

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF JONES

ORDER RESTRICTING CERTAIN FIREWORKS  
IN UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF JONES COUNTY, TEXAS

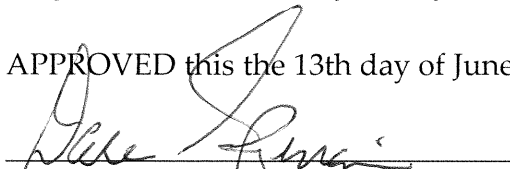
WHEREAS, the Texas Forest Service has determined that drought conditions exist in Jones County; and

WHEREAS, on the 13<sup>th</sup> of June, 2022, the Commissioners Court of Jones County has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of Jones County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of Jones County adopts this Order restricting the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Jones County.

- A. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use fireworks classified as “skyrockets with sticks” under 49 C.F.R. part. 173.100(r)(2) (10-01-86 edition) or missiles with fins in any portion of the unincorporated areas of Jones County.
- B. This Order does not prohibit any “professional” fireworks display in the unincorporated areas of Jones County. Company will need adequate insurance coverage.
- C. This Order does not prohibit “permissible fireworks” as authorized in Occupations Code Section 2154.003(a).
- D. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly or intentionally violates a prohibition established by this Order. An offense under this order is a Class C. Misdemeanor.
- E. This order expires on the date the Texas Forest Service determines drought conditions no longer exist in the county or July 4, 2022, whichever is earlier.

APPROVED this the 13th day of June, 2022, by the Jones County Commissioners Court.

  
County Judge

Attest:  
Clerk

