

# **ORDINANCE 2016-04-01**

“AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF ROANOKE, ALABAMA TO PROHIBIT THE DISCHARGING OF FIREARMS WITHING THE MUNICIPAL CITY LIMITS OF ROANOKE, ALABAMA.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ROANOKE, ALABAMA AS FOLLOWS:

## **SECTION 1.**

It shall be unlawful for any person to maliciously fire or discharge or cause to fire or discharge, any gun, pistol, rifle or any other firearm within a distance of one hundred (100) yards of any public street, road, highway, residence, or place of business, within the corporate limits of the City of Roanoke, Alabama.

## **SECTION 2.**

Legal Hunting and/ or taking as game of any bird, fowl, or animal shall not be prohibited when done in accordance with the rules and regulations of the State Department of Conservation.

## **SECTION 3.**

In the event that birds, squirrels, snakes or other fowl or animals are found to be a nuisance or menace to health or property, in the opinion of property owner, then such birds and or animals may be destroyed in such a manner deemed advisable by the property owner

## **SECTION 4.**

Discharging firearms shall be lawful for the following purposes:

1. Duly authorized peace officers in their performance of their duties.
2. Members of the military forces of the State or the United States in the performance of their duties.
3. Persons exercising the right of self- defense or the defense of others.

## **SECTION 5.**

Any person in violation of any section of this Ordinance shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than one hundred (\$100) and/or imprisonment as provided by law.

## **SECTION 6.**

This Ordinance, after its adoption , shall be published as required by law, and shall become effective immediately.

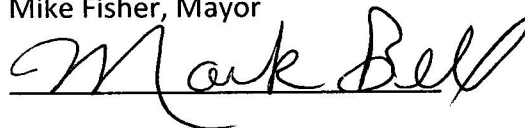
ADOPTED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Roanoke, Alabama this  
13 day of June, 2016.

ATTEST:



Penny Holloway, City Clerk

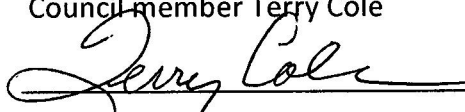
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Mike Fisher, Mayor



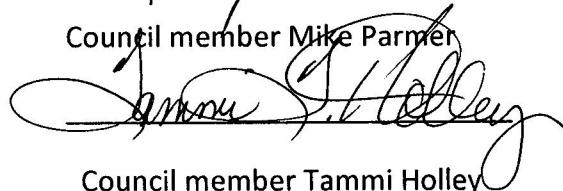
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Council member Terry Cole



Council member Mike Parmer



Council member Tammi Holley

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