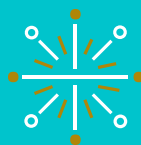
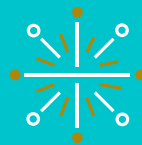
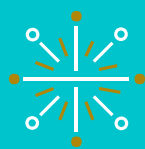


FIREWORKS IN THE CITY



Here are factors at play in how the city reacts to fireworks concerns & complaints:

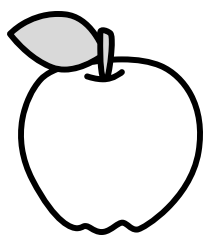
TO ENFORCE THE LAW



To enforce the law related to fireworks, police need:

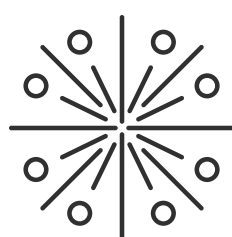
- A witness
- Proof of the fireworks
- If outside the permitted time periods, a home owner

NO FIREWORKS ALLOWED



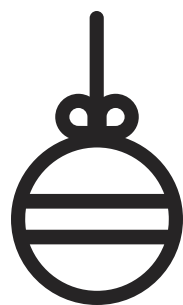
- Parks
- Schools
- Other public places

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From July 3-6 this year, Police received 65 fireworks complaints.
25 happened during illegal hours
2 were willing to have police contacts

FIREWORKS OK



State law allows consumer fireworks 7 a.m. to midnight (1 a.m. New Year's) the **day before, day of, & day after:**

New Year's Day MLK Jr. Day
George Washington's birthday
Memorial Day Independence Day
Labor Day Columbus Day
Veterans Day Thanksgiving Christmas

PENALTIES



Noise ordinance -- Officer must see someone light fireworks, or have witness willing to testify. \$100 civil infraction.

Disorderly conduct -- Officer must see someone light fireworks outside permitted times. \$500 civil infraction.

CALL 911 WITH A FIREWORKS COMPLAINT, WHEN IT'S HAPPENING.