

VILLAGE OF OTTER LAKE

FIREARMS SALES

ORDINANCE NUMBER 19.2

An Ordinance to require the safekeeping of firearms and ammunition which are sold by commercial vendors within the Village of Otter Lake.

THE VILLAGE OF OTTER LAKE ORDAINS:

The Village of Otter Lake Firearms Storage Ordinance, it being Ordinance Number 19.2 hereby repeals Ordinance Numbers 19 and 19.1.

Section 1. This Ordinance shall apply to all commercial vendors of firearms and ammunition within the Village of Otter Lake.

Section 2. Each commercial vendor of firearms or ammunition shall provide a securely locked facility which will separately accommodate the storage of all firearms and ammunition on the premises.

Section 3. Each commercial firearms vendor shall securely lock all firearms on the stored premises and shall separately securely lock and store all ammunition on the premises during all hours that the store is not open for business in the following manner.

A. All Firearms must be secured by:

1. A continuous chain or cable placed through the trigger guard which is anchored to the building. The chain or cable ends must be attached by a locking device such as a heavy duty padlock.

B. Ammunition for firearms must be secured by:

1. Storage in a locked metal storage container secured to the building or stored in a locked ammunition storage room with no unsecured windows or entrances.

2. Overnight storage of ammunition or firearms in glass or plexiglass display cases shall be a violation of this Ordinance.

Section 4. The Village of Otter Lake contracted police authority shall enforce this Ordinance.

Section 5. If a commercial vendor of firearms or ammunition wishes to utilize any alternative method or storage that vendor must apply in writing to the Village of Otter Lake for Variance, each application shall:

1. Contain a written diagram or drawing, drawn to scale of the alternate storage facility including: dimensions, detailed description of construction material detailed description of locking mechanism, and method of securing facility against theft.

2. If the alternate storage facility is a separate container or device which may be removed from the building by theft then the applicant must provide a detailed description of method of attachment of the facility to the building.

3. Non-refundable Application fee of \$20.00

Section 6. Any violation of this Ordinance shall be a misdemeanor which shall be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$500.00 Dollars and/or imprisonment in the County jail for a period not to exceed 90 days.

The undersigned President and Clerk of the village of Otter Lake hereby certify that this Ordinance was adopted by the Otter Lake Village Council on the 8th day of February, 1993, and was published in the Messenger on the 25th day of February, 1993. This Ordinance shall take effect 20 days after said date of adoption.

Lyle E. Newbery

Lyle E. Newbery, President

Joan A. Skias

Joan A. Skias, Clerk