



Proposed Change to Fireworks Discharge Dates

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Current Fireworks Ordinance

- Chapter 13 – Fire Prevention and Protection of Code of Ordinances of L.S. amended 2018 Edition of the International Fire Code, Section 5601.1.3 Fireworks.
- Allows for the discharge of approved consumer fireworks on July 2nd and 3rd between the hours of 10 a.m. and 11 p.m., and on July 4th between the hours of 10 a.m. and midnight.
- Dates established since 2007.



Holiday Weekend

July 2020

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	4  Fourth of July
5	6	7	8	9	10	11

Proposed Change

- Legal to shoot approved fireworks on July 3rd and 5th between the hours of 10 a.m. and 11 p.m., and on July 4th between the hours of 10 a.m. and midnight.
- Coincides with weekend dates surrounding the holiday.



Public Education

- News Release.
- LSTV
- Web page and social media.
- Police Department
- Fireworks posters in the tents.
- Fireworks Permit

LEE'S SUMMIT FIREWORKS REGULATIONS

RESIDENTS REQUIRE A PERMIT

Each resident must have a 2018 Fireworks Permit (one per household). Permits can be obtained at approved consumer fireworks tents; at City Hall or on-line at cityofLS.net.

PERMITTED DATES & TIMES

Monday, July 2: 10 a.m. - 11 p.m.
Tuesday, July 3: 10 a.m. - 11 p.m.
Wednesday, July 4: 10 a.m. - 12 a.m.

PROHIBITED FIREWORKS

-  • Bottle Rockets
-  • Roman Candles
-  • Sky Lanterns
- Parachute with nighttime effects
- Missiles with fins or rudders for aerodynamic flight



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Additional Guidance

- Does the change only apply to 2020?
- Allow the City Manager or Fire Chief to set the dates annually?





Questions