

## TITLE 7

FIRE PROTECTION AND FIREWORKS<sup>1</sup>

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7-101. Fireworks defined. The word "fireworks" as used herein is defined as any device or article containing explosive substances which, when fired, shot, or exploded makes a noise or produces a flare or colored lights, and said term "fireworks" shall be deemed to include, but shall not be limited to the following: Fire crackers, squibbs, Roman candles, sky rockets, Daygo bombs, sparklers, torpedoes, or any other devices or articles prepared for the purpose of producing a visible or audible effect by combustion, explosion, conflagration or detonation.

7-102. Unlawful to sell, give away, manufacture, etc. It shall be unlawful to manufacture, display, sell, offer for sale, give away for the purpose of evading the term "sell" or store in commercial quantities fireworks within the corporate limits of the Town of Walden.

7-103. Use of fireworks restricted. It shall be unlawful for any person to fire, set off, shoot, discharge, or otherwise explode any fireworks within the corporate limits of the Town of Walden, except that it is permissible for persons to fire, set off, shoot, discharge or otherwise explode fireworks at their residences providing that the igniting and final firing or exploding is done entirely within the property lines of the person doing the firing and provided that such firing is not objectionable to or does not create a nuisance insofar as

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<sup>1</sup>Municipal code reference

Building, utility and housing codes: title 12.

other residences of the neighborhood are concerned. Streets, roadways, and alleys maintained by the State of Tennessee or the Town of Walden and sidewalks adjacent to the property from which fireworks are being exploded or fired are to be construed as outside the property lines of the person exploding fireworks, it being the intent of this chapter to prohibit the use of fireworks on all public street, roadways, alley and sidewalks within the Town of Walden.

7-104. Occupants of automobiles deemed guilty. Should fireworks be exploded or shot or an attempt made to do so from an automobile, truck or any other propelled vehicle while same is being operated or stopped on any street, roadway, or alley maintained by the State of Tennessee or the Town of Walden, each occupant of said vehicle shall be guilty of a violation of this chapter.

7-105. Use by railroads, etc. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as prohibiting the railroad or other transportation agencies from the use of fireworks for signal purposes or illumination.

7-106. Controlled fireworks displays. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as preventing the state fire marshal from, in his discretion, upon application, issuing a permit to a properly qualified person for giving a pyrotechnic display of fireworks in a public park or open place.