

(For Office Use)

Permit Number: \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE:**

**There is a \$25  
Permit Application Fee**

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

Permit Expiration: \_\_\_\_\_



New Braunfels Police Department  
3030 West San Antonio St.  
New Braunfels, Texas 78130

## Hunting Land Permit

Applicant:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Hunting License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

(Hunting Licenses are valid from 09/01 to 08/31)

Hunter Educ. Cert. Number: \_\_\_\_\_

(If born after 09/01/1971)

Property Description (attach additional page if needed):

Owner(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Owner(s) Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\*Acreage & Dimensions: \_\_\_\_\_

Property Address: \_\_\_\_\_

County Property is located in: \_\_\_\_\_

\*See page 2 Sections 1 and 2 for requirements

**Please include a photo (ex. Google Earth image)**

Adjacent Property Owner Information (attach additional page if needed):

(All Property owners within two hundred (200) yards of property in question)

Owners Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Owners Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Lease Information:

Is the property leased (Y/N)? \_\_\_\_\_ Day Lease (Y/N): \_\_\_\_\_

If you answered yes to either of the above questions, please provide the required hunting lease license permit number: \_\_\_\_\_

\*If the property is leased, a letter approving the applicant to hunt on the property must be submitted with the application (per City Ordinance Sec. 82-3 3e)

Hunt Information:

Hunt Type: \_\_\_\_\_

(bow, crossbow, rim fire rifle, center fire rifle, air rifle, BB gun, pistol, shotgun)

Animal being Hunted: \_\_\_\_\_

Season dates for the above listed animal: \_\_\_\_\_

## City Ordinance

Sec. 82-3. - Firearms, discharging, hunting permits.

(a) Definition. "Firearms" means gun, pistol, revolver, pellet gun, bb gun, air gun, shotgun, rifle, bow and arrow, cross bow or any other weapon.

(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge any firearm, with the exception of a bow and arrow, within an area of the city limits annexed prior to September 1, 1981; provided, that this section shall not be so construed as to prohibit the discharge of firearms on premises owned or operated by any branch of the armed services of the United States government, Texas National Guard, Texas State Guard or any responsible organization existing for the purpose of operating and maintaining a rifle or pistol firing range, provided such discharge is in the course of the regular functions and course of training of such branch of the armed services of the United States government, Texas National Guard, Texas State Guard or such other organization, and provided that such branch of the armed services or other organization has secured and holds a permit from the city council so to do on the premises involved. This section shall not apply to law enforcement officers in pursuance of their duties and while acting within the scope of their authority. Further, this section shall not be so construed as to prohibit the discharge of firearms, air guns, or similar equipment, as described above, in connection with a public or private school instruction program, or an organized training or instruction facility within the city limits. Further, this section shall not apply to any person acting in lawful defense of person or property.

(c) It shall be unlawful for any person to discharge a firearm within the extraterritorial jurisdiction or in an area annexed after September 1, 1981 unless:

(1) The firearm is a shotgun, air rifle or pistol, BB gun, or bow and arrow; and

a. Discharged on a tract of land of ten acres or more;

b. Discharged more than 150 feet from a residence or occupied building located on another property; and

c. In a manner not reasonably expected to cause a projectile to cross the boundary of the tract; or

(2) The firearm is a center fire or rim fire rifle or pistol of any caliber:

a. Discharged on a tract of land of 50 acres or more;

b. More than 300 feet from a residence or occupied building located on another property; and

c. In a manner not reasonably expected to cause a projectile to cross the boundary of the tract.

(d) Hunting land permit.

(1) "Hunt" means the sport or practice of pursuing, killing or capturing wild animals with a firearm or other weapon.

(2) A hunting land permit is required for hunting within the city limits.

(3) A property owner or lessee wishing to obtain a permit required by this section must file with the city police department an application containing the following information:

a. The name, address and phone number of the applicant;

b. A description of the property, including property line dimensions and total acreage of the property where the weapon will be discharged;

c. The names and addresses of all owners of the property; and

d. The names and addresses of all property owners within 200 yards of the property described in subsection (2).

e. The lessee must submit a letter from the property owner stating that they approve of the lessee using the property to discharge a firearm.

1. A permit is valid for the calendar year running from September 1 through August 31.

2. **The permit application fee shall be \$25.00.**

3. The permit shall be issued if the requirements of this section are met.

(f) Penalty. Any person who violates the provisions of this section shall be deemed guilty of a class C misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed \$500.00.

### Applicant Certification:

**This permit shall be revoked if three (3) or more citations are issued to anyone in above mentioned property. All information gathered is subject to being inspected by the Texas Game Warden.**

- No larger than #4 birdshot loads shall be permitted
- No persons shall discharge a shotgun within two hundred (200) yards of a property line.
- No persons shall discharge a shotgun so that its shot travels on, over or across an adjacent tract of land.
- Violators of the above mentioned hunting regulations face up to \$500 fine.

I hereby certify that I have read and examined this application and know that the information provided above is true and correct. I acknowledge that all codes, laws and ordinances governing hunting will be complied with, whether specified herein or not. The granting of a permit does not presume to give authority to violate or cancel the provisions of any other state or local law regulating hunting.

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Please Print Applicants Name

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Applicant Signature

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Date

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

Received By: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Permit Issued: \_\_\_\_\_

Permit Issued By: \_\_\_\_\_