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## Peabody Police Department

### Firearms Licensing

Applicants; Please note there have been several changes regarding the application process for Firearms Licenses. Carefully read and follow the instructions contained in this packet to ensure a timely response. Please contact 978-538-6338 concerning any questions.

Carefully read the additional attached application instructions. All paperwork must be clearly and correctly filed to ensure processing of application.

Completed applications must be deposited in the Firearms Licensing drop box located in the lobby of the police station, do not deposit payment in box as it will be collected at final interview. You will be directly contacted to schedule an appointment to complete the licensing process.

***Note: Any person who knowingly files an application containing false information shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$500.00 nor more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than 6 months nor more than 2 years in the house of correction, or by both such fine and imprisonment.***

## Additional Application Instructions and Information

All first time applicants (excluding **active** military, F.I.D.'s restricted for self-defense spray and L.T.C.'s restricted for stun guns) must complete a Basic Firearms Safety Course that is **approved** by the Massachusetts State Police, or shall have completed a Hunters Safety Course that is approved by the Division of Fisheries and Wildlife.

The Peabody Police Department will do **ALL** record checks.

All applicants must provide two proofs of residency; Mass Drivers License, State Identification, Motor Vehicle Registration, Utility Bills, Voter Registration Card.

All applicants are required to fill out the standardized Commonwealth of Massachusetts Firearms License Application.

Payment accepted for Firearm Licenses shall be made by Money Order or Personal Check – payable to the City of Peabody.

Fees are as follows:

L.T.C. - \$100.00

F.I.D - \$100.00 {\$25.00 under eighteen)

Law Enforcement Officials (Including Retirees) \$25.00 (L.T.C. & F.I.D.)

**Renewals** for applicants over the age of 70 shall be at no charge.

**(MORE)**

## ***Detailed Information Pertaining to License to Carry Firearms***

**License to Carry Firearms**: Fee is \$100.00 for original issues and renewals (**Note: There is no fee required for renewals for persons over the age of 70**). This license is valid for up to, but not more than, 6 years (see M.G.L. C140, s131(a)). It requires that all **FIRST TIME** applicants submit one of the following Firearm Safety Certificates with their completed application (see M.G.L. C140 131P). **No** certificate is required for a license that is restricted for **STUN GUNS ONLY**.

A. A certificate of completion of a basic Firearms Safety Course that is approved by the Mass State Police.

B. A valid certificate of completion of a Hunter Safety Course given by the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife.

This license permits the purchase, possession and carrying of firearms, rifles, shotguns and stun guns. It also permits the possession of ammunition. This type of license allows a person to carry a loaded and concealed firearm, unless restrictions are implemented.

## **Detailed Information Pertaining to Firearm Identification Cards**

**Firearms Identification Card**: Fee is \$100.00 (\$25.00 under 18) for new issues and renewals (**Note: There is no fee for renewals for persons over the age of 70**). This license is valid for up to but not more than 6 years (see M.G.L. C140, s129B), it requires that all **First Time** (excluding card's for persons under the age of 18 restricted for self-defense spray) applicants to submit one of the following Firearms Safety Certificates with their completed application (see M.G.L. C140 131P).

A. A certificate of completion of a basic Firearms Safety Course that is approved by the Massachusetts State Police.

B. A valid certificate of completion of a Hunter Safety Course given by the Massachusetts Division of Fisheries and Wildlife.

Permit is valid for the purchase and possession of **non-large capacity** rifles, shotguns and ammunition. Permit also allows for persons under the age of 18 to carry and possess chemical propellants. Non Large Capacity refers to firearm feeding devices capable of carrying **10 rounds or less** of ammunition for firearms and rifles, **5 rounds or less** for shotguns.

**(MORE)**

**AN F.I.D. CARD IS NO LONGER REQUIRED TO POSSES SELF DEFENSE SPRAY FOR PERSONS EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AND OVER.**

**PERSONS FIFTEEN TO EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE MUST OBTAIN AN F.I.D. CARD TO LAWFULLY POSSES SELF DEFFENSE SPRAY, NO CERTIFICATE IS REQUIRED.**

**IF YOU ARE A STATUTORILY DISQUALIFIED PERSON AS DEFINED UNDER M.G.L. YOU ARE PROHIBITED FROM POSSESSING SELF DEFENSE SPRAY.**



**THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY  
Department of Criminal Justice Information Services**

200 Arlington Street, Suite 2200, Chelsea, MA 02150  
TEL: 617-660-4600 | TTY: 617-660-4606 | mass.gov/cjis

PD USE ONLY	
FTN:	_____
LIC #:	_____

**Submit this form and direct any questions to  
your local police department**

**MASSACHUSETTS RESIDENT LTC/FID/MACHINE GUN APPLICATION  
FOR NEW/RENEWAL OF A FIREARMS IDENTIFICATION CARD OR LICENSE TO CARRY  
FIREARMS OR LICENSE TO POSSESS A MACHINE GUN (M.G.L c. 140, §§ 129B, 131)**

**CHECK ONE:**

- New Applicant\*
- Renewal - Most Recent License to Carry/FID Number: \_\_\_\_\_

\*NOTE: If application is for a first firearms identification card or license to carry firearms, a copy of the Firearms Safety Certificate or Hunter Safety Course Certificate must be attached, unless exempt by statute. If this is a renewal application, a lost/stolen firearms affidavit must be submitted.

**LICENSE APPLICATION TYPE** (Check Only One):

- Firearms Identification Card - Restricted (self-defense spray)
- Firearms Identification Card
- License to Carry
- License to Possess a Machine Gun
- Gun Club License (Only the Colonel of the State Police can issue a club license)

**EXCEPT FOR SIGNATURE, PRINT OR TYPE ALL REQUESTED INFORMATION:**

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name	Suffix
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Residential Address	City	State	Zip Code	Telephone Number
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Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code	Telephone Number
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Date of Birth	Place of Birth (City, State, Country)
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Mother's First Name	Mother's Maiden Name	Father's First Name	Father's Last Name
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Height	Weight	Build	Complexion	Hair Color	Eye Color
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Occupation	Social Security Number (Optional)	Drivers License Number
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Employed By	Business Address
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City/Town	State	Zip	Telephone Number
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**ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS COMPLETELY AND ACCURATELY:**

1. Are you a citizen of the United States?  YES  NO

If lawful permanent resident alien, give green card number and resident date

	Green Card Number	Resident Since (date)
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If naturalized, give date, place and naturalization number

	Date	Place	Naturalization No.
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2. Have you ever renounced your U.S. citizenship?  YES  NO

3. What is your age? \_\_\_\_\_ (You must be 21 to apply for a LTC, 18 to apply for a FID card, or 14 to 17 with submission of a certificate of parent or guardian granting permission to apply for a FID card or FID card – Restricted).

4. Have you ever been arrested or appeared in court as a defendant for any criminal offense?  YES  NO

5. Are you the subject of any pending criminal charges?  YES  NO

6. Have you ever been convicted of a felony?  YES  NO

7. Have you ever been convicted of the unlawful use, possession, or sale of controlled substances as defined in M.G.L. c. 94C, § 1?  YES  NO

8. Have you ever been convicted of a violent crime or a crime of domestic violence?  YES  NO

9. Have you ever been convicted as an adult or adjudicated a youthful offender or delinquent child in any state or federal jurisdiction?  YES  NO

10. Are you now, or have you ever been the subject of a restraining order issued pursuant to M.G.L. c. 209A, or a similar order issued by another jurisdiction?  YES  NO

11. Are you currently the subject of any outstanding arrest warrant in any state or federal jurisdiction?  YES  NO

12. Have you ever been committed to any hospital or institution for mental illness, or alcohol or substance abuse?  YES  NO

13. Has any firearms license issued under the laws of any state or territory ever been suspended, revoked, or denied?  YES  NO

14. Have you been discharged from the armed forces of the United States under dishonorable conditions?  YES  NO

15. Have you been the subject of an order of the probate court appointing a guardian or conservator?  YES  NO

**If you answered "YES" to any of the questions 2-15, give details which must include dates, circumstances and location; use a separate sheet of paper if necessary.**

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Have you ever used or been known by another name?

YES  NO

If "YES", provide name and explain: \_\_\_\_\_

Other than Massachusetts, in what state(s), territory(ies), or jurisdiction(s) have you lived?

NONE

\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever held a firearms license in any other state, territory or jurisdiction?

YES  NO

If "YES", when, where, and license number? \_\_\_\_\_

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**List the name and addresses of two references (as required by your licensing authority)**

1.

Last Name		First Name	
Address		City/Town	State Zip

2.

Last Name		First Name	
Address		City/Town	State Zip

**Reason(s) for requesting the issuance of a card or license:**

Unrestricted     Target & Hunting     Sporting     Employment

Use lines below to indicate the reason(s) you are requesting the license; use a separate sheet of paper if necessary)

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**\*WARNING\*** Any person who knowingly files an application containing false information shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$500 nor more than \$1,000 or by imprisonment for not less than 6 months nor more than 2 years in a house of correction, or by both such fine and imprisonment (M.G.L. c.140, §§ 129B(8), 131(h)).

I declare the above facts are true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief and I understand that any false answer(s) will be just cause for denial or revocation of my license to carry firearms. I understand that filing an application that contains false information is a criminal offense.

Signed under the penalties of perjury this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ month \_\_\_\_\_ year

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

**Massachusetts License to Carry (LTC)/Firearms Identification Card (FID) Affidavit**

Complete this form **only** if you are **renewing** your firearms license.

License Holder Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Current LTC or FID card Number: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please select one:*

**A.**  (No firearm(s) lost or stolen since previous issuance of LTC or FID card)

1. I am renewing a Massachusetts firearms identification (FID) card or license to carry (LTC) firearms.

2. I have not lost one or more firearms or had any firearms stolen since the renewal or issuance of my last FID card or LTC.

**OR**

**B.**  (Firearm(s) reported lost or stolen since previous issuance of LTC or FID card)

1. I am renewing a Massachusetts firearms identification (FID) card or license to carry (LTC) firearms.

2. I have lost one or more firearms or have reported stolen one or more firearms since the renewal or issuance of my last FID card or LTC.

*List all lost or stolen firearms below; use additional sheets as necessary.*

Lost or Stolen	Date Reported Lost or Stolen	Reported to (Police Dept.)	Type	Make	Model	Serial Number	Case Number

The above information is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**SIGNED UNDER THE PENALTIES OF PERJURY:**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## **Additional Voluntary Acknowledgements**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, the undersigned, do acknowledge that carrying a firearm, rifle, shotgun or chemical propellant while under the influence of intoxicating liquor/narcotic drugs is a violation of C.269/10H. Such violation is reason for immediate surrender/suspension of my License to Carry/Firearms Identification Card.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

The Peabody Police Department strives to provide world class customer service. In an attempt to create a greater connection and improve outreach to the community, please provide a valid email address. Thank you for your cooperation.

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