

## SWRA Fireworks Policy

With the holidays through the year, please remember the SWRA policy concerning no fireworks in StillWaters. The sheriff's department enforces the policy. So please read and heed. It was adopted with safety in mind.

**“The SWRA Board adopted a policy to endorse, support and distribute to property owners the State of Alabama Code concerning fireworks, which states that it is unlawful to explode fireworks within 600 feet of a building. For the safety of home and boat owners and those living in wooded areas or around the golf courses, the SWRA Board strongly supports the fireworks ban per the Code of Alabama. Please respect our policy and support public safety. The Sheriff's department is the proper enforcement authority for fireworks violations, so please call them to report an incident.”**  
**256-825-4264**

### Code of the State of Alabama - Section 8-17-222

- It shall be unlawful to offer for sale or to sell any fireworks to children under the age of 16 years unless accompanied by an adult or to any intoxicated or irresponsible person.
- Any person purchasing fireworks shall be required to show a valid driver's license or state approved identification card.
- It shall be unlawful to explode or ignite fireworks within 600 feet of any church, hospital, asylum, public school, any enclosed building, or within 200 feet or where fireworks are stored, sold, or offered for sale.
- No person shall ignite or discharge any permissible articles of fireworks within or throw the same from a motor vehicle while within nor shall any person place or throw any ignited article of fireworks into or at such a motor vehicle, or at or near any person or group of people.

(Acts 1981, No. 81-409, p. 638, §13; Acts 1987, No. 87-563, p. 876, §6.)