

**VILLAGE OF SOUTH WILMINGTON
GRUNDY COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE NO. 2022-6

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SOUTH WILMINGTON MUNICIPAL CODE REGULATING RUBBISH BURNING
WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH WILMINGTON**

**PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE
SOUTH WILMINGTON VILLAGE BOARD
THIS 11TH DAY OF MAY, 2022.**

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authority of the Board of Trustees
Village of South Wilmington,
Grundy County, Illinois
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WHEREAS, the South Wilmington Village Board has deemed it reasonable and necessary to amend Article VI, Section 9, Subsection .060(B) of the Village of South Wilmington Code regarding burning rubbish within the Village of South Wilmington;

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Village of South Wilmington, Village Board that under certain conditions, that rubbish burning could constitute safety hazards to the residents of the Village of South Wilmington, as well as a nuisance; and

WHEREAS, the amendments contained herein have been determined by the South Wilmington Village Board to be in the best interest of the health, safety and welfare of the residents of the Village of South Wilmington, Illinois.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND TRUSTEES OF THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH WILMINGTON, VILLAGE BOARD, AS FOLLOWS:

1. That Article VI, Section 9, Subsection .060(B), of the Village of South Wilmington Municipal Code is hereby amended to include the following:

.060(B) Rubbish Burning. It is unlawful to burn wet cardboard or paper, rags, feathers, wet or green leaves, green weeds or grass at any time. The burning of any material such as rubber tires, leather, tar paper, old batteries, or any material which emits offensive odor when burned is unlawful within the village limits. Limited amounts of paper cardboard, dry leaves or other combustible material may be burned as long as the material is dry and does not create an offensive odor, nuisance, or fire hazard due to excessive high winds. Combustible material may not be burned between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday during the months of March through October. The continued smoldering of slow burning combustible waste within the prohibited timeframe contained herein is a nuisance, and anyone kindling such a fire which will be considered performing an unlawful act.

2. That the balance of the provisions contained in Article VI, Section 9 of the Village of South Wilmington Municipal Code are restated as though fully set forth herein.

3. This Ordinance shall be in effect from and following its passage, approval, and publication as required by law.

4. Any Ordinances inconsistent with the terms and provisions hereof are hereby repealed and revoked to the extent of any such inconsistency.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11th day of May, 2022.

Ayes	<u>5</u>
Nays	<u>0</u>
Abstain	<u>0</u>
Absent	<u>1</u>



RICK ALDERSON, Village President

(SEAL)

ATTEST:



TERRY SCHULTZ, Village Clerk