

Section 130.03 is re-titled to read as follows: "Firearms, air rifles, and the like; discharging, seizure."

Section 130.03 is amended by adding the following:

"(D) Any member of the Police Department or the County Sheriff's Office hereby is authorized to seize and hold, subject to order of the Court, any firearms, guns or pistols, air rifle, spring gun or pistol, compressed air rifle or pistol, or other similar device referred to in this Section which impels with force any shot or pellet of any kind and is shot or discharged within the City in violation of this Section."

Section 130.04 entitled, "Firearms, Air Rifles, and the Like; Seizure by Police" is deleted in its entirety, and the following is inserted in lieu thereof.

"Section 130.4. Firearms, Possession.

(A) Notwithstanding the provisions of N.C.G.S. § 14-415.11, and in accordance with N.C.G.S. § 14-415.23, it shall be unlawful to possess or carry a concealed handgun in or on a local government building or the appurtenant premises of such building, or on a City playground, athletic field or athletic facility, provided that this prohibition shall be noticed by prominent posting of each such building and appurtenant premises, playground, athletic field and athletic facility by the City pursuant to Subsection (B) of this Section 130.04. Nothing contained in this Subsection (A) shall make unlawful or prohibit a person from storing a firearm or handgun within a locked motor vehicle while the motor vehicle is on property otherwise subject to this Section.

(B) Pursuant to the authority provided in N.C.G.S. § 14-415.23, the City Manager, or his designee, is authorized and directed pursuant to this Section to post prominent conspicuous signage on and upon each of the local government buildings and their

appurtenant premises, and the playgrounds, athletic fields and athletic facilities hereinafter set forth:

- Athletic fields 1-8, Football field, Playground, Recreation Center, Three Tennis Courts, Concession areas and designated athletic field practice areas located at the Recreation Complex at 1 Recreation Drive.
- Playground and adjoining shelter and restroom area, Basketball Court, Sand Volleyball Court, and Lacrosse fields located at the Walter B. Jones Recreation Area at 2 Governmental Avenue, and the football practice fields located across Atlantic Blvd. from the Walter B. Jones Recreation Area.
- Playground located at 198 Cunningham Blvd.
- Cheerleading and T-Ball practice fields in the open triangle area located at 198 Cunningham Blvd.
- Four T-ball fields, Playground and Concession area located at 101 Webb Blvd.
- Playground, Basketball Court and Lacrosse and Soccer Practice area located at 280 McCotter Blvd.
- Playground, Basketball Court and T-Ball practice area located at 230 McCotter Blvd.
- Playground located at 305 MacDonald Blvd.

(C) The provisions of this Section 130.04 shall not be applicable to

- (i) Personnel of the Armed Forces of the United States when in discharge of their official duties and acting under orders requiring them to carry arms and weapons;
- (ii) Civil and law enforcement officers of the United States;
- (iii) Officers and soldiers of the militia and the National Guard when called into actual service;
- (iv) Officers of the State, or any county, city, town, or company police agency charged with the execution of the

laws of the State, when acting in the discharge of their official duties;

(v) Any North Carolina District Attorney, Assistant District Attorney, or investigator employed by the office of the District Attorney and who has a concealed handgun permit valid pursuant to N.C.G.S. § 14-4015.24; provided that this concealed weapon shall not be carried while in a courtroom or while consuming alcohol or an unlawful controlled substance or while alcohol or an unlawful controlled substance remains in the person's body. The District Attorney, Assistant District Attorney, or investigator shall secure the weapon in a locked compartment when the weapon is not on the person of the District Attorney, Assistant District Attorney, or investigator; and

(vi) Sworn law-enforcement officers, when off duty, provided an officer does not carry a concealed weapon while consuming alcohol or an unlawful controlled substance or while alcohol or an unlawful controlled substance remains in the officer's body.

Sections 34.30, 34.31, and 34.32 are deleted in their entirety.