

ORDINANCE 2020-16

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING THE PENALTIES RELATED THE DISCHARGE OF WEAPONS WITHIN CITY LIMITS FOR DEPREDATION HUNTS

WHEREAS; the Utah Department of Wildlife Resources governs and manages wildlife hunts and depredation permits/hunts; and

WHEREAS; The City has ordinances in place which prohibit the discharge of weapons including bow and arrows within the City; and

WHEREAS; The City wishes to allow for depredation permits/hunts to occur when necessary; and

WHEREAS; The City wishes to provide for these hunts in a safe manner and in accordance with state law.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the North Ogden City Council that the North Ogden City Code be amended as follows.

SECTION 1: The North Ogden Code shall be amended as follows:

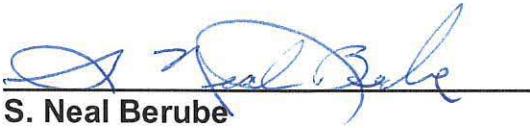
6-2E-1: DISCHARGING WEAPONS WITHIN CITY LIMITS

It is unlawful and punishable as a class B misdemeanor and, upon conviction, subject to penalty as provided in CCNO 1-4-1, for any person to discharge any gun or pistol or air gun, or to shoot any bow and arrow, within the limits of the city, except in self-defense, or in the case of a peace officer performing his official duty, or in accordance with archery hunts authorized by a Department of Wildlife Resources depredation permit/hunt with written permission from the Police Chief, or in case of target shooting with a bow and arrow after the erection in a proper place of a proper breastwork or barrier for the protection of other persons and their property and after approval of such barrier or breastwork by the chief of police or his designated representative; provided, however, that nothing contained in this section shall be construed to prohibit the use of play pistols, guns, bows and arrows, or other similar children's toys.

SECTION 2: This ordinance shall take immediate effect.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 14th day of July, 2020.

North Ogden City:



S. Neal Berube
North Ogden City Mayor

CITY COUNCIL VOTE AS RECORDED:

	Aye	Nay	
Council Member Barker:	___	___	(excused)
Council Member Covering:	<u>X</u>	___	
Council Member Ekstrom:	<u>X</u>	___	
Council Member Stoker:	<u>X</u>	___	
Council Member Swanson:	<u>X</u>	___	
(In event of a tie vote of the Council):			
Mayor Berube	___	___	

ATTEST:



S. Annette Spendlove, MMC
City Recorder