

**GUN PLAIN CHARTER TOWNSHIP
ORDINANCE NO. 169**

**ADOPTED: 5-2-2019
EFFECTED: 5-15-2019**

**AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER X, FIRE PREVENTION AND PROTECTION,
ARTICLE IV, FIREWORKS OF THE GUN PLAIN CHARTER TOWNSHIP CODE OF
ORDINANCES.**

**THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF GUN PLAIN, ALLEGAN COUNTY, MICHIGAN
ORDAINS:**

CHAPTER X, ARTICLE IV

SECTION 10-102 CONSUMER FIREWORKS PROHIBITIONS

**Amend Chapter X, Article IV, Section 10-102 Consumer Fireworks Prohibitions (a) and (b)
to read as follows:**

- (a) No person shall ignite, discharge or use consumer fireworks except during the following permitted hours and days listed below.
 - 1. New Year's Eve until 1:00a.m. on New Year's Day;
 - 2. The Saturday and Sunday immediately preceding Memorial Day between 11:00a.m. until 11:45p.m. on each of those days;
 - 3. June 29 to July 4 between 11:00a.m. until 11:45p.m. on each of those days;
 - 4. July 5, if that date is a Friday or Saturday, 11:00a.m. until 11:45p.m.;
 - 5. The Saturday and Sunday immediately preceding Labor Day, 11:00a.m. until 11:45p.m. on each of those days.
- (b) No person shall ignite, discharge or use consumer fireworks between the hours of 1:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.

CHAPTER X, ARTICLE IV

SECTION 10-104 PENALTIES

Amend Chapter X, Article IV, Section 10-104 Penalties to read as follows:

- (a) A person who violates this article is responsible for a municipal civil infraction and may be ordered to pay a civil fine of not more than \$1,000.00 for each violation of this ordinance.
- (b) \$500.00 of the fine collected under this ordinance may go to the local law enforcement agency responsible for enforcing this ordinance.

Effective Date

This ordinance takes effect seven (7) days following publication of notice of its adoption pursuant to Michigan Public Act 110. All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed.

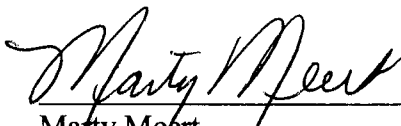
Moved by Kopka seconded by Shannon, that the foregoing Ordinance be adopted.

YEAS: Members: VanDenBerg, Meert, Pearson, Kopka, Morehouse, Horton, Shannon

NAYS: Members: 0

ABSENT: Members: None

I certify that the Ordinance amendment as set forth above was adopted by the Gun Plain Charter Township Board in regular session on 5-2-2019, and that it was published in the Allegan County News Paper on 5-9-2019. Further, I certify that the attested copy of the Ordinance amendment was filed with the Township Clerk on 5-2-2019.



Marty Meert
Gun Plain Charter Township Clerk