

URBAN CONTROLLED BOW HUNT APPLICATION

September 16, 2023 – January 10, 2024

***** All documents MUST be submitted in person to the Fort Dodge Police Department or by email to fdpd@fortdodgeiowa.org prior to 4:30PM on Friday, August 25, 2023! *****

*** NOTE: APPLICATION MUST BE TYPED ***

Hunter's First, Middle & Last Name:

Email Address:

Address:

Cell Phone Number:

Alternate Phone Number:

Emergency Contact Name & Phone Number:

Secondary Emergency Contact:

Hunter's Iowa Driver's License Number:

Hunter's Iowa DNR Customer ID #:

Vehicle Use During Hunt: _____
Year: Make: Model: Color: License Plate #:

Have you ever been arrested or convicted of a crime:

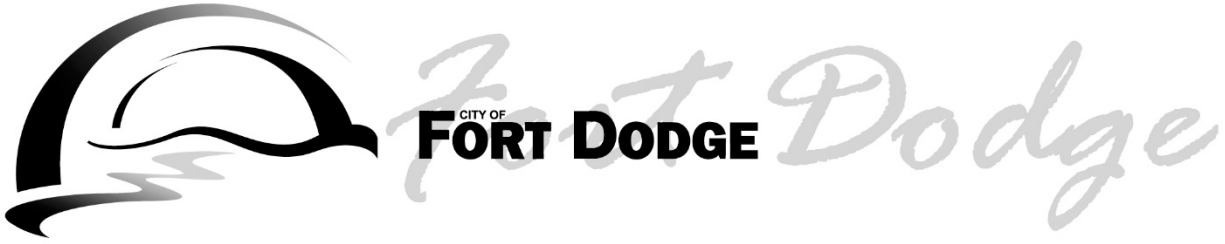
Have you ever had contact with the Iowa Department of Natural Resources which resulted in an enforcement action taking place?

My initials are an acknowledgement of my understanding and permission for the Fort Dodge Police Department to conduct a criminal history background check. I understand any false information or non-disclosures will result in immediate removal from the Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program.

As an Applicant to the Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program, your initials below indicate you agree to the following items, and failure to agree will result in immediate removal from the Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program:	
	Include a copy of my one time completed "Bow Hunter Safety Education Course" certificate with this application.
	Include a copy of my current annual "Archery Proficiency Test" with this application.
	Include a copy of my valid Iowa DNR Hunting License.
	Must be at least 18 years of age OR older on the day of the Urban Controlled Bow Hunt.
	To take all shots at least six (6) feet up in a manufactured elevated stand which has an approved safety harness; each hunter is encouraged to use a TMA or ASTM certified harness.
	To NOT shoot within 200 feet / 67 yards or less of a home or any building, NOT shoot back into the distance separation; except (do NOT check unless it is applicable).
	(1) when hunting own property while adhering to distance requirements from adjoining property owner structure.
	(2) other property owner (s) waive distance requirement in written statement filed with the City.
	To NOT position or use an elevated stand within 100ft / 33 yards of any recreational trail, road or right-of-way, and NO shot shall be taken that may cross or enter into the same.
	To shoot downward and no further than 75 feet / 25 yards from an elevated stand, and attempt to retrieve every arrow.
	To case all bows while traveling to and from the site to the hunting stand.
	To follow IDNR hunting guidelines, except when the City regulations are more restrictive than State regulations.
	I agree to attend the mandatory meeting conducted by the Fort Dodge Police Department on August 29, 2023, 6pm CST at the Fort Dodge City Council Chambers, 819 1 st Ave South, Fort Dodge, IA 50501.
	I understand I must report all harvests to both Fort Dodge Police Department and IDNR the harvesting system through text, online, by telephone or visiting their local hunting license agent. See www.iowadnr.gov for more details.
	I understand I must carry and be willing to present upon request by law enforcement staff my "Approved Urban Bow Hunter ID Card", IDNR license for the special bow hunt, permission form to hunt (if applicable), and a map verifying that the property being hunted is located within the hunt.
	I have read and understand the City of Fort Dodge, Ordinance Chapter 6.23: Urban Controlled Bow Hunting , along with any additional regulations.
	I understand participating in this Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program is a PRIVILEGE and not a RIGHT. I also understand and acknowledge I can be removed from the program at any time.

Hunter's Signature: _____

Date: _____



VOLUNTARY AUTHORIZATION RELEASE

Please read each statement carefully and place your initials next to each statement to indicate you have read and understood its content.

_____ By signing this voluntary authorization, the hunter on behalf of his or her own self and their heirs, assigns and legal representatives agree to release and hold harmless and indemnify the City of Fort Dodge, IA, its officers, agents, representatives, employees, and other participating parties to the Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program, from any lawsuit or action that is made or brought against the City for all activities associated with this Urban Controlled Bow Hunt program.

_____ While the City does not require you to provide proof of insurance, you are encouraged to consult your insurance agent regarding liability insurance and/or umbrella insurance that may provide you with coverage for your potential liability to the City or others while you engage in bow hunting.

_____ The hunter confirms he or she has received a copy of the City of Fort Dodge Code of Ordinance **Chapter 6.23: Urban Controlled Bow Hunting**. By signing this voluntary authorization, the hunter also acknowledges he or she fully understands the content set forth in **Chapter 6.23: Urban Controlled Bow Hunting**.

My voluntary signature confirms I have reviewed the above statements and have a clear understanding of their content, and in doing so I release and hold harmless and indemnify the City of Fort Dodge, its officers, agents, representatives, employees, and other participating parties to this Urban Controlled Bow Hunt Program, from any lawsuit or action that is made or brought against the City for all activities associated with this Urban Controlled Bow Hunt program.

Hunter's Signature:

Date:

Hunter's Written Name:



WAIVER OF SEPARATION FORM

WAIVER OF SEPARATION REQUIREMENT:

Per Iowa code 481A.123 Prohibited hunting near buildings, feedlots. 1. A person shall not discharge a firearm or shoot or attempt to shoot a game or fur-bearing animal within two hundred yards of a building inhabited by people or domestic livestock or within two hundred yards of a feedlot unless the **owner or tenant has given consent.**

This form shall be submitted to the City as evidence of a property owner's waiver of the 200-foot separation requirement. The waiver applies only to the property described in this waiver; only to the property owned by the person granting the waiver; and is subject to any and all conditions or limitations listed in this waiver.

HUNT PROPERTY INFORMATION:

Owners of property being hunted:

Legal description, parcel number for the property being hunted:

Physical address of property being hunted including City, State & Zip:

Mailing address of property owner if different from above including City, State & Zip:

WAIVER INFORMATION:

Owners granting this waiver (Grantor):

Legal description, parcel number of property for which this waiver is granted:

Physical address of property for which this waiver is granted including City, State & Zip:

Mailing address of Grantor if different from above including City, State & Zip:

Phone Number of Grantor Email Address of Grantor:

NAMES OF HUNTERS THIS WAIVER APPLIES TO:

("All" can be used to refer to all hunters having legal permission to hunt, or can restrict to certain individuals)

LIMITATIONS ON WAIVER:

("None" can be used, or the waiver can be limited, such as "Waive separation from garage and east side of house only")

If a property manager has signed this waiver rather than the property owner, evidence must be attached to this form to show that the property manager is authorized to grant this waiver.

This waiver shall run until the expiration date unless the grantor rescinds this waiver in writing and files the rescission with the City.

The City shall not be responsible for verification of ownership and the validity of signatures. Falsification of this form shall subject the person submitting this waiver to prosecution under applicable laws and statutes of the City and State of Iowa, and any hunter violating the separation requirements in the case of an invalid waiver shall be subject to prosecution under Chapter 94 and other applicable laws and statutes of the City and State of Iowa.

Property Owners Granting Waiver (Grantor): By signing this form I understand that I am waiving the 200-foot separation requirement subject to any limitations I have listed in this form, for the persons and period of time stated on this form.

Property Owner Signature:

Date:

Property Owner Signature:

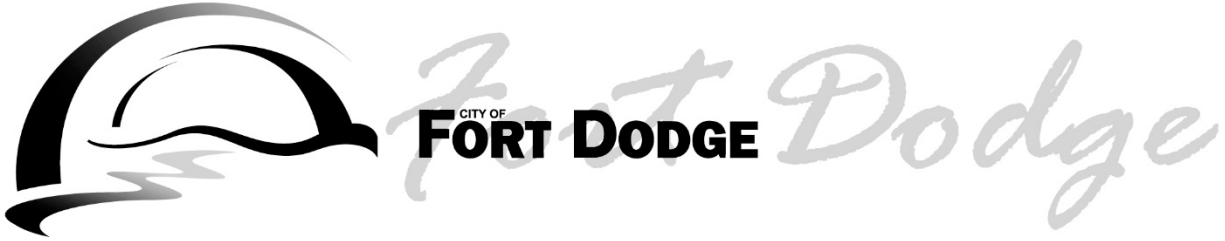
Date:

Hunter Submitting Waiver Form: By signing this form I understand I am certifying the accuracy of the information on this form and may be subject to prosecution for any false or inaccurate information. I am also familiar with the boundaries of the property and structures to which this waiver applies, and that it applies only to the property for which this waiver has been granted.

This form is only good for the 2023-2024 hunting season. This waiver will expire at the end of the hunting season in January 2024. A new form will be completed for each hunting season.

Hunter's Signature:

Date:



URBAN CONTROLLED BOW HUNT PROFICIENCY CERTIFICATE

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Hunter's First, Middle, and Last Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

The proficiency testing process will be administered at the Iowa Outdoor Store and Hardware located at 1597 3rd Ave NW in Fort Dodge, IA. The test will consist of the hunter shooting a total of 20 arrows. 10 arrows will be fired at 15 yards and 10 arrows at 20 yards into a 5" circle. A score of 80% will need to be obtained to pass.

To schedule the proficiency testing call the Iowa Outdoor Store and Hardware at 515-955-4868 during normal business hours. Testing will be by appointment only Tuesday – Saturday from 10 am to 530 pm, testing will cost \$20 payable to the Iowa Outdoor Store and Hardware.

Testing Results: **PASS** **FAIL**

Hunter Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

Name of Person Administering Test: _____

Signature of Person Administering Test: _____ **Date:** _____