

**AN ORDINANCE TO REGULATE THE USE  
OF EXPLOSIVES USED IN CONSTRUCTION  
IN THE TOWN OF SPRING HILL**

**Whereas**, explosives are inherently dangerous in their transport, storage and use, and

**Whereas**, construction continues unabated inside the corporate limits, much of which, due to proximity of limestone rock near the surface, will cause explosives to be used, and

**Whereas**, there currently exists no regulation by which officials of the Town may regulate use of explosives and thereby guard the public safety

**BE IT THEREFORE ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF THE TOWN OF SPRING HILL, TENNESSEE** that Title 12 of the 1995 Municipal Code be amended by adding Chapter 8, Sections 12-801 through 12-805 as follows:

**Section 12-801**

The 1995 edition of "Tennessee Blasting Laws Annotated" issued by the State of Tennessee Division of Fire Prevention is hereby adopted as the Town of Spring Hill code to be applicable to use of all explosives used in construction; any later edition of this code may be considered to be adopted as of the date of the edition publication.

**Section 12-802**

All persons planning on the use of explosives in construction shall first apply for a Town permit; such permit shall require the sum of \$50.00 to be paid as a permit fee.

**Section 12-803**

The codes department of the Town shall be notified before explosives are used so that a pre-blast inspection may be made.

**Section 12-804**

All persons holding a permit for the use of explosives in any type of construction project shall give notice, prior to any blasting, to all occupants of residential or commercial structures within 500 yards.

**Section 12-805**

If the permit holder fails to comply with these regulations in any manner, an immediate stop-work order will be issued and all blasting and construction will cease until such time as the permit holder is in full compliance.

Repeal of Ordinances – all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

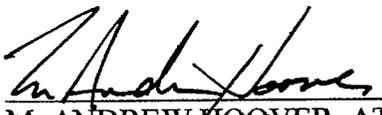
Passed and adopted by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the Town of Spring Hill, Tennessee on the 19th day of April, 1999.

  
RON HANKINS, MAYOR

ATTEST:

  
JUNE QUIRK, RECORDER

LEGAL FORM APPROVED:

  
M. ANDREW HOOVER, ATTORNEY

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