

## 1600 USE OF WEAPONS

### 1601.010 Definitions

"Firearm/Weapon" shall mean "any weapon from which is propelled any missile, projectile, bullet, or other mass through a barrel by means of explosives or gas or compressed air, excluding devices used exclusively for the firing of stud cartridges, explosive rivets, or similar industrial apparatus and instruments or equipment when used by licensed physicians or veterinarians in the course and scope of their professions."

### 1601.020 Use of Weapons Restricted

No person except a police officer in the performance of his/her duties shall, within the City of St. Mary's Point, discharge any gun, pistol or firearm of any description or carry any such weapon unless it is dismounted or broken apart or carried in a case in such manner that it can not be discharged. This subdivision does not prevent the carrying of a handgun within the City under a permit subject to the restrictions imposed by the laws of the State of Minnesota.

### 1601.030 Offenses by Parents, Guardians

It is unlawful for any parent or guardian of any person under the age of eighteen (18) years to knowingly permit such person to violate any provision of this Section 1601.