

**General Information on the
FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING COURSE
as required under the**

**Conceal Carry Endorsement Statue
RSMO § 571.094**

RESTRICTIONS: REVIEW ALL OF THESE SECTIONS TO ENSURE THAT YOU QUALIFY TO APPLY FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF THE CONCEALED CARRY ENDORSEMENT.

- A. You must be 23 years or older and have lived in the state for at least 6 months, or be a member of the armed forces or a spouse of a service member.
- B. You must pass a background examination, including a criminal history fingerprint check by the Missouri State Highway Patrol and FBI.
- C. You cannot be convicted of or have pled guilty to any felony.
- D. Within the last five years, you cannot have two or more DWI's or drug possession convictions or a record of misdemeanors that include unspecific "crimes of violence".
- E. You cannot have been committed to a mental health facility in the last five years or have a full order of protection issued against you. You cannot have engaged in a pattern of behavior, documented in public records, that causes a sheriff to have reasonable belief that the applicant presents a danger to himself or others.
- F. You must pass the gun safety course (**The permit is not valid unless you successfully complete all requirements for concealed weapons permit**).

RAIN OR SHINE, THE FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING COURSE WILL BE HELD WITHOUT DELAY ON THE DATES SPECIFIED. IF FOR ANY REASON YOU ARE NOT ABLE TO ATTEND YOUR SCHEDULED COURSE DATE, YOU MUST NOTIFY THE LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY NO LESS THAN 3 BUSINESS DAYS PRIOR TO THE CLASS DATE. VERIFIABLE EMERGENCY CIRCUMSTANCES WILL BE TAKEN INTO CONSIDERATION. YOUR TRAINING MAY THEN BE RESCHEDULED TO THE NEXT AVAILABLE COURSE DATE. BECAUSE OF THE PREPARATION AND SUPPLYCOSTS INCURRED IN ADVANCE FOR THIS TYE OF PROGRAM, NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR CANCELLATIONS THAT OCCUR LESS THAN 3 DAYS PRIOR TO A SCHEDULED TRAINING DATE. HOWEVER, EVERY REASONABLE EFFORT WILL BE MADE TO RESCHEDULE TRAINING TO AN AGREEABLE DATE FOR ALL PARTIES INVOLVED.

*For more information on the CCW General Information and Restrictions you can contact
Chris Schmitt, Program Manager-Firearms Safety Training at 573-518-2221 or cschmitt@mineralarea.edu*

RECOMMENDED TRAINING AND APPLICATION PROCESS:

Step 1:

- You apply for a scheduled Firearms Safety Training course at the Mineral Area College Law Enforcement Academy. The Academy is located at the Public Safety Building on the main campus in Park Hills, MO.
- Call **573-518-2148** to ask for directions or further instructions. You may also visit our web site mineralarea.edu and click on the tab marked Public Safety scroll down to Carry Concealed Weapon Program. Once on that web page click on Application Packet. Print and fill out the Affirmation of Training Eligibility and Application for Enrollment and mail, along with your \$160.00 fee to Mineral Area College Dept. of Public Safety.
- When you have successfully completed the Firearms Safety Training course, proceed to step two.

Step 2:

- Apply in person for a permit to carry a concealed weapon at your local sheriff's department. Calling ahead will ensure that you have all necessary items with you at the time of your application.
- As part of the application process, you will be fingerprinted for a background examination and criminal history check. At the time you must produce proof of completion of a recognized Firearms Safety Training course. You must also pay our \$100.00 application fee to your local sheriff and complete any other steps they may require.

The Firearms Safety Training program conducted by the Mineral Area Law Enforcement Academy is the easiest, most comprehensive training program available anywhere in this area. This course provides ALL necessary equipment and supplies, and participants even have a lunchtime meal provided for them. There is no need to bring a firearm, ammunition or other supplies since everything that is needed is provided for within the course fee of \$160.00.

All instructions and training is provided under conditions that ensure the greatest degree of safety and security for all participants. Mineral Area College is not responsible for accidents or injuries that occur outside of the instructor's area of required training. Application to this course of training does not guarantee acceptance.

You may register for this course through any one of these three methods: Complete the Application for Enrollment and Affirmation of Eligibility forms in the packet. Return these forms by fax or mail to the address below. Once they are received, you will be sent an Enrollment Confirmation Letter will schedule you for a training date. Payment information will be included in this letter.

1. **Visit the web site for information and forms. Print out and complete the Application for Enrollment and Affirmation of Eligibility forms. Mail or fax them to the address/number below. Once they are received, you will be sent an Enrollment Confirmation letter that will schedule you for a training date.**
2. **Stop by in person at the Public Safety Building on the Park Hills Campus of Mineral Area College. The Public Safety Building is on the main campus road (Dixie Kohn Drive), across the North College Center.**

Mailing Address:

**Mineral Area College
Department of Public Safety
Atten: CCW Training
P.O. Box 1000
Park Hills, MO 63601
Phone: (573)518-2148
Fax: (573)518-2286**

Mineral Area College
LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY
Firearms Safety Training Course
AFFIRMATION OF TRAINING ELIGIBILITY

COURSE RESTRICTIONS: Each Prospective student is required to read this form in its entirety. If the student can truthfully answer “Yes” to each of the below numbered categories, then sign this form in the presence of a valid Notary Public. This original form must be completed and returned with the Enrollment form and course fee attendance and participation.

1. I am 23 years old and I have lived in the state for at least 6 months or more, or I am a member (or spouse of a member) of the armed forces stationed in Missouri.
2. I am not a fugitive from justice, and I am not currently charged with any crime that involves an explosive weapon, firearm silencer, or gas gun.
3. I have not been convicted of a felony in this or any other state, I have not received a Dishonorable Discharge from the U.S. Armed Forces, and I have not been convicted or plead guilty to a charge of Domestic Violence.
4. I have not been convicted of, pled guilty to, or entered a plea of “no contest” to one or more misdemeanor offenses involving crimes of violence within a 5 year period immediately preceding my registration for the Mineral Area College Firearms Safety Training Course.
5. Within the last five years, I have not been convicted of two or more DWI’s or drug possession/abuse charges.
6. I have not engaged in a pattern of behavior, documented in public records that would cause the sheriff to have a reasonable belief that I present a danger to myself or others.
7. I have not been adjudged mentally incompetent at the time of this registration, and I have not been committed to any mental health facility or similar institution within the last 5 years, and I am not named as the respondent in a valid full order protection which is still in effect.

My responses above are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if I knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information concerning this eligibility affirmation, I will be reported to the appropriate legal authorities for criminal and/or civil prosecution to the fullest extent of the law.

Print Full Name of Student: _____

Student Signature and Date: _____

FOR COMPLETION BY A NOTARY PUBLIC:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 20____.

I am commissioned as a notary public within the county of _____, state of _____, and my commission expires on _____, 20____.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Mineral Area College
LAW ENFORCEMENT COLLEGE

**Application for Enrollment
in the
Firearms Safety Training Course**

as required in the
Concealed Carry Endorsement Law
RSMo § 571.094

**Class hours: 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. including
4 hours of Classroom Instruction (9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.)
4 hours of Live Range training and qualification (2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.)**

Course Cost = \$160.00

ALL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES ARE PROVIDED, INCLUDING A LUNCHTIME MEAL,
DO NOT BRING FIREARMS, AMMUNITION OR OTHER SIMILAR ITEMS TO THIS COURSE.
DRESS APPROPRIATELY FOR WEATHER CONDITIONS PRESENT ON THE DAY OF YOUR
TRAINING.

What is the program about?

This program of instruction satisfies all requirements of mandatory training identified under the Firearms Safety Training program section of the Conceal Carry Endorsement Statute, RSMo § 571.094, and is a recommended prerequisite to applying for the Concealed Carry Endorsement permit through your local Sheriff's Department.

How much does this course cost?

The cost of the course is \$160.00 per person. The advantage this program has over so many others is the expertise of the staff (over 75 years of training expertise), the fact that ALL equipment and supplies are provided, and a lunchtime meal is also included in the program cost. Course dates are scheduled for Saturdays, from 9:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

How do I register?

Fill out the bottom portion of this application and return it with the notarized copy of the Eligibility Affirmation form to the Mineral Area College Law Enforcement Academy, P.O. Box 1000, Park Hills, MO 63601. Questions? Call the Mineral Area Law Enforcement Academy at (573)518-2148.

TO CONTROL PROGRAM COST, A MINIMUM OF FIVE(5) STUDENTS WILL BE REQUIRED FOR EACH COURSE. SOME COURSE DATES MAY BE ADJUSTED TO MEET ATTENDENCE LEVELS.

FIREARMS SAFETY TRAINING

Specific Training Dates Announced by Enrollment Confirmation Letter

Name _____ SS#: _____

DOB: _____ Main Phone: _____

Home Address: _____

CLASS DATE REQUESTED: _____

REMEMBER: NOTARIZED ELIGIBILITY FORM AND PAYMEWNT MUST ACCOMPANY THIS COMPLETED REGISTRATION FORM IN ORDER TO BE SCHEDULED FOR A CLASS.

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