commission also extended the discharge period—from July 1–4 to June 20–July 7.

Public Response: The action generated opposition during the May 22, 2025 Commission meeting, with concerns centered around:

- PTSD and veterans' trauma
- Distress to pets and service animals
- Fire hazards and property safety
- Enforcement burdens on police and first responders
- Inadequate citizen input on discharge extension since modifying fireworks discharge dates was not included on the May 8, 2025 agenda

Law Enforcement Perspective: Chief Dustin Stafford has noted that aligning sales and discharge periods aimed to reduce public confusion and improve compliance, but acknowledged the extended discharge period raised concerns for residents.

Proposed Legislative Update: To balance state compliance with local control and public input, Staff suggests the following legislative structure:

Fireworks Sales Period

Amend Sec. 46-102 to read:

“It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, deliver, or give away any fireworks within the corporate limits of the City except during the dates authorized for seasonal or permanent retailers under Kansas state law.”

Fireworks Discharge Period

Retain local discretion for discharge periods. Staff offers three options for consideration:

1. July 1–4 (Prior Status Quo) This is the traditional discharge period used by the City prior to May 8. It minimizes disruption to the community and aligns with neighboring cities, including Chanute and Coffeyville. This option balances celebration with reduced impacts to veterans, pets, and public safety personnel.
2. June 27–July 5 (Moderate Extension) This matches the Arkansas City model, which limits discharge to a 9-day window despite extended sales dates. It offers a compromise between enforcement practicality and community concerns without adopting a full 18-day discharge period.
3. July 1–5 (Minimal Extension) This retains the prior traditional start date but extends one additional day to July 5, allowing for flexibility in case of weather or holiday weekend timing. It provides modest relief to residents while minimizing additional burdens.

Retail Display Signage

To ensure clear communication with the public regarding discharge regulations, Staff recommends amending Sec. 46-107 to require retailers to post an additional sign in the fireworks sales area. This sign must state:

“Fireworks may only be discharged within the City Limits of Independence, Kansas between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. from July 1 through July 3, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and midnight on July 4, and between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on July 5.”

This requirement complements existing signage rules and enhances public understanding of legal discharge periods.

Comparison to Regional Cities: According to the May 29, 2025 survey:

- Pittsburg has adopted extended sale and discharge dates (June 20–July 7).
- Arkansas City adopted extended sales but limited discharge to June 27–July 5.
- Fort Scott adopted extended sales and is considering a proposed extension to discharge dates from June 27–July 5 to June 20–July 7.
- Chanute and Coffeyville retained discharge dates of July 1–4, with Chanute extending sale dates from July 1–4 to June 29–July 5.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION The extension of sales dates may provide modest increases in local sales tax revenue. However, extending discharge dates could increase public safety costs, noise complaints, and animal-related incidents, as noted by residents and staff.

SUGGESTED MOTION

1. "I move to amend Sec. 46-102 to align fireworks sales with dates authorized under Kansas state law, amend Sec. 46-103 to allow discharge of fireworks from **July 1 through July 5**, and to amend Sec. 46-107 to require public signage of discharge dates and times."
2. "I move to amend Sec. 46-102 to align fireworks sales with dates authorized under Kansas state law, amend Sec. 46-103 to restrict fireworks discharge to **July 1 through July 4**, and to amend Sec. 46-107 to require public signage of discharge dates and times."

3. "I move to amend Sec. 46-102 to align fireworks sales with dates authorized under Kansas state law, amend Sec. 46-103 to allow discharge of fireworks from **June 27 through July 5**, and to amend Sec. 46-107 to require public signage of discharge dates and times."
4. "I move to retain Ordinance No. 4482 as adopted, allowing fireworks sales and discharge from **June 20 through July 7**."

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. City-Fireworks Ord-Proposed
2. Fireworks Surrounding Cities Survey Updated 05-30-2025
3. 4482 - Fireworks Sales Ordinance Adopted
4. 05082025-Staff Report Regarding Request from Jakes Fireworks to Extend Sale Dates

ORDINANCE NO. _____

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE SECTIONS 46-102, 46-103 AND 46-107
DEALING WITH FIREWORKS SALES, DISCHARGE DATES, AND RETAIL
DISPLAY REQUIREMENTS**

Be it ordained by the governing body of the City of Independence, Kansas:

Section 1. Section 1. City Code Sections 46-102, 46-103 and 46-107 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Independence, Kansas, are hereby amended to read as follows in their entirety:

Sec. 46-102. – Sale of fireworks.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, deliver, or give away any fireworks within the corporate limits of the city except during the dates authorized for seasonal or permanent retailers under Kansas state law.

Sec. 46-103. - Discharge generally.

The discharging, firing or igniting of fireworks is hereby prohibited except from July 1 through July 5, inclusive, in any year and then only between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. from July 1 through July 3, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and midnight on July 4, and between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on July 5.

Pyrotechnic displays may be authorized by the city manager when under the control of responsible persons and the time, place and manner of such display is approved by the chief of the fire department. Such display shall be of such a character and so located, discharged, and fired as shall not be hazardous to surrounding property or endanger any person.

Sec. 46-107. - Retail display of fireworks.

All retailers are forbidden to expose fireworks where the sun shines through glass on the merchandise displayed, except where such fireworks are in the original package, and all fireworks kept for sale on front counters must remain in original packages, except where an attendant is on constant duty at all times at counters where such fireworks are on display. Fireworks in open stock may be kept in showcases or counters out of the reach of the public without an attendant being on duty.

Signs reading "Fireworks for Sale — No Smoking Allowed" and "Fireworks may only be discharged within the City Limits of Independence, Kansas between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. from July 1 through July 3, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and midnight on July 4, and between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on July 5" shall be displayed in the section of the store set aside for the sale of fireworks.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its publication in the official City newspaper.

Adopted by the governing body of the City of Independence, Kansas on the 3rd day of June, 2025.

W.S. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

David Schwenker, City Clerk

UPDATED FIREWORKS SALES AND DISCHARGE DATES – SURROUNDING CITIES

SB199- Kansas statute SB199, enacted this year, allows *permanent retailers* to sell fireworks year-round and *seasonal retailers* to sell from June 20-July 7. Discharge dates are set by local ordinance.

City	Sales Dates	Discharge Dates	Notes
Independence <i>Prior to May 8</i> <i>After May 8</i>	June 27-July 4 June 20-July 7	July 1-July 4 June 20-July 7	Extended sales and discharge dates; subject to reconsideration June 3, 2025
Arkansas City	June 20-July 7	June 27-July 5	Dates changed to match SB199 by Commission on May 27, 2025 (prior sales dates were June 27-July 4)
Pittsburg	June 20-July 7	June 20-July 7	Currently updating ordinance to extend sales dates to match SB199 and extending their discharge dates to June 20-July 5; (prior sales and discharge dates were June 27-July 5)
Fort Scott	June 20-July 7	June 27-July 5**	Sales dates extended to match SB199 by Commission on May 20, 2025 (prior sales and discharge dates were June 27-July 5) **Extending discharge dates from June 27-July 5 to June 20-July 7 is up for discussion on June 3, 2025 agenda
Chanute	June 29-July 5	July 1-4	Commission extended sales dates from July 1-4 to June 29-July 5 at May 12, 2025 meeting but did not extend discharge dates
Iola	June 27-July 5	June 27-July 5	Commission declined to extend dates
Parsons	June 30-July 4	June 30-July 4	Commission declined to extend dates
Coffeyville	July 1-July 4	July 1-July 4	No change, did not bring up on agenda for current year
McPherson	July 2-July 4	July 2-July 4	No change, did not bring up on agenda for current year

Sales Date Trends:

- In addition to Independence, three cities—Arkansas City, Pittsburg, and Fort Scott—have adopted or are in the process of adopting extended sales dates (June 20–July 7).
- Most policy changes were made in May, indicating a regional shift that was likely influenced by SB199.
- Four cities—Iola, Parsons, Coffeyville, and McPherson—either declined to extend sales dates or did not bring the matter forward for 2025.

Discharge Date Trends:

- Among the three cities with extended sales dates:
 - Like Independence, Pittsburg also extended its discharge dates to June 20–July 7 (previously June 27-July 5)
 - Arkansas City retained more restricted discharge dates (June 27–July 4).
 - Fort Scott is currently debating whether to extend discharge dates to June 20-July 7, with discussion scheduled for June 3, 2025.



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Marilyn Calhoun

Marilyn Calhoun, Register of Deeds

ORDINANCE NO. 4482

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CITY CODE SECTIONS 46-102 AND 46-103 DEALING WITH FIREWORKS SALES

Be it ordained by the governing body of the City of Independence, Kansas:

Section 1. City Code Sections 46-102 and 46-103 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Independence, Kansas, are hereby amended to read as follows in their entirety:

Sec. 46-102. – Sale of fireworks.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, deliver, or give away any fireworks within the corporate limits of the city before June 20 or after July 7 of any year.

Sec. 46-103. - Discharge generally.

The discharging, firing or igniting of fireworks is hereby prohibited except from June 20 through July 7, inclusive, in any year and then only between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. from June 20 through July 3, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and midnight on July 4, and between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10 p.m. from July 5 through July 7.

Pyrotechnic displays may be authorized by the city manager when under the control of responsible persons and the time, place and manner of such display is approved by the chief of the fire department. Such display shall be of such a character and so located, discharged, and fired as shall not be hazardous to surrounding property or endanger any person.

Section 2. This Ordinance shall take effect upon its publication in the official City newspaper.

Adopted by the governing body of the City of Independence, Kansas on the 8th day of May, 2025.



W.S. Smith
W.S. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:



David Schwenker, City Clerk



REQUEST FOR COMMISSION ACTION
CITY OF INDEPENDENCE
May 8, 2025

Department Admin

Director Approval Kelly Passauer

AGENDA ITEM Consider a request by Jake's Fireworks to extend the permitted fireworks sales dates.

SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION Staff recommends the City Commission review and discuss the proposal to extend the permitted fireworks sales period and provide direction on whether to move forward with a code amendment to modify the dates currently set forth in Sec. 46-102.

BACKGROUND Jake's Fireworks requests an amendment to the City's current fireworks sales ordinance (Sec. 46-102) to extend the annual sales period from the current window of June 27 through July 4 to a new window of June 20 through July 7.

This proposal does not request year-round sales and is limited strictly to the proposed extended dates during the Independence Day season. This proposal does not change the allowed dates for discharge of fireworks, which are currently July 1 through July 4 in Independence (Sec. 46-103).

Justification for the Proposed Change per Jake's Fireworks:

- *Increased Local Revenue:* An extended selling season is anticipated to generate additional sales tax revenue for the City of Independence.
- *Improved Customer Experience & Safety:* A longer sales period allows customers to make purchases over an extended timeframe, reducing crowding and encouraging more measured, responsible purchasing rather than last-minute bulk buying on July 3rd and 4th.
- *Retailer Commitment:* Jake's Fireworks has made it clear that it does not seek year-round fireworks sales in Kansas—only the modest expansion of dates during the traditional holiday season.

Comparison to Other Cities

	Current Sales	On Agenda for Consideration	Discharge Dates
Independence	June 27-July 4	June 20-July 7	July 1-July 4
Winfield	Not Allowed		
McPherson	July 2-4	N/A	July 2-4
Coffeyville	July 1-4	N/A*	July 1-4
Chanute	July 1-4	June 27-July 4	July 1-4
Parsons	June 30-July 4	N/A	June 30-July 4
Ark City	June 27-July 4	June 20-July 7	June 27-July 4

Iola	June 27-July 5	June 20-July 7	June 27-July 5
Ft. Scott & Pittsburg	June 27-July 5	June 20-July 7	June 27-July 5

*Coffeyville said they would not be doing this year because it was so late in the season, but they would be looking at next year.

FINANCIAL INFORMATION N/A

SUGGESTED MOTION

1. I move to table the discussion of amending Sec. 46-102 of the municipal code to allow fireworks sales from June 20 through July 7, effective for the upcoming holiday season until the next Commission meeting, May 22, 2025, to allow for citizen feedback.
2. I move to adopt an ordinance amending Sec. 46-102 of the municipal code to allow fireworks sales from June 20 through July 7, effective for the upcoming holiday season.
3. I move to keep Sec. 46-102 of the municipal code allowing fireworks sales from June 27 through July 4 in its current form.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. Ordinance 4482 - Modify the Dates for Fireworks Sales
2. Request from Jake's Fireworks
3. Current Fireworks Code

ORDINANCE NO. 4482

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, KANSAS, SECTION 46-102 TO MODIFY THE DATES FOR FIREWORKS SALES.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, KANSAS:

Section 1. Amendment.

Section 46-102 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Independence, Kansas, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 46-102. – Sale of fireworks.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, deliver, or give away any fireworks within the corporate limits of the city before June 20 or after July 7 of any year.

Section 2. Repeal.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of such conflict.

Section 3. Effective Date.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the official city newspaper.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the Governing Body of the City of Independence, Kansas, this 8th day of May, 2025.

CITY OF INDEPENDENCE, KANSAS

W. Scott Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

David Schwenker, City Clerk

From: [Marcus Shearhart](#)
To: [Kayla Schabel](#)
Subject: Independence - Jakes Fireworks - Marcus Shearhart
Date: Thursday, May 1, 2025 10:13:03 AM

Proposed selling dates for the firework season.

- Proposed new dates – June 20th – July 7th
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Reason for proposed extended selling dates.

- Increased sales tax revenue for the City of Independence.
- Spreading out the buying power for all customers that buy fireworks. Instead of spending a large amount of funds on the 3rd and 4th of July they would be able to spread it out during a longer selling season.

We don't have interest in having year-round sales in Kansas. We are just looking for the extended dates of June 20th – July 7th.

I will be able to be in person for the next city meeting if allowed. We are here to answer any questions that anyone may have and to help the city along with this decision

Thanks!



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ARTICLE V. - FIREWORKS

Footnotes:

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Cross reference— *Fireworks prohibited in the cemetery, § 22-89.*

State Law reference— *Municipal regulation, K.S.A. 31-134.*

DIVISION 1. - GENERALLY

Sec. 46-101. - Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this article, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Fireworks means and includes any combustible or explosive composition, or any substance or combination of substances, or article prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or an audible effect by combustion, explosion, deflagration or detonation, and shall include blank cartridges, toy pistols, toy cannons, toy canes or toy guns in which explosives are used, the type of balloons which require fire underneath to propel the same, firecrackers, torpedoes, skyrockets, Roman candles, Daygo bombs, sparklers or other fireworks of like construction and any fireworks containing any explosive or flammable compound, or any tablets or other device containing any explosive substance. Nothing in this regulation shall be construed as applying to toy paper caps containing not more than 0.25 of a grain of explosive composition per cap, and to the manufacture, storage, sale or use of signals necessary for the safe operation of railroads or other classes of public or private transportation, nor applying to the military or navy forces of the United States or of this state, or to peace officers, nor as prohibiting the sale of blank cartridges for ceremonial or theatrical or athletic events.

(Code 1977, § 9-301)

Cross reference— Definitions generally, § 1-2.

Sec. 46-102. - When fireworks lawful.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, deliver, or give away any fireworks within the corporate limits of the city before June 27 or after July 4 of any year.

(Code 1977, § 9-302; Ord. No. 4000, § 1, 11-15-07; Ord. No. 4037, § 1, 4-30-09)

Sec. 46-103. - Discharge generally.

The discharging, firing or igniting of fireworks is hereby prohibited except from July 1 through July 4, inclusive, in any year and then only between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. from July 1 through July 3 and between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and midnight on July 4.

Pyrotechnic displays may be authorized by the city manager when under the control of responsible persons and the time, place and manner of such display is approved by the chief of the fire department. Such display shall be of such a character and so located, discharged, and fired as shall not be hazardous to surrounding property or endanger any person.

(Code 1977, § 9-303; Ord. No. 4000, § 2, 11-15-07)

Sec. 46-104. - Discharge in fire limits prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge any fireworks on or within any of the following locations:

- (a) Within the fire limits of the City as that term is defined in City Code section 18-1;
- (b) Riverside Park and Ralph Mitchell Zoo;
- (c) Mount Hope Cemetery;
- (d) Dog Park located in 700 block of North Park Blvd on East side of road;
- (e) Celebration Park located at Penn & Chestnut;
- (f) Coffeyville-Wald Park located at Coffeyville & Wald;
- (g) Pride Park located on the South side of 10th Street between Birch and Edison;
- (h) BPW Cristelle Wells Park located at Northeast corner of 19th and Poplar;
- (i) Central Park consisting of approximately 9.2 acres North of Sycamore Street between Penn Ave. and Park Blvd. encompassing the Skateboard Park and prospective soccer fields;
- (j) Emerson Field and Arco Field ballfields located on South 10th Street; and
- (k) Outdoor basketball court, Centennial Field, Clark James Field, T-ball Field, and Sinclair Field, all located in the 800-900 block of North Park Blvd.

The above prohibition shall not apply to a properly licensed commercial fireworks display contracted for by the City of Independence, Kansas.

(Code 1977, § 9-304; Ord. No. 4294, § 1, 3-28-19)

Sec. 46-105. - Discharge from vehicles prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge any fireworks from a standing or moving vehicle. The term "vehicle" for the purpose of this section shall mean motorcar, motor bicycle, motor scooter, bicycle or any other type of vehicle.

(Code 1977, § 9-305)

Sec. 46-106. - Sale of fireworks; where prohibited.

Fireworks shall not be sold or kept for sale in a place of business where paint, oils, varnishes, turpentine or gasoline or other flammable substances are kept in unbroken containers, unless in a separate and distinct section or department of the store.

(Code 1977, § 9-306)

Sec. 46-107. - Retail display of fireworks.

All retailers are forbidden to expose fireworks where the sun shines through glass on the merchandise displayed, except where such fireworks are in the original package, and all fireworks kept for sale on front counters must remain in original packages, except where an attendant is on constant duty at all times at counters where such fireworks are on display. Fireworks in open stock may be kept in showcases or counters out of the reach of the public without an attendant being on duty. Signs reading "Fireworks for Sale — No Smoking Allowed" shall be displayed in the section of the store set aside for the sale of fireworks.

(Code 1977, § 9-307)

Sec. 46-108. - Fire extinguishers required.

Two approved fire extinguishers must be provided and kept in close proximity to the stock of fireworks in all buildings where fireworks are sold. Small stands, temporarily erected to be used as a place for storing and selling fireworks only, shall have fire extinguishers as required for buildings, or in lieu of the fire extinguishers may have a barrel of water and two buckets available in close proximity to the stand for use as fire extinguishing equipment.

(Code 1977, § 9-308)

Sec. 46-109. - Restrictions as to gasoline installations.

Fireworks shall not be stored, kept, sold or discharged within 50 feet of any gasoline pump, gasoline filling station, gasoline bulk station or any building in which gasoline or volatile liquids are sold in quantities in excess of one gallon, except in stores where cleaners, paints and oils are handled in sealed containers only.

(Code 1977, § 9-309)

Sec. 46-110. - Street and entranceway sales prohibited.

It shall be unlawful for any person to sell, offer for sale, or maintain any display of fireworks upon the public streets or sidewalks of the city or in any entranceway into any business building that may be adjacent to any street or sidewalk in the city.

(Code 1977, § 9-310)

Sec. 46-111. - Penalty.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this article shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in section 1-14.

(Code 1977, § 9-311)

Sec. 46-112. - Aerial luminaries.

- (a) *Aerial luminaries prohibited.* It shall be unlawful for any person to ignite, discharge or sell aerial luminaries within the city.
- (b) *Definition.* For purposes of this section, aerial luminaries, commonly known as Chinese lanterns or sky lanterns, are defined as airborne paper objects containing a device for fuel that heats air from the inside causing it to rise into the air and remain airborne until extinguished.
- (c) *Penalty.* Any violation of this section shall be an unclassified misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$100.00 upon the first conviction and not to exceed \$250.00 on any second or subsequent conviction.

(Ord. No. 4157, §§ 1—3, 10-10-13)

Secs. 46-113—46-120. - Reserved.

DIVISION 2. - BOTTLE ROCKETS

Footnotes:

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State Law reference— *Bottle rockets, K.S.A. 31-155 et seq.*

Sec. 46-121. - Definitions.

The following words, terms and phrases, when used in this division, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section, except where the context clearly indicates a different meaning:

Bottle rockets means any device which:

- (1) Is classified as a class C explosive by the United States Department of Transportation under 49 CFR 173.100 (1977);
 - (2) Is mounted on a stick or wire; and
 - (3) Projects into the air when ignited, with or without reports;
- and includes any device with the same configuration, with or without reports, which may be classified as a pipe or trough rocket. "Bottle rocket" does not include helicopter-type rockets.

(Ord. No. 3400, § 1, 3-6-81)

Cross reference— Definitions generally, § 1-2.

Sec. 46-122. - Sale or possession.

It shall be unlawful for any person to possess, sell, convey, or distribute bottle rockets.

(Ord. No. 3298, § 1, 3-22-78; Ord. No. 3400, § 2, 3-6-81)

Sec. 46-123. - Discharge.

It shall be unlawful for any person to fire, discharge, shoot, or set off bottle rockets.

(Ord. No. 3298, § 2, 3-22-78; Ord. No. 3400, § 3, 3-6-81)

Sec. 46-124. - Penalty.

Any person violating any of the provisions of this division shall, upon conviction thereof, be punished as provided in section 1-14.

(Ord. No. 3298, § 3, 3-22-78; Ord. No. 3400, § 4, 3-6-81)

Secs. 46-125—46-145. - Reserved.