

VILLAGE OF BARTON

ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF FIREARMS

WITHIN THE VILLAGE OF BARTON, VERMONT
ORDINANCE # B.V.09

DEFINITION OF FIREARM: Any weapon, whether loaded or unloaded, which will or is designed to or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive.

ARTICLE ONE: General Provisions

Section 1.(A).

All rules and regulations contained herein, together with such amendments as may be hereafter adopted, are hereby designated as the ORDINANCE REGULATING THE USE OF FIREARMS WITH THE VILLAGE OF BARTON, VERMONT, hereinafter referred to as the Ordinance.

Section 2. (A).

In the event any provisions of this Ordinance shall conflict with any other applicable regulation, rule, bylaw, ordinance or statute of the Village of Barton, the State of Vermont or the United States of America, the more restrictive provision shall apply.

ARTICLE TWO: Permitted and Non-Permitted Definition Section 1.(A).

No person shall within the limits of Barton Village discharge a firearm.

Section 2. (A).

This Ordinance shall not prohibit law enforcement officers from carrying out their legal duties regarding the use of firearms.

Section 2.(B).

This Ordinance shall not prohibit shooting events from taking place within the Village of Barton where such events are run by certified Range Masters and where the organization putting on such events first provides proof of insurance to the Trustees of the Village of Barton who may, in their discretion, allow such events to take place at a designated time and location.

ARTICLE THREE: Penalty

Section 1.(A).

A civil penalty of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) may be imposed for a violation of this Ordinance,. The waiver fee shall be set at \$100.00 for the first offense, \$200.00 for the second offense within a six month period, and \$250.00 for all subsequent offenses within a six month period-unless this Ordinance conflicts with applicable regulations as stated in ARTICLE

ONE, Section 2.(A).

ARTICLE FOUR: ORDINANCE IN FORCE

Section 1.(A).

This ordinance shall be in full force and effect sixty (60) days from the date of its adoption unless a petition is filed in accordance with Title 24, Section 1973, Vermont Statutes Annotated in which case the effective date shall be as governed by Title 24, Section 1973(e), Vermont Statutes Annotated.

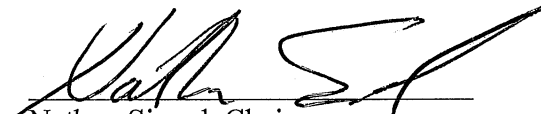
The within and foregoing Ordinance was adopted pursuant to law by the trustees of the Village of Barton on the 22nd day of January, 2018


ADOPTION HISTORY:

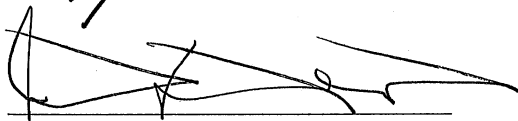
Original Adoption 22nd of May 1998.
Amendment Sections: Definition, 2(B)

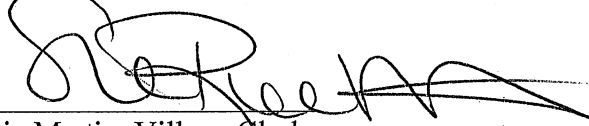
1. Agenda item at a regular Trustee meeting held on January 22, 2018.
2. Minutes approved on: February 12, 2018
3. Posted in public places on: January 23, 2018
4. Notice of adoption published in the Barton Chronicle on: January 24, 2018
5. Other actions (petitions, etc.): Notice of amended adoption on January 22, 2018, became effective 60 days from date of adoption: March 23, 2018 unless a petition requesting a vote is filed. No Petitions were filed.

Approved as amended on this 9th day of April, 2018. Barton Village, Barton, VT


Nathan Sicard, Chair


Cathy Swain


Justin Barton-Caplin

Attest: 
Shelia Martin, Village Clerk

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ANNUAL TOWN MEETING ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON MARCH 6, 2018, TO ELECT BY AUSTRALIAN BALLOT. ALL PETITIONS MUST BE FILED WITH THE DERBY TOWN CLERK BY 5 P.M. ON JANUARY 29, 2018.

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Notice of Amendment of Ordinance #BV09, Ordinance Regulating the Use of Firearms.

On January 22, 2018, The Barton Village Board of Trustees reviewed proposed changes and adopted amendments to the existing ordinance regulating the use of firearms.

DEFINITION OF FIREARM: ~~a weapon from which a shot is discharged by gunpowder.~~ any weapon, whether loaded or unloaded, which will, or is designed to, or may readily be converted to expel a projectile by the action of an explosive.

SECTION 2B

This Ordinance shall not prohibit shooting events from taking place within the Village of Barton, where such events are run by certified Range Masters, and where the organization putting on such events first provides proof of insurance to the Trustees of the Village of Barton who may, in their discretion, allow such events to take place at a designated time and location.

Other grammar related changes can be found in the full text on the website or can be examined at the Village Office during regular business hours.

Additional information pertaining to this Ordinance may be obtained by contacting the Barton Village Board of Trustees with any questions. Please call the office at 802-525-4747 during normal business hours to leave a message for the Trustees.

CITIZENS' RIGHT TO PETITION FOR VOTE Title 24 V.S.A. § 1973 grants citizens the right to petition for a vote at a special or annual Village Meeting to disapprove ordinance amendments adopted by the Village Trustees. To exercise this right, citizens must present to the Trustees or the Village Clerk a petition for a vote on the question of disapproving the amendments signed by not less than five percent (5%) of the Villages qualified voters. The petition must be presented within forty-four (44) days following the date of the adoption of the amendments. Unless a petition requesting a vote is filed pursuant to 24 V.S.A. § 1973, the amended "Ordinance Regulating the Use of Firearms" shall become effective sixty (60) days from the date of said adoption.