

CITY OF MORRIS
ORDINANCE 02-01

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
MORRIS, ALABAMA AS FOLLOWS:

FALSE ALARMS

SECTION 1. The City Council of the City of Morris finds and declares all
of the following:

It shall be unlawful for owners of businesses and residences with
installed and monitored burglar alarms, to cause alarms, whether
negligently or intentionally, to activate and cause emergency police
units to respond more than three (3) times in a calendar year to a false
alarm.

SECTION 2. If police units respond to a business or residence a fourth (4th)
time in a calendar year, for a false alarm, there shall be a \$10.00 fine
assessed for the 4th and 5th call. Each subsequent false alarm call during the
same calendar year will result in a \$25.00 fine.

SECTION 3. This Ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its
adoption and publication as required by law.

SECTION 4. The fines collected shall be housed in the Police Equipment
Fund.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED THIS 13th DAY OF
May, 2002.

Michael D. Jofcoat
Mayor

Gwendolyn Creech
City Clerk

