

RECORD OF ORDINANCES

Ordinance No. 49-71

Passed June 17

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ORDINANCE NUMBER 49-71
CITY OF CENTERVILLE, OHIO

SPONSORED BY COUNCILMAN JOHN DAVIS ON THE 17th DAY OF JUNE, 1971.

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE AMENDING THE "CODE OF ORDINANCES VILLAGE OF CENTERVILLE" SECTION 38.4 BY PROVIDING THAT THE SHOOTING OF FIREARMS, AIR GUNS, AND BOWS AND ARROWS MAY BE PERMITTED BY COUNCIL WITHIN THE CITY.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF CENTERVILLE HEREBY ORDAINS:

Section 1. That Section 38.4 of the Code of Ordinances of the Village of Centerville is hereby amended as follows:

It shall be unlawful to discharge any cannon, pistol or other firearm of any kind whatsoever, or any air rifle, pellet gun, gas gun, BB gun or other similar object or any bow and arrow, crossbow or other similar object within the [Village] City. This section shall not prohibit the firing of a military salute or the firing of weapons by men of the nation's armed forces acting under military authority and shall not apply to law enforcement officers in the proper enforcement of the law, or to any person in the proper exercise of the right of defense [.] or to any person who has applied to and received special permission from the City Council to fire a cannon, pistol, or other firearm, or air rifle, pellet gun, gas gun, BB gun or other similar object or any bow and arrow, crossbow or other similar object within the City.

Section 2. This ordinance is hereby declared to be an emergency ordinance and shall become effective upon passage. A public emergency affecting the public safety and general welfare is hereby declared to exist by virtue of the fact that a muzzle-loading shooting contest is planned in connection with the 175th Anniversary Celebration of Centerville-Washington Township and it would be in the best interest of the citizens of the Centerville-Washington Township area to permit said shooting contest to take place in the City of Centerville, where proper controls of same could be maintained.

Passed this 17th day of June, 1971.

/s/ Paul C. Hoy
Mayor - City of Centerville, Ohio

ATTEST:

/s/ Marilyn J. McLaughlin
Clerk of the Council of the
City of Centerville, Ohio

C E R T I F I C A T E

The undersigned, Clerk of the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, hereby certifies that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance passed by the Council of the City of Centerville, Ohio, on the 17th day of June, 1971.

/s/ Marilyn J. McLaughlin
Clerk

Approved as to form, consistency with existing ordinances, the charter & constitutional provisions.

Department of Law
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