

**CITY OF DAWSON**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2017-04**

**ORDINANCE NO. 2024-03**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF DAWSON, TEXAS, AMENDING THE CITY'S FIREARM ORDINANCE; REPEALING SECTION 2 AND SECTION 3; AMENDING SECTION 4.6 BY OMITTING CERTAIN WORDS; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.**

**WHEREAS**, the City Council of the City of Dawson, Texas, has authority to amend its ordinances under state law; and

**WHEREAS** the City Council finds it necessary to amend the firearm ordinance to ensure clarity and consistency with applicable law;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DAWSON, TEXAS:**

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**SECTION 1. REPEAL OF SECTION 2.**

Section 2 of the City of Dawson Firearm Ordinance is hereby **repealed in its entirety** and shall be of no further force or effect.

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**SECTION 2. REPEAL OF SECTION 3.**

Section 3 of the City of Dawson Firearm Ordinance is hereby **repealed in its entirety** and shall be of no further force or effect.

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**SECTION 3. AMENDMENT TO SECTION 4.6.**

Section 4.6 of the City of Dawson Firearm Ordinance is hereby amended by **omitting the words "within the city limits" wherever they appear** in that section. Except as expressly amended herein, Section 4.6 shall remain in full force and effect.

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**SECTION 4. SEVERABILITY.**

If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this ordinance is for any reason held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this ordinance.

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**SECTION 5. EFFECTIVE DATE.**

This ordinance shall take effect immediately upon passage and publication as required by law.

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**PASSED AND APPROVED** on this 13 day of January, 2024

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Mayor, City of Dawson, Texas

ATTEST:

*Stephen A. Sanders*

City Secretary

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