

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF LIBERTY

ORDER PROHIBITING CERTAIN FIREWORKS IN
UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LIBERTY COUNTY, TEXAS
FOR THE JULY 4, 2026 HOLIDAY

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

WHEREAS, on the 23rd day of June 2026, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County has determined that the normal danger of fire in the unincorporated areas of Liberty County is greatly enhanced by the extremely dry conditions now existing;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court of Liberty County adopts this Order [prohibiting OR restricting] the sale or use of restricted fireworks in the unincorporated areas of Liberty County.

- A. A person may not sell, detonate, ignite, or in any way use fireworks classified as "skyrockets with sticks and fins" 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 Liberty 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 July 5, 2026, whichever is earlier.
- E. This order is effect from June 23, 2026, through midnight July 5, 2026. **APPROVED**
this the 23rd day of June 2026, by the Liberty County Commissioners Court.



Jay Knight, County Judge