

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF MCLENNAN

**ORDER PROHIBITS CERTAIN FIREWORKS IN UNINCORPORATED
AREAS OF MCLENNAN COUNTY, TEXAS**

WHEREAS, the Texas Forest Service has determined that drought conditions exist in McLennan County; and

WHEREAS, on the 7th day of June, 2022, the Commissioners Court of McLennan County has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of McLennan County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of McLennan County adopts this Order prohibiting/restricting the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of McLennan County.

- a. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use fireworks classified as “skyrockets with sticks” under 49 C.F.R. part. 173.100(r)(2) (10-01-86 edition) or missiles with fins in any portion of the unincorporated areas of McLennan County.
- b. This order does not prohibit “permissible fireworks” as authorized in Occupations Code Section 2154.003(a).
- c. A person commits an offense if the person knowingly or intentionally violates a prohibition established by this Order. An offense under this order is a Class C. Misdemeanor.
- d. This order expires on the date the Texas Forest Service determines drought conditions no longer exist in the county or on midnight of July 4, 2022, whichever is earlier.

Approved this the 7th day of June, 2022, by the McLennan County Commissioners


County Judge Scott M. Felton