

ORDINANCE NO.: 5223

AN ORDINANCE to amend sec. 18-102(c) and to create sec. 18-102(d) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of La Crosse regarding fireworks permitting.

THE COMMON COUNCIL of the City of La Crosse do ordain as follows:

SECTION I: Section 18-102(c) is hereby amended to read as follows:

- (c) A permit is required for anyone who sells fireworks or possesses fireworks with intent to sell, whether it is in a permanent structure or a temporary tent. All persons requesting a ~~user's permit from the Mayor~~ from the Fire Department to sell or possess fireworks with intent to sell shall include with the permit application an ~~annual~~ fee in the amount established by resolution and a certificate of insurance that complies with section 2-2. Upon approval of the issuing authority, said permit shall be effective for one calendar year per location.

SECTION I: Section 18-102(d) is hereby created to read as follows:

- (d) A permit is required for any person to display fireworks or pyrotechnic special effects. All persons requesting a user's permit from the Fire Department and Mayor shall include with the permit application a fee in the amount established by resolution and a certificate of insurance that complies with section 2-2. Upon approval of the issuing authority, said permit shall be effective on a semi-annual basis.

SECTION III: Should any portion of this ordinance be declared unconstitutional or invalid by a court of competent jurisdiction, the remainder of this division shall not be affected.

SECTION IV: This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

_____/s/_____
Mitch Reynolds, Mayor

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Sondra Craig, Deputy City Clerk

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