

ORDINANCE NO. 2019-02

**AMENDMENT OF AN ORDINANCE IN CITY CODE TITLE 7,  
FIREWORKS, TO CHANGE THE MINIMUM AGE FOR PURCHASE OF  
FIREWORKS AT RETAIL TO COMPLY WITH STATE LAW.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Maryville, Tennessee, in Ordinance No. 2018-43 allowed the retail sale and discharge of fireworks within the corporate limits of the City of Maryville with certain limitations, and

**WHEREAS**, that ordinance in Section -002, sub-section 8, provided that it was unlawful to offer for retail sale or to sell any fireworks to children under ten (10) years of age or to any intoxicated person, and

**WHEREAS**, State law provides that a person must be at least sixteen (16) years of age to purchase fireworks, and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary to change the ordinance to comply with State law.

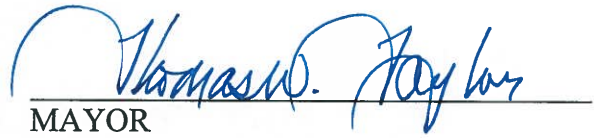
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, TENNESSEE**, as follows:

Section 1. Previously adopted Section -002, sub-section 8, of Ordinance No. 2018-43, is hereby repealed and replaced as follows:

It shall be unlawful to offer for retail sale or to sell any fireworks to children under sixteen (16) years of age or to any intoxicated person.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be effective upon final passage, the public welfare requiring it.

Adopted this the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019.

  
MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
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Sherri Phillips, City Recorder

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

  
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City Attorney

Passed 1<sup>st</sup> reading this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2019 Sherri Phillips, 2019.  
City Recorder

Passed 2<sup>nd</sup> reading this 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019 Sherri Phillips, 2019.  
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**TO COMPLY WITH STATE LAW**