

CUMBERLAND FIREWORKS ORDINANCE

1. Use and sale of consumer fireworks prohibited except as specified below.

- (a) A person may not use or sell consumer fireworks, as defined in 8 M.R.S.A. §221-A, in the Town or in or from any watercraft within waters of the Town, except that the use of consumer fireworks shall be permitted pursuant to the state statute effective on January 1, 2012 on the following days and during the following times:

July 3rd beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m.

July 4th beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 12:30 a.m. on July 5th

July 5th beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m.; and

December 31st beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending on January 1st at 12:30 a.m.

January 1st beginning at 9:00 a.m. and ending at 10:00 p.m.

- (b) Pursuant to 8 M.R.S.A. §227-B, nothing in this section shall be construed to limit or regulate fireworks displays, as defined in 8 M.R.S.A. §221-A, or the issuance of permits for fireworks displays by the Maine Commissioner of Public Safety or a designee.

2. Penalties.

- (a) It is a civil violation for any person to use or sell consumer fireworks within the Town of Cumberland in violation of this ordinance, and any person found to have violated the ordinance shall be punished by a fine of two hundred dollars (\$200.00).

Adopted: December 12, 2011

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