



Legislation Text

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An ordinance relating to hunting with a bow and arrow and crossbow.

105-37 cr

Consistent with recent changes in state law (2013 Wisconsin Act 71, enacted December 12, 2013), this ordinance:

1. Prohibits a person from hunting with a bow and arrow or crossbow within 100 yards from a building located on another person's land. This restriction does not apply if the person who owns the land on which the building is located allows the hunter to hunt within the specified distance of the building.
2. Requires a person who hunts with a bow and arrow or crossbow to discharge the arrow or bolt from the respective weapon toward the ground.
3. Establishes a forfeiture of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100 for violation of this ordinance. The Mayor and Common Council of the City of Milwaukee do ordain as follows:

Part 1. Section 105-37 of the code is created to read:

105-37. Hunting with Bow and Arrow or Crossbow. 1. RESTRICTION. Notwithstanding any other provision of this code to the contrary, no person shall hunt with a bow and arrow or crossbow within the city within 100 yards from a building located on the property of another person's land. This restriction does not apply if the person who owns the land on which the building is located allows the hunter to hunt within the specified distance of the building.

2. DISCHARGE OF ARROW OR BOLT. No person who hunts with a bow and arrow or crossbow shall discharge the arrow or bolt in any direction, except toward the ground.

3. PENALTY. Any person violating this section shall be subject to a forfeiture of not less than \$25 nor more than \$100, and, in default of payment, may be imprisoned as provided by law.

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Legislative Reference Bureau

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IT IS OUR OPINION THAT THE ORDINANCE

IS LEGAL AND ENFORCEABLE

Office of the City Attorney

Date: _____

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