

ORDINANCE NO. 1793 M-C SERIES

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 8, SECTION 6 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF SULPHUR – DISCHARGING OF FIREARMS.

BE IT ORDAINED by the City Council of the City of Sulphur, Louisiana, the governing authority thereof, that they do hereby amend Chapter 8, Section 6 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Sulphur – Discharging of Firearms to read as follows:

Sec. 8-6. Discharging of firearms.

- (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to intentionally discharge any firearm or air gun within the corporate limits, unless such discharge of firearms is reasonably required for the protection of life and property, except as hereinafter provided.
- (b) The provisions of this section shall not apply to persons discharging firearms from approved indoor firing ranges, or any authorized peace officer acting in the proper performance of the officer's official duties, or to the discharge of blank cartridges in theatrical performances or sporting events, or to the firing of salutes by honor guard at funerals or memorials
- (c) Approved indoor firing ranges shall be those firing ranges which have been designed and constructed to meet the requirements set forth in the various codes, relative to structures, in force and effect in the city, and which structures have been designed and constructed in accordance with recognized standards of safety and noise suppression for indoor firing ranges, as certified by a licensed architect or engineer. Caliber of weapons shall not exceed designer's specifications.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED that this Ordinance shall become effective upon the Mayor's signature.

APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the
City Council of the City of Sulphur,
Louisiana, on this 11th day of
July, 2022.

Mandy Thomas
MANDY THOMAS, Chairman

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the
foregoing Ordinance has been
presented to the Mayor on this
12th day of July,
2022, at 8:00 o'clock a.m.

Arlene Blanchard
ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have received
from the Mayor at 10:00 o'clock a.m.
on this 12th day of July, 2022,
the foregoing ordinance which has been
approved/vetoed by the Mayor.

Arlene Blanchard
ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk

APPROVED

Mike Danahay
MIKE DANAHAY - MAYOR

DATE 7/12/22

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MANDY THOMAS, Chairman

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ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk

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ARLENE BLANCHARD, Clerk