

**ORDINANCE #13-07**

**CITY OF RAMSEY  
ANOKA COUNTY  
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**AN AMENDMENT TO CHAPTER 34 OF THE CITY CODE, WHICH CHAPTER IS KNOWN AS  
OFFENSES AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING SECTION 34-21 WEAPONS**

The City of Ramsey Ordains:

**SECTION 1 AUTHORITY**

This ordinance is adopted pursuant to and under the authority of the City Charter of the City of Ramsey.

**SECTION 2 AMENDMENTS**

Section 34-21 is hereby amended as follows: (additions indicated as underline, deletions indicated as ~~strike through~~):

(8) *Discharge of firearms.*

a. The owner or tenant or persons having written authorization of such owner or tenant may, upon the land of the owner or the owner's tenant, discharge firearms in hunting wild game in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota and this section.

~~b. Discharge of firearms shall not be permitted within 1,500 feet of any residential dwelling or other structure, park or playground without a city permit that specifically grants permission.~~

~~e.~~**b.** The use of a lead shot or a lead round of any kind may only be used by permit only.

(b) *Bows and arrows.*

(1) *Use of bows and arrows.*

a. The use of a bow and arrow for hunting or target shooting purposes shall be permitted in the city in accordance with the laws of the State of Minnesota and this section.

~~b. Bow and arrow hunting shall not be permitted within 500 feet of any residential dwelling or other structure, park or playground without a city permit that specifically allows it.~~

~~c. Hunting shall not be permitted within 500 feet of any trunk highway without a city permit that specifically grants permission.~~

~~(3)~~**(2)** *Permits for bow and arrow hunting and target practice.* A permit for bow and arrow hunting **and target practice** shall be required prior to such hunting activity ~~in the city~~. Applicants for a bow and arrow hunting **or target practice** permit shall apply to the police chief or his/her designated representative.

~~(4) *Restrictions.* Bow and arrow hunting shall not be within 500 feet of any residential structure, commercial structure, park or playground, or any trunk highway without a city permit that specifically grants permission.~~

**SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE**

The effective date of this Ordinance is thirty (30) days after its passage and publication, subject to City Charter Section 5.07.

Adopted by the Ramsey City Council the XXX day of XXXXXX, 2013.

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Mayor

**ATTEST:**

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City Clerk

**Introduction Date:**

**Posting Dates:**

**Adoption Date:**

**Publication Date:**

**Effective Date:**