

**ORDINANCE NO. 2025-19**

***AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF IRONDALE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2024-26  
AND CLARIFYING THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A BLASTING PERMIT***

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED** by the City Council of the City of Irondale, Alabama, in regular meeting duly assembled, a quorum being present, as follows:

**Section 1. MODIFICATION OF CHAPTER 4, BUILDINGS AND BUILDING REGULATIONS, ARTICLE I, IN GENERAL.** Chapter 4, Article I of the *Municipal Code of the City of Irondale, Alabama* is hereby amended by deleting Sec. 4-2(g) in its entirety and replacing it with the following:

Chapter 4 – Buildings and Building Regulations.

Article I – In General

Sec. 4-2. Permits required; fees

(g) *Blasting permit.* A fee of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) shall be charged for each blasting application and permit issuance for every person engaged in any use of explosives, and each person, firm or corporation filing application must (1) include such information and certifications as required by the fire marshal, including a business license, blaster’s certification from the state fire marshal’s office (blaster’s card – individual, blasting contractor’s license – company), ATF Federal Explosives License, and an Alabama general contractor license; (2) furnish a corporate surety bond, depositing with the city clerk in the principal sum of \$100,000.00 for performance; and (3) furnish a certificate of insurance for property damage and personal injury coverage with identical limits for explosion, collapse, and underground coverage in the amount of (i) a minimum \$500,000.00 per occurrence (as required under state law).

The remainder of Sec. 4-2 remains unchanged.

**Section 2. ORDINANCES REPEALED.** All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

**Section 3. SEVERABILITY.** That if any section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase of this ordinance is, for any reason, held to be unconstitutional, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance. The City Council of the City of Irondale hereby declares that it would have passed this ordinance, and each section, subsection, clause or phrase thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional.

**Section 4. LEGAL RIGHTS NOT IMPAIRED.** Nothing in this ordinance or in the Code hereby adopted shall be construed to affect any suit or proceeding impending in any court, or any rights acquired, or liability incurred, or any cause or causes of action acquired or existing, under any act or ordinance hereby repealed as cited in this ordinance; nor shall any just or legal right or remedy of any character be lost, impaired or affected by this ordinance.

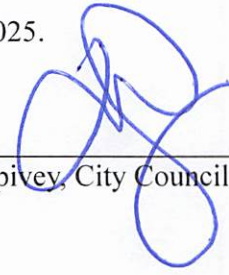
**Section 5. ORDINANCE CUMULATIVE; COMPATIBILITY WITH OTHER REGULATIONS.** This ordinance shall not be construed to modify or to repeal any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law. The requirements of this ordinance are in addition to and cumulative to the requirements of any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, and where any provision of this ordinance imposes restrictions different from those imposed by any other ordinance, rule, regulation, or other provision of law, whichever provision is more restrictive or imposes higher protective standards for human health or the environment shall control.

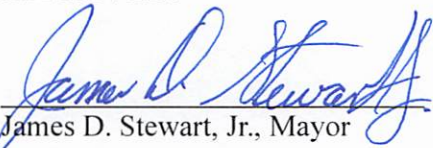
**Section 6. PUBLICATION OF ORDINANCE.** The City Clerk of the City of Irondale is hereby ordered and directed to cause this ordinance to be published and that a copy of this ordinance be entered upon the minutes of the meeting of the City Council.

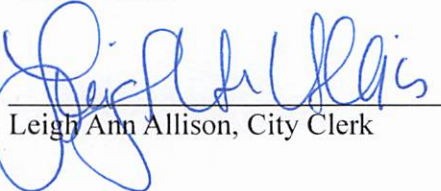
**Section 7. EFFECTIVE DATE OF ORDINANCE.** That this ordinance and the rules, regulations, provisions, requirements, orders and matters established and adopted hereby shall be in full force and effect upon adoption as provided by law and shall continue in full force and effect from month to month and year to year from its effective date until repealed.

**THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED,** that the City Council of the City of Irondale does hereby ordain and enact the foregoing ordinance for the City of Irondale.

**ADOPTED & APPROVED:** This 16th day of December, 2025.

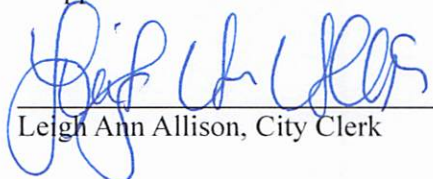
  
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David Spivey, City Council President

**APPROVED:**  
  
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James D. Stewart, Jr., Mayor

**ATTESTED:**  
  
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Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk

**CERTIFICATION**

I, Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk of the City of Irondale, Alabama, hereby certify the above to be a true and correct copy of an ordinance adopted by the City Council of the City of Irondale at its regular meeting held on December 16, 2025, as the same appears in the minutes of record of said meeting.

  
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Leigh Ann Allison, City Clerk