

## Wisconsin 4-H Shooting Sports

### DISTRICT FIREARMS POLICY

This agreement has been drafted to guide our use and disposition of Shooting Sport Equipment obtained thanks to the generosity of Friends of the NRA in Wisconsin. A grant received in 1995 has allowed us to purchase firearms, archery equipment, and other materials to support the 4-H Shooting Sports Project in Wisconsin. Firearms and non-expendable supplies remain property of University of Wisconsin Cooperative Extension 4-H Youth Development.

1. Sets of discipline related equipment (i.e. shotgun, rifle, archery. etc.) have been made available to each district training team. This equipment will be used for 4-H Shooting Sports activities in the following priority:
  - a. District Leader Training programs or Statewide Leader Training Programs held in the district.
  - b. District or Statewide Shooting Events.
  - c. Firearms must be under direct control of the 4-H State Training Team Members to whom they are issued at all times. They may not be assigned or loaned to individual 4-H youth, 4-H clubs or non 4-H groups.
2. One District Team Member shall assume responsibility for each set of equipment. "Responsibility" shall include:
  - a. Security against theft or loss - If theft or loss occurs, law enforcement authorities must be contacted immediately.
  - b. Maintenance. Please keep the equipment clean and in safe working condition.
  - c. A signed form indicating possession.
  - d. Detailed records of use should be maintained with an annual report of use returned to the State 4-H at the annual fall state training team meeting.
  - e. Return of equipment on termination of involvement in 4-H Shooting Sports or the District Team.