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NEW FIREWORKS ENFORCEMENT TOOLS NOW AVAILABLE

June 5, 2020 SAGINAW, MI – The City of Saginaw is committed to safety for all residents and making the City of Saginaw an enjoyable community for all. In response to recent complaints regarding the illegal use of fireworks, the city has established an email address for citizens to lodge fireworks complaints. Citizens can email stopthenoise@saginaw-mi.com with complaints. Citizens are asked to provide specific information of the location of the fireworks in the email if possible. Members of our S.C.E.N.I.C. Inspections Division, in cooperation with the Saginaw Police and Fire Departments, have established a Fireworks Enforcement team that will be patrolling areas of the city effective immediately to increase enforcement. Citizens can also call 9-1-1 to lodge complaints. Violations of the fireworks ordinance is a civil infraction which carries up to a \$1,000 fine.

The City of Saginaw Pyrotechnic Ordinance allows a specific timeframe for the legal use of fireworks, which is **June 29 to July 4 from 11:00 a.m. until 11:45 p.m.** on each of those days for the upcoming 4th of July holiday. View the ordinance at https://codelibrary.amlegal.com/.../la.../saginaw_mi/0-0-0-3640...

For more information on the use of consumer fireworks, contact the Saginaw Fire Department at (989) 759-1393.

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