

Sec. 26-113. - Consumer fireworks.

- (a) ~~Consumer fireworks may not be~~The use, discharge and/or ignition of consumer fireworks in the City of Dexter is prohibited on all days and during all times except on those days and times where such a prohibition is not permissible under State and Federal law.<sup>1</sup>~~except during dates and times explicitly identified by state and federal law.~~
- (b) A person shall not ignite, discharge and/or use consumer fireworks on any public place, school property, church property or the property owned by another person or entity without the organization's or person's written permission.
- (c) A person shall not discharge consumer fireworks in such a manner so as remnants from consumer fireworks land on any public place or the property of another, including but not limited to, apartment property and condominium property, without that person or organization's written permission.
- (d) An individual under the age of 18 shall not use consumer fireworks unless under the direct supervision of an adult.
- (e) An individual who uses, ignites or discharges consumer fireworks while under the influence of alcoholic liquor, a controlled substance or a combination of alcoholic liquor and a controlled substance is guilty of a misdemeanor, punishable by up to 30 days in jail and/or a fine up to \$1000.00, or if the violation caused damage to the property of another person, by up to 90 days in jail and/or a fine up to \$1000.00.
- (f) Any individual who violates subsections (a)—(d) of this section shall be responsible for a municipal civil infraction and be subject to a fine of at least \$100.00 and no more than \$1000.00.
- (g) An individual who owns property that knowingly allows a violation of subsections (a)—(d) of this section to occur on his/her property shall be responsible for a municipal civil infraction and be subject to a civil fine of at least \$100.00 and no more than \$1000.00.

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<sup>1</sup> The current State law which regulates the use of consumer fireworks is MCL 28.457.