
Sec. 36-1. Discharge of firearms; violation and penalties.

- (a) No minor under 16 years of age, shall discharge any firearm, air rifle or air pistol within the limits of the Town, unless such discharge shall be in the presence and under the supervision of the parent or legal guardian of such minor, or a qualified instructor on an authorized range.
- (b) Unless otherwise permitted by law, no person shall discharge any firearm outdoors and within 500 feet of any building situated anywhere in the Town, except as to buildings on his own land or on land used in conjunction with a duly organized rifle, fish and game, or gun club, or in an area approved by the Chief of Police.
- (c) A landowner may extend to others by written consent, the right to use his property for hunting, target practice or other purposes requiring the use of firearms.
- (d) Any person violating any provision of this section, or a parent or legal guardian permitting violation by a minor less than 16 years of age, shall be fined not less than \$40.00 and not more than \$100.00. Each day such violation shall continue after notice to the owner may be deemed a separate offense.

(Ord. No. 11, § 1)

State law reference(s)—Penalty for ordinance violations, G.S. § 7-148(c)(10)(A); unlawful discharge of firearms, G.S. § 53-204.