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## Iowa Non-Professional Permit to Carry

Dear Permit Holder:

Your Iowa Non-Professional Permit to Carry is set to expire in the upcoming 2016 year. Please note your following options you have to either renew your permit or to get a new permit.

### NEW PERMIT

- Complete any NRA handgun safety training course conducted by an NRA or ILEA certified instructor;
- Complete law enforcement handgun safety training course offered for security guards, investigators, special deputies, or any division or subdivision of a law enforcement or security enforcement agency – if approved by DPS.
- Completion of small arms training while serving with the US armed forces – provide a copy of your honorable discharge or general discharge under honorable conditions.
- Completion of firearms training that qualifies a peace officer to carry.
- There is no limit on the timeline for training for a new permit.
- Application for a new permit can be completed 29 days or fewer before the expiration or anytime after the expiration of the current permit.
- The new permit is \$50.00. A photo ID of your gun permit is optional and is an additional \$10.00 charge.

### RENEWAL PERMIT

- Complete any NRA handgun safety training course conducted by an NRA or ILEA certified instructor;
- Complete law enforcement handgun safety training course offered for security guards, investigators, special deputies, or any division of subdivision of a law enforcement or security enforcement agency – if approved by DPS.
- Completion of firearms training that qualifies a peace officer to carry.
- Qualification on a range under supervision of a certified instructor.
- Retraining or qualification must occur within 12 months prior to the expiration of the current permit.
- Application for a renewal permit can be completed at any time prior to 30 days before the expiration date of the current permit.
- The renewal permit is \$25.00. A photo ID of your gun permit is optional and is an additional \$10.00 charge.

Should you have any questions about this process please do not hesitate to contact our office.

Respectfully,



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