

AMENDMENT TO CITY ORDINANCE § 13-7
THE CITY OF VIDALIA, GEORGIA

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF VIDALIA, GEORGIA, AND IT IS HEREBY ORDAINED BY AUTHORITY THEREOF THAT THE CODE OF THE CITY OF VIDALIA IS HEREBY AMENDED BY DELETING THE ENTIRE CURRENT SECTION 13-7 AND REPLACING THE SAME WITH THE FOLLOWING:

Sec. 13-7. – Weapons—Discharge in residential areas or business district.

- (a) It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge firearms or other weapons, which include, but are not limited to, BB guns, pellet guns, paint-ball guns, and airsoft guns, within residential areas or the business districts.**
- (b) The foregoing subsection (a), or any other provision of this Code, notwithstanding, nothing in this Code is intended to prohibit the discharge or firing of firearms by anyone within a legally established and operating shooting range, shooting gallery or firearm training facility where precautions have been approved by the chief of the city police department or his designee, to prevent injury and damage to persons and property.**

It is the intention of the governing body, and it is hereby ordained, that the provisions of this ordinance shall become and be made part of the Code of Ordinances, City of Vidalia, Georgia, and the sections or subsections of this ordinance may be renumbered to accomplish such intention, as necessary.

THIS ORDINANCE AMENDMENT SHALL BECOME EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY UPON ADOPTION AS PROVIDED FOR BY THE CHARTER OF THE CITY OF VIDALIA, GEORGIA.

FIRST READING:

4-11-22

SECOND READING:

5-9-22

ADOPTED THIS 9th DAY OF May, 2022


DOUG P. ROPER, III, MAYOR

ATTEST: 
AMY W. MURRAY, CITY CLERK

