



## TO REPORT ILLEGAL FIREWORKS

- Call 311
- ABQ311 App
- Report online



[www.cabq.gov/fire/how-to-report-illegal-fireworks](http://www.cabq.gov/fire/how-to-report-illegal-fireworks)

# CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE

## ILLEGAL FIREWORKS ENFORCEMENT

Albuquerque has unique wildland urban interface open space areas that are in constant threat of fires. Fires in the Bosque, Westside Open Space area and the Foothills endanger the lives and property of those who live nearby.

On July 4, 2021 Albuquerque Fire Rescue responded to 25 outside fires. The City's Field Enforcement Units (FEU) responded to more than 60 locations and issued 29 cease-and-desist orders.

It is against City Ordinance Fire Code 0-19-63, Section 5609 to use illegal fireworks within city limits. FEU patrols WILL be responding to reports of illegal fireworks. Read the fireworks label if you are unsure what is legal.

**CAUTION = LEGAL**  
**WARNING = ILLEGAL**

\*\* ASSORTMENT PACKAGES MAY DISPLAY A WARNING LABEL WHILE THE INDIVIDUAL FIREWORKS CONTAINED INSIDE MAY INDICATE CAUTION ONLY \*\*

**\*\* CEASE AND DESIST ORDER \*\***

THIS DOCUMENT SHALL SERVE AS AN OFFICIAL NOTICE THAT THE OWNER AND/OR OCCUPANT (RESPONSIBLE PARTY OF LISTED PROPERTY) OF THE ADDRESS LISTED HAS BEEN REPORTED AS USING ILLEGAL FIREWORKS.

#### 5609.6.1 FINES

ANY PROVISION OF THE FIREWORKS LICENSING AND SAFETY ACT OR THIS CODE IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR AND UPON CONVICTION SHALL BE PUNISHED BY A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$500.00) AND/OR IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT MORE THAN NINETY DAYS.

For questions, please call  
**ALBUQUERQUE  
FIRE MARSHAL'S OFFICE**

**505-764-6300**

or visit our website at

**[cabq.gov/fire](http://cabq.gov/fire)**

**Thank You!**

We appreciate your help in protecting our natural resources and keeping Albuquerque's open spaces beautiful.