

ARTICLE 7.200 MISCELLANEOUS OFFENSES

Sec. 7.201 Unlawful to Yell, Swear, Etc., in Public Place

It shall be unlawful for any person to holler, shriek, yell, swear, or use any vociferous, vulgar and indecent language within any public place. (1974 Code, Chapter 11, Article 1, Section 11-1)

Sec. 7.202 Unlawful to Fire Guns

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person to fire or discharge, within the ordinary definition of such terms, any gun, pistol, or other like firearms. (1974 Code, Chapter 11, Article 1, Section 11-2)

(b) Exception to this shall be made for law enforcement personnel acting in the normal course of duty, persons firing in a lawfully operated target or shooting range, or persons acting in the lawful defense of life or property. (Ordinance adopting Code)

Sec. 7.203 Unlawful to Remove Property

It shall be unlawful for any person to remove from its accustomed place, or from the place where the owner left it, and had the right to leave the same, any property of any description, without the consent of the owner. (1974 Code, Chapter 11, Article 1, Section 11-3)

Sec. 7.204 Unlawful to Deface Property

It shall be unlawful for any person to deface, mark, scratch, or caricature with pen, pencil or by any other means any public property or the property of any other person other than the person so offending. (1974 Code, Chapter 11, Article 1, Section 11-4)

Sec. 7.205 Unlawful to Possess Firearms

(a) It shall be unlawful for any person within the City of Abernathy to carry on or about his person any pellet gun, air rifle or air pistol of any description, by whatever name known, that by means of compressed air, compressed gas, springs, or any other means is capable of discharging any shot, pellet, or any other solid object a distance of fifty (50') feet or more.

(b) The preceding section shall not apply to a person on his own premises or place of business or on the premises or place of business of another with the latter's permission or consent, nor to a person transporting such weapon by a reasonably direct route between any two (2) locations where the possession is lawful under this ordinance.

(Ordinance 315, adopted 5/11/87, Section 1)

Sec. 7.206 Penalty

Any person guilty of violating any of the foregoing prohibited acts shall be fined in accordance with the general penalty provision found in Section 1.106 of this code. (1974 Code, Chapter 11, Article 1, Section 11-5)