

**TITLE: LPOA POLICY NO. 23 FIREARMS CARRIED ON LPOA PROPERTY**

**PURPOSE:** To establish the policy and procedures governing the presence of firearms on LPOA's property.

The LPOA is committed to ensuring a safe and secure environment. This Policy is a proactive step towards reducing the risk of injury or death associated with intentional or accidental use of weapons.

Lakewood Property Owners Association chooses to exercise its right, as owner, to prohibit the carrying of firearms on specific posted areas, and will do so by posting signage in accordance with Missouri statute.

The LPOA will post and prohibit the carrying of concealed firearms on LPOA facilities, including marinas, clubhouses, swimming pools, playgrounds, tennis courts and golf courses where properly posted, pursuant to Section 571.107.1(15) with posting of signs of a minimum of eleven inches by fourteen inches in writing with letters of not less than one inch. Members or visitors found to have violated said policy will be requested to remove the firearm from the premises or return it to their vehicle, or a police officer may be summoned by LPOA in absence of voluntary cooperation with said policy.

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