



Firearms and Fireworks Discharge Prohibited Inside the Lockhart City Limits

New Year's Eve is a great time to celebrate at events, family gatherings, or just staying home. But the Lockhart Police and Fire departments urge that your celebration not include fireworks or firearms. Using fireworks and discharging a weapon into the air are both illegal in Lockhart.

Fireworks can be a serious hazard during the holidays. Sparklers, firecrackers, fountain displays and bottle rockets can quickly start fires on lawns and roofs, causing property damage and potential bodily injury or loss of life. Illegal use of fireworks can result in fines up to \$500.

Firing a weapon inside the city limits carries a fine of up to \$500. It is also a threat to humans, pets and property. Bullets fired into the air will, of course, come down somewhere, with enough force to do damage.

Before you step outside at midnight to light a fuse or point a gun into the air, think about the possible consequences of your actions.

Have a legal, safe and happy New Year's celebration.