

**ORDINANCE NO. 2001-036**

**AN ORDINANCE OF THE VILLAGE OF BALD HEAD ISLAND,  
NORTH CAROLINA, AMENDING SECTION 6 OF ITS FIRE DISTRICT  
ORDINANCE.**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Bald Head Island deems it necessary to the health, safety and general welfare of its citizens and residents to provide for primary and secondary fire districts; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village of Bald Head Island adopted an ordinance on June 18, 1994, to create primary and secondary fire districts within the confines of the Village limits; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village Council amended the ordinance on July 16, 1994; and

**WHEREAS**, in an effort to ensure compliance with this ordinance, the Village Council wishes to amend Section 6 of the ordinance to incorporate penalties as provided for in North Carolina General Statutes 14-4.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED**, by the Village of Bald Head Island, North Carolina:

Section 1. That Section 6 of the ordinance concerning the Village's primary and secondary fire districts be amended as follows:

Section 6. That the possession and/or use within the confines of the Village of Bald Head Island of pyrotechnics by any individual (except by special permit of the County of Brunswick) be and hereby is declared unlawful and that violation hereof shall be a civil violation punishable by a civil fine of \$100. Any individual cited for violation of this ordinance shall pay said civil penalty at the office of the Village Clerk of the Village of Bald Head Island within 48 hours of the issuance thereof. In addition, violation of this ordinance shall constitute a Class 3 misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500 and/or imprisonment pursuant to N.C.G.S. 14-4. Nothing herein contained shall prevent the Village of Bald Head Island from taking such other lawful action as is necessary to prevent or remedy any violation.

Section 5. This ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

Adopted this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001

By:   
Freeman A. Berne, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
Alina Medina, Village Clerk