

**BYLAW NO. 2011-11**  
**The Use of Firearms Bylaw, 2011**

The Council of The Town of Hafford enacts:

**Short Title**

1. This Bylaw may be cited as The Firearms Bylaw, 2011.

**Purpose**

2. This Bylaw is enacted to regulate the use of firearms within the jurisdiction of the Town of Hafford.

**Definitions**

3. In this Bylaw,
  - a) "Firearms" shall be deemed to include any type or caliber of firearm, air gun, or air pistol.

**Scope**

4. This Bylaw applies within the jurisdictional limits of the Municipality.

**General Prohibition**

5. No person, unless authorized by this bylaw, shall discharge any type or caliber of firearm, air gun, or air pistol within the Town of Hafford.

**Exemptions**

6. The following persons are authorized to discharge firearms, air guns, or air pistols within the Town of Hafford:
  - a) Peace Officers acting in the line of duty;
  - b) Conservation Officers acting in the line of duty;
  - c) Persons participating in Council approved sporting events, such as turkey shoots, or similar events, upon such terms and conditions as Council stipulates. A complete and accurate application form in Schedule A, setting out the particulars respecting the exemption requested.

**Offences and Penalties**

7. Any person found guilty of an infraction of any of the provisions of this bylaw shall be liable to the penalties imposed by the General Penalty Bylaw of the Town of Hafford.

**Schedule Form Part of Bylaw**

8. Schedule "A" attached hereto shall form part of this Bylaw.
9. This bylaw shall come into force and take effect on the final passing thereof.
10. Bylaw 1987-5 shall be and is hereby repealed.

**SEAL**

Certified a true copy of  
Bylaw 2011-11 adopted by  
Council Resolution on the  
8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2011.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

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Administrator

\_\_\_\_\_  
Administrator

**Schedule A: FIREARM BYLAW – FIREARM DISCHARGE PERMIT APPLICATION**

The undersigned hereby requests the Council of the Town of Hafford to consider this application for an exemption from the provisions contained within the Town of Hafford Firearms Bylaw 2011-11.

The undersigned certifies the information contained herein, on which this application is based, to be true and the owner is aware of this exemption request.

**1. Applicant / Property Owner**

Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Postal Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Legal Land Description for Event**

LSD(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Lot(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Block(s) \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Type of Event:** \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Anticipated Event Attendance:** \_\_\_\_\_

**5. Description of event:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**6. Description of calibers of firearms to be discharged:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**7. Date (s) for which an exemption is being sought:**

\_\_\_\_\_

**8. Signature of Applicant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Applications must be received at least 10 business days prior to the Council Meeting at which the exemption request is to be addressed.**

Approval: Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_

That the application to discharge firearms within the jurisdictional limits of the Municipality be approved under the following conditions:

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

Refusal: Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_

That the application to discharge firearms within the jurisdictional limits of the Municipality be refused because:

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_
- 4. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor