Title 3 Chapter 1

Firearm Discharge Prohibitions

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Sec. 3-1-1 Title/Purpose

The title of this Chapter is the Firearm Discharge Prohibitions. The purpose of this Chapter is for the Town of Arlington to control the discharge of firearms within the Town.

Sec. 3-1-2 Authority

The Town Board of the Town of Arlington has the general authority under its Village powers to adopt this Chapter pursuant to Wis. Stats. §60.10, §60.22 and §61.34.

Sec. 3-1-3 General Provisions

No person shall discharge a firearm from the railroad right-of-way between the Village of Arlington Village limits and the Dane County-Columbia County line.

Sec. 3-1-4 Goose Pond Road Prohibition

No person shall use firearms on any part of the highway right-of-way of that section of the town road known as the Goose Pond Road between County Trunk Highway "K" and the town road known as Kampen Road.

Sec. 3-1-5 Community Center Prohibition

- (1) Pursuant to Section 943.13(1m)(c)4, Wis. Stats., no person shall enter or remain in any part of the Community Center located within the Community Center if the Town of Arlington has notified the person not to enter or remain in the Community Center while carrying a firearm.
- (2) The Town Clerk, in conjunction with the Village of Arlington Administrator or designees, shall cause signs to be erected at all entrances to the Community Center providing notice that no person is to enter or remain in the Community Center while carrying a firearm. Such signs shall be five (5) inches by seven (7) inches or larger.

- (3) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to prohibit a peace officer or armed forces or military personnel armed in the line of duty, or any person duly authorized by the Town Clerk to possess a firearm in the Community Center or Town Office. Notwithstanding Section 939.22(22), Wis. Stats., for purposes of this paragraph, "peace officer" does not include a commission warden who is not a state certified commission warden.
- (4) Nothing in this Section shall be construed to authorize the carrying of any firearm or dangerous weapon contrary to Section 941.23 or 941.235, Wis. Stats.

Sec. 3-1-6 Penalty

Any person violating any provision of this chapter shall be subject to a penalty as provided in Sec. 9-3-4 of this code.

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