

**BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS  
SPALDING COUNTY, GEORGIA**

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Ordinance No. **2018-07 PART XI – CHAPTER 1, A NEW SECTION 11-1005 ENTITLED  
DISCHARGING OF FIREARMS**

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**SPALDING COUNTY, GEORGIA**

**LICENSING AND REGULATION ORDINANCE  
ORDINANCE NO. 2018-ORD-07**

**TO INTRODUCE A NEW SECTION 11-1005, UNDER PART XI, CHAPTER 1  
ENTITLED: DISCHARGING OF FIREARMS:**

**Sec. 11-1005 – Discharge of Weapons**

- 1) It shall be unlawful for any person, without the consent of the owner,
  - a) to discharge any firearm within 300 feet of any residence, place of worship, business, or public meeting place;
  - b) to discharge any firearm within 150 feet of a property line;
  - c) to discharge any firearm, air rifle, pellet gun, slingshot, crossbow, or other similar device so that the projectile from the firearm trespasses on the property of another.
- 2) It shall also be unlawful for any person to discharge any firearm, air rifle, pellet gun, slingshot, crossbow, or other similar device within any zoning district zoned and developed for residential purposes (except AR-1 zoning).
- 3) This section shall not apply to the use of firearms in the defense of home or family or to any law enforcement officer or county animal control officer while in the discharge of his official duties.
- 4) Any such violation, upon conviction thereof, as prescribed by the laws of Georgia, shall be punishable by a fine or imprisonment, or both, not to exceed the maximum fine or the maximum imprisonment, or both, as prescribed by the pertinent laws of Georgia and as more particularly set out in section 1-1007 of this Code, which such section is incorporated herein and made a part hereof by reference.

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Approved on first reading this second day of April, 2018.

Approved on second reading this sixteenth day of April, 2018.

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Raymond Ray, Chairman

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William P. Wilson, Jr. County Clerk