



REDWOOD CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT

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LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS SAFETY ACT Retired Officers Application and Certification to Carry a Concealed Firearm under Federal Law

Date of Application:

Application for:

- Original ID Card
- Duplicate ID Card
- Renewal

Requesting Qualified Retired Officer

Name (Last, First, Middle)	Driver's License #/ State	Date of Retirement:
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Home Address: (number, street, city, state, zip code)

Home Phone #:	Cell Phone #:	E-mail Address:	Current Endorsement Expiration Date:
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Sex:	Race:	Height:	Weight:	Eye Color:	Hair Color:	Date of Birth:
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Purpose of Form

This form will serve to determine the eligibility of a retired Redwood City Police Officer to carry a concealed firearm in California and all other states subject to the conditions enumerated in the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 United States Code 926C). Completion of the application/certification process as documented on this form satisfies the requirements of 18 United States Code 926C.

Declaration of Eligibility

(READ AND INITIAL NEXT TO THE FOLLOWING DECLARATIONS AND SIGN BELOW)

(INITIAL)

- _____ I swear or affirm the information on this application is true and accurate.
- _____ I am separated from service in good standing with the Redwood City Police Department, and I am eligible to carry a concealed firearm pursuant to the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926C) as defined on the following pages of this form.
- _____ I recognize the Redwood City Police Department is not legally required to provide me with handgun instruction or a firearms qualification course. I also recognize nothing in this application or process creates a property right to carry a concealed firearm.
- _____ I understand I will be required to fire my weapon under the direct supervision of a DEPARTMENT APPROVED FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR as defined on page 3 of this application.
- _____ I will not be under the influence of alcohol or another intoxicating or hallucinatory drug or substance at any time while carrying a firearm nor am I a habitual user of same.
- _____ I recognize it is my responsibility to review and become familiar with the laws of California and other states regarding the carrying of a firearm.
- _____ I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Redwood City and the Redwood City Police Department, and/or its agents and employees, for any injury suffered by me or caused by my participation in this qualification process.
- _____ Further, I hereby specifically agree to indemnify and hold harmless the City of Redwood City and the Redwood City Police Department and/or its officers and employees from any and all liability resulting from my carrying and/or use of any weapon allowed under the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act.

I have read and understand the Waiver and Release

Applicant Name (Print):	Applicant Signature:	Date:
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Declaration of Eligibility and Certification of Qualification
(READ AND INITIAL NEXT TO THE FOLLOWING DECLARATIONS AND SIGN BELOW)

18 USC 926C DEFINES A "QUALIFIED RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER" AS AN INDIVIDUAL WHO:

(INITIAL)

- _____ Separated from service in good standing with a public agency as a law enforcement officer.
- _____ Before such separation from service, was authorized by law to engage in or supervise the prevention, detection, investigation, or prosecution of; or the incarceration of any person for any violation of law; and had statutory powers of arrest.
- _____ Before such separation was regularly employed as a law enforcement officer for an aggregate of 10 years or more, or separated from service with such agency after completing any applicable probationary period of such service due to a service-connected disability, as determined by such agency.
- _____ Has not been officially found by a qualified medical professional employed by the agency to be unqualified for reasons relating to mental health.
- _____ Has not entered into an agreement with the agency from which the individual is separating from service in which that individual acknowledges he or she is not qualified under this section for reasons relating to mental health.
- _____ Is not under the influence of alcohol or another intoxicating or hallucinatory drug or substance.
- _____ IS NOT PROHIBITED BY FEDERAL LAW FROM RECEIVING OR POSSESSING A FIREARM.

CERTIFICATION OF FIREARMS QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENT:

- _____ During the most recent 12-month period the qualified retired law enforcement officer has met either:
 - The standards for qualification in firearms training for active law enforcement officers, as determined by the former agency of the individual, or
 - The standards for qualification in firearms training for active law enforcement officers, as determined by the state in which the individual resides, or If the state has not established such standards, either:
 - The standards of law enforcement agency within the state in which the individual resides, or
 - The standards used by a certified firearms instructor that is qualified to conduct a firearms qualification test for active duty officers within that state.

IF CARRYING A CONCEALED FIREARM, YOU MUST BE IN POSSESSION OF:

- _____ A photographic identification issued by the Redwood City Police Department stating you currently meet the requirements of the Law Enforcement Officers Safety Act (18 USC 926C), and
- _____ A certification that, during the most recent 12-month period, you have met the applicable standards for qualification in firearms training for retired law enforcement officers for the firearm(s) you are qualified to carry concealed.

REDWOOD CITY POLICE DEPARTMENT QUALIFICATION STANDARDS:

The ***Redwood City Police Department Retiree Handgun Qualification Form*** outlines the Department's standards for qualification in firearms training. Applicants may complete the qualification process at the Redwood City Police Department at no charge. The Redwood City Police Department will only issue the certification of firearms qualification for examinations conducted by a *Department Approved Firearms Instructor*. The certification issued by the Department is valid for 12-months from the date of firearms qualification.

DEPARTMENT APPROVED FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR DEFINED:

A “Department Approved Firearms Instructor” must meet at least one of the following criteria:

1. A person currently employed by a California law enforcement agency as a Firearms Instructor or Rangemaster who has completed a Firearms Instructor Course certified by the State of California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training (POST).
2. A person currently employed by a law enforcement agency as a Firearms Instructor or Rangemaster for a law enforcement agency within the state in which the qualified retiree resides, who has completed a Firearms Instructor Course certified by the entity responsible for the regulation of peace officer training in that state.
3. A person certified by the National Rifle Association (NRA) as a Law Enforcement Instructor, Rangemaster, or Training Counselor who is currently employed in that capacity.

I have read and understand the information above

Applicant Name (Print):	Applicant Signature:	Date:
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Certification by Qualified Firearms Instructor

Name: (Last, First, M.)	Title/Occupation:	<input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement Firearms Instructor
		<input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement Rangemaster
		<input type="checkbox"/> NRA Certified Instructor/Rangemaster/Training Counselor
Agency/Company Name:	Agency/Company Address:	Agency/Company Phone:
		() Ext.
Location of Qualification:	Date of Qualification:	<input type="checkbox"/> Pass
		<input type="checkbox"/> Fail
		Signature of Approved Firearms Instructor

Certification of Qualified Retired Officer by Redwood City Police Department

- The applicant’s retirement file has been reviewed and **IS** a qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined by 18 USC 926C.
- The applicant has met the requirements for certification of firearms qualification and **IS** certified to carry a concealed firearm pursuant to 18 USC 926C.
- The applicant’s retirement file has been reviewed and **IS NOT** a qualified retired law enforcement officer as defined by 18 USC 926C.
- The applicant **HAS NOT** met the requirements for certification of firearms qualification pursuant to 18 USC 926C.

Chief of Police or Authorized Designee (Print):	Title:	Signature:	Date:
Certification of Firearms Qualification Endorsement Issued? Yes _____ No _____		Endorsement Expiration Date:	<input type="checkbox"/> In person
Reason/Comments:		N/A _____	<input type="checkbox"/> By mail

The requesting retired officer must complete the “Requesting Retired Employee” section, read, initial, and sign the “Declaration of Eligibility” before proceeding with a firearm qualification. The requesting retired officer must then successfully complete the firearm qualification course and submit the **Retired Handgun Qualification Form** prior to certification. The Agency will complete the “Certification of Qualified Retired Officer” only upon verification of eligibility and firearm qualification. The appropriate Police Identification Card will be mailed at the successful conclusion of the application process; no P.O. Box mailing will be authorized.