

ORDINANCE NO. 271

ORDINANCE BY THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF ALBURTIS, LEHIGH COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, REGULATING THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS WITHIN SAID BOROUGH AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

In order to secure the safety of persons and property within the Borough of Alburtis, Lehigh County, Pennsylvania, BE IT ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the Council of the Borough of Alburtis, and IT IS ORDAINED AND ENACTED by the same, as follows:

Section 1. From and after the effective date of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person, except in necessary defense of person or property, to fire or discharge any gun, including but not limited to B.B. guns, air or pellet guns, rifle, or firearm, at any place within the Borough of Alburtis. The terms gun, rifle, or firearm, shall mean those instruments designed to discharge a projectile.

Section 2. From and after the effective date of this Ordinance, it shall be unlawful for any person to discharge or release any projectile in a dangerous or reckless manner. This section includes, but is not limited to, the use of bow and arrows, crossbows, and slingshots.

Section 3. Any person violating this Ordinance shall

be guilty of a summary offense and, upon consideration thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine not more than THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$300.00), together with costs of prosecution, and in default of payment, thereof, shall undergo imprisonment for a period not to exceed thirty (30) days.

ORDAINED AND ENACTED THIS 11 day of October , 1989.

BY THE BOROUGH OF ALBURTIS

By: *Carlton P. Paine*
President of Council

ATTEST:

Louise Hawk
Secretary

APPROVED this 11 day of October, 1989.

By: *[Signature]*
Mayor