

Brothers,

There seems to be some confusion regarding Turkey and meat shoot requirements. I have attached a document from MI that is a guideline for these type of events. I would suggest, if you do these type of events, you should make a laminated or protected copy of this document and post it in a prominent place ANYTIME you are conducting the event. The more eyes that see it, the more our members will assure the event is conducted safely.

A few other items to consider:

- Bottom line is, if **any nonmember** partakes in a “shoot Out” the sporting insurance is required. The guest policy of the Lodge does not apply to this type of event.
- The application form LOCKTON only asks if there will be an NRA Trained person on site. It DOES NOT require one.

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## Turkey/Meat Shoot Requirements

As a condition of approval of a General Purpose resolution to conduct a Turkey/Meat shoot(s) the following requirements apply:

1. A qualified member must be appointed as Range Master to supervise the Meat Shoot.
2. All rules must be prominently posted.
3. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages shall be possessed or consumed in conjunction with this activity. No one under the influence or having previously consumed alcoholic beverages or impairing drugs (prescription or non-prescription) shall be allowed to participate in this activity.
4. Only shotguns will be used.
5. A diagram of the range (shooting area) must be posted showing the weapon storage area and ammunition storage area.
6. Moose Lodge will furnish all ammunition; NO OTHER ammunition will be allowed on the premises.
7. All weapons will be in the OPEN POSITION when not on the firing line.
8. Each shooter will step to the firing line, receive one round, fire and return to staging area.
9. When round is completed and firing line is clear, two staff members will retrieve and verify targets.
10. All weapons will be kept in the Shoot area or in the owner's vehicle.
11. Moose lodge will not be responsible for weapons in owner's vehicles.
12. Range Master will be in charge of the Meat Shoot, the range, and enforcement of rules.
13. Barriers shall be erected to protect entry into the down range area.
14. Warning signs shall be posted to keep people from wandering in the shooting area.
15. All ammunition must be sealed factory fresh. No reloads are allowed.

## Turkey/Meat Shoot Requirements - "Sample" Rules of Operation

**Dates:**

**Hours of operation:**

**Rules:**

1. Absolutely no alcoholic beverages shall be possessed or consumed in conjunction with this activity. No one under the influence or having previously consumed alcoholic beverages or impairing drugs (prescription or non-prescription) shall be allowed to participate in this activity.
2. Only shotguns will be used.
3. Moose Lodge will furnish all ammunition; NO OTHER ammunition will be allowed on the premises.
4. All weapons will be in the OPEN POSITION when not on the firing line.
5. All shooters will assemble in the staging area for each round of shooting.
6. Each shooter will step to the firing line, receive one round, fire and return to staging area.
7. When round is completed and firing line is clear, two staff members will retrieve and verify targets.
8. All weapons will be kept in the Shoot area or in the owner's vehicle.
9. Moose lodge will not be responsible for weapons in owner's vehicles.
10. Range Master will be in charge of the Shoot, the range, and enforcement of all rules.

Sample Range Layout:

