Kinross Charter Township Ordinance No. 1.114

REGULATION OF THE DISCHARGE OF FIREARMS UPON TOWNSHIP PROPERTY ORDINANCE UPDATED 5/10/21

THE TOWNSHIP BOARD OF THE CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF KINROSS, CHIPPEWA COUNTY, MICHIGAN, ORDAINS:

Section 1 Definitions

- 1.1. **Firearms:** A firearm as used in this Ordinance shall mean a device, whether mechanical or manual, that is used for the purpose of setting in motion any missile, projectile, or other mass by means of explosion, gas, or by any means of spring mechanism.
- 1.2. **Approved Ranges:** Those areas designed for the purpose of the discharge or shooting of firearms in such fashion so as to prevent the projectile from any firearm to pass beyond the confines of the range; and exclusively designated as a shooting range.
- 1.3. **Township Property:** Any and all property that is owned by, controlled by, or dedicated for use by the Township of Kinross.

Section 2

- 1.1. It shall be unlawful for any person to possess firearms or discharge any firearm while upon any property owned or controlled by the Township of Kinross where such property is posted by means of a sign expressly stating that the discharge of firearms or possession thereof is prohibited upon such property.
- 1.2. Exceptions: The provisions of this Ordinance shall not apply to the following individuals:
 - Any police officer, including a sheriff, deputy sheriff, police officers employed by any bona fide police department of any city, village, or township and any members of the Michigan State Police duly authorized to carry firearms during the discharge of his or her duties; and any member of the Department of Natural Resources law enforcement division duly authorized to carry a firearm in the discharge of his or her duties.