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· City of Coway

ORDINANCE NO. 0-2001- 67

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 7.16.03 OF THE CONWAY MUNICIPAL CODE; REPEALING ANY ORDINANCES IN CONFLICT; DECLARING AN EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, Arkansas Code Annotated § 20-22-704 acknowledges the authority **of** municipalities in the State of Arkansas to regulate or prohibit the sale or use of fireworks; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council desire to amend Section 7.16.03 of the Conway Municipal Code;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. That Section 7.16.03 Penalty shall be amended to read as follows:

<u>"7.16.03</u> Penalty. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of Sections 7.16.01 - .02 shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof be fined in any sum of not less than <u>Two Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$250.00)</u> nor more than <u>Five</u> Hundred Dollars (\$500.00). Each retail transaction may be considered a separate offense.

SECTION 2. That any ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent of that conflict.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance is necessary for the protection of the peace, health and safety of the citizens of Conway, and time is of the essence, and therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this ordinance shall go into effect from and after its passage and approval.

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PASSED this _26th day of _____, 2001.

Jal Journell MAYOR TAB TOWNSELL

ATTEST:

Michael O. Gassett MICHAEL O. GARRETT, CITY CLERK