

CHAPTER 16. CONCEALED WEAPONS

ARTICLE I. IN GENERAL

Section 16-1 – In general

It shall be unlawful for any person to possess a firearm, air rifle, air pistol, pump gun, or other similar weapon of any kind when in, on, or about the following Town owned property:

- a. The interior of all town owned buildings to wit: Town Hall, Police Department, Community Center, or any other building owned by the Town.
- b. Properties on which the buildings located in part “a” above are located.
- c. The confines of the following Town owned public recreation facilities, including but not limited to buildings located thereon, to wit: Holly Ridge Municipal Park.

Section 16-2 - Exceptions

Section 16-1 shall not apply to the following:

- a. Officers and enlisted personnel of the armed forces of the United States when in discharge of their official duties as such and acting under orders requiring them to carry arms and weapons;
- b. Civil and law enforcement officers of the United States;
- c. Officers and soldiers of the militia and the National Guard when called into actual service;
- d. Officers of the State, or of 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;
- e. Is the holder of a concealed handgun permit in accordance with Article 54B of Chapter 14 of the North Carolina General Statutes.

Section 16-3 – Concealed Carry

The Town Manager shall post a prohibition against carrying a concealed handgun, in accordance with N.C. Gen. Stat. § 14-415.11(c), on town owned buildings to wit: Town Hall, Police Department, Community Center, or any other building owned by the Town.