

## Firearms

### 306.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

This policy provides guidelines for issuing firearms, the safe and legal carrying of firearms, firearms maintenance and firearms training.

This policy does not apply to issues related to the use of firearms that are addressed in the Use of Force or Officer-Involved Shootings and Deaths policies.

This policy only applies to those members who are authorized to carry firearms.

#### 306.1.1 AUTHORIZATION TO CARRY FIREARMS

Only sworn personnel who have met all state standards and have been authorized by the Chief of Police shall have the peace officer privilege to carry a firearm both on- and off-duty.

### 306.2 POLICY

The Lorain Police Department will equip its members with firearms to address the risks posed to the public and department members by violent and sometimes well-armed persons. The Department will ensure firearms are appropriate and in good working order and that relevant training is provided as resources allow.

### 306.3 AUTHORIZED FIREARMS, AMMUNITION AND OTHER WEAPONS

Members shall only use firearms that are issued or approved by the Department and have been thoroughly inspected by the Firearms Training Supervisor. Except in an emergency or as directed by a supervisor, no firearm shall be carried by a member who has not qualified with that firearm at an authorized department range.

All other weapons not provided by the Department, including, but not limited to, edged weapons, chemical or electronic weapons, impact weapons or any weapon prohibited or restricted by law or that is not covered elsewhere by department policy, may not be carried by members in the performance of their official duties without the express written authorization of the member's Division Commander. This exclusion does not apply to the carrying of a single folding pocketknife that is not otherwise prohibited by law.

No member will carry or use at any time any weapon of the type commonly referred to as brass knuckles, nunchucks, slappers, blackjacks, saps, sap gloves, or any other device capable of being used as a weapon, not expressly authorized by this policy.

Knives: Knives are identified as emergency cutting tools, and may be carried for that express purpose. Knives shall be carried in a secure manner and are not be used as a weapon unless deadly force is justified. Blade lengths shall not exceed four (4) inches.

#### 306.3.1 HANDGUNS

The authorized Department-issued handgun for road patrol use is the Glock 17 9mm. This is the only handgun authorized to be worn when an officer is working road patrol or secondary

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employment. Additionally, the department issues a Glock 43/43X 9mm handgun. The Glock 43X may be carried in uniform by officers assigned to administrative duties, i.e.; detective, clerical, and plain clothes personnel provided it is carried in the approved holster, and a second magazine is on their person. The Glock 43 is not authorized as a primary duty weapon, and is only to be carried off duty or as a secondary weapon due to its low round capacity.

#### 306.3.2 SHOTGUNS

The authorized department-issued shotgun is the Mossberg 590A 12 gauge and Remington 870 12 gauge.

When not deployed, the shotgun shall be properly secured consistent with department training in a locked weapons rack in the patrol vehicle, if so equipped, or secured in a locked trunk.

#### 306.3.3 PATROL RIFLES

The authorized department-issued patrol rifle is the Colt AR15 .223/5.56 and Colt SMG 9mm.

Members may deploy the patrol rifle in any circumstance where the member can articulate a reasonable expectation that the rifle may be needed. Examples of some general guidelines for deploying the patrol rifle may include, but are not limited to:

- (a) Situations where the member reasonably anticipates an armed encounter.
- (b) When a member is faced with a situation that may require accurate and effective fire at long range.
- (c) Situations where a member reasonably expects the need to meet or exceed a suspect's firepower.
- (d) When a member reasonably believes that there may be a need to fire on a barricaded person or a person with a hostage.
- (e) When a member reasonably believes that a suspect may be wearing body armor.
- (f) When authorized or requested by a supervisor.
- (g) When needed to euthanize an animal.

When not deployed, the patrol rifle shall be properly secured consistent with department training in a locking weapons rack in the patrol vehicle if so equipped, or secured in a locked trunk.

#### 306.3.4 PERSONALLY OWNED DUTY FIREARMS

Members desiring to carry an authorized but personally owned patrol rifle must receive written approval from the Firearms Training Supervisor. Personally owned patrol rifles must be 5.56mm/.223 caliber, and of the type commonly known as AR15. Once approved, personally owned patrol rifles are subject to the following restrictions:

- (a) The rifle shall be in good working order with a barrel length of 16" minimum. (no pistol variant)
- (b) The firearm shall be inspected by the Firearms Training Supervisor prior to being carried and thereafter shall be subject to inspection whenever it is deemed necessary.

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- (c) Prior to carrying the firearm, members shall qualify under range supervision and thereafter shall qualify in accordance with the department qualification schedule. Members must demonstrate proficiency and safe handling, and that the firearm functions properly.
- (d) Officers who wish to carry a patrol rifle that falls under the National Firearms Act with a barrel less than 16" may do so upon providing a copy of the NFA Tax Stamp to the department, which will be placed in the officer's training file.

#### 306.3.5 AUTHORIZED SECONDARY HANDGUN

Members desiring to carry department or personally owned secondary handguns are subject to the following restrictions:

- (a) The handgun shall be in good working order and not less than .380 Caliber.
- (b) Only one secondary handgun may be carried at a time.
- (c) The purchase of the handgun and ammunition shall be the responsibility of the member unless the handgun and ammunition are provided by the Department.
- (d) The handgun shall be carried concealed at all times and in such a manner as to prevent unintentional cocking, discharge or loss of physical control.
- (e) The handgun shall be inspected by the Firearms Training Supervisor prior to being carried and thereafter shall be subject to inspection whenever it is deemed necessary.
- (f) Ammunition shall be the same as department issue. If the caliber of the handgun is other than department issue, the Chief of Police or the authorized designee shall approve the ammunition.
- (g) Prior to carrying the secondary handgun, members shall qualify under range supervision and thereafter shall qualify in accordance with the department qualification schedule. Members must demonstrate proficiency and safe handling, and that the handgun functions properly.
- (h) Members shall provide written notice of the make, model, color, serial number and caliber of a secondary handgun to the Firearms Training Supervisor, who will maintain a list of the information.

#### 306.3.6 AUTHORIZED OFF-DUTY FIREARMS

The carrying of firearms by members while off-duty is highly encouraged by the Chief of Police but may be rescinded should circumstances dictate (e.g., administrative leave). Members who choose to carry a firearm while off-duty, based on their authority as peace officers, will be required to meet the following guidelines:

- (a) A personally owned firearm may be used and shall be carried and inspected in accordance with this policy.
  - 1. The purchase of the personally owned firearm and ammunition shall be the responsibility of the member.
- (b) The firearm shall be carried concealed at all times and in such a manner as to prevent unintentional cocking, discharge or loss of physical control.

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- (c) It will be the responsibility of the member to submit the firearm to the Firearms Training Supervisor for inspection prior to being personally carried. Thereafter the firearm shall be subject to periodic inspection by the Firearms Training Supervisor.
- (d) Prior to carrying any off-duty firearm, the member shall demonstrate to the Firearms Training Supervisor that he/she is proficient in handling and firing the firearm and that it will be carried in a safe manner.
- (e) The member will successfully qualify with the firearm prior to it being carried.
- (f) Members shall provide written notice of the make, model, color, serial number and caliber of the firearm to the Firearms Training Supervisor, who will maintain a list of the information.
- (g) If a member desires to use more than one firearm while off-duty, he/she may do so, as long as all requirements set forth in this policy for each firearm are met.
- (h) Members shall only carry department-authorized ammunition.
- (i) When armed, officers shall carry their badges and Lorain Police Department identification cards under circumstances requiring possession of such identification.
- (j) Officers may carry a firearm in any school safety zone with proper authorization from the Chief of Police (ORC § 2923.122).
- (k) Off-duty members may carry firearms in establishments for which a "D" liquor permit has been issued and in compliance with ORC 2923.121B.

#### 306.3.8 AMMUNITION

Members shall carry only department-authorized ammunition. Members shall be issued fresh duty ammunition in the specified quantity for all department-issued firearms during the member's firearms qualification. Replacements for unserviceable or depleted ammunition issued by the Department shall be dispensed by the Firearms Training Supervisor when needed, in accordance with established policy.

Members carrying personally owned authorized firearms of a caliber differing from department-issued firearms shall be responsible for obtaining fresh duty ammunition in accordance with the above, at their own expense.

#### 306.3.9 FIREARMS SPECIALIZED PURPOSES

- (a) Upon a successful completion of the Department training and qualifications Officers shall be issued a 12 ga. Pump Shotgun with department approved buckshot and rifled slugs. Qualified designated Officers may also be issued one or more of the following firearms with department approved ammunition;
  - 1. Colt AR15.223 caliber semi-automatic rifle
  - 2. Colt M16.223 caliber semi-automatic rifle
  - 3. Colt 9mm semi-automatic rifle
  - 4. Remington 870 modified Less Lethal Impact Projectile shotgun
- (b) SWAT Issued Special Purpose Firearms

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1. Colt M4 Commando 5.56 caliber semi/full automatic rifle
  2. H&K MP5 9mm semi/full automatic suppressed rifle
  3. Remington 700, or Accuracy International AEMKIII sniper rifle
- (c) Officers who have been issued any of the above mentioned firearms shall keep them in a ready state in the Officer's Department patrol vehicle. The firearms shall have loaded magazines, but are not to be stowed with a live round in the chamber. These weapons may be loaded and charged at the time of deployment.

#### 306.3.9 AUTHORIZED CARRY IN COURT FACILITIES

Carrying of a firearm by officers into courtrooms or court buildings is subject to local court security rules and shall only be permitted while the officer is acting within the scope of his/her duties (as determined by the Chief of Police) (ORC § 2923.123).

#### 306.3.10 FIREARMS CARRYING PROHIBITIONS

- (a) Members are prohibited from carrying or using a Department owned or issued firearms under the following circumstances:
1. in situations prohibited by federal, state, or municipal law, and
  2. while under suspension, administrative leave or during a leave of absence unless otherwise permitted by law, or approved in writing by the Chief of Police.
  3. while consuming alcoholic beverages, unless acting in an officially sanctioned covert operation. It is never permitted to carry or use a firearm while under the influence of alcohol or drugs, or with a blood alcohol level higher than the state's prescribed level for intoxication while operating a motor vehicle.

### 306.4 EQUIPMENT

Firearms carried on- or off-duty shall be maintained in a clean, serviceable condition. Maintenance and repair of authorized personally owned firearms are the responsibility of the individual member.

#### 306.4.1 REPAIRS OR MODIFICATIONS

Each member shall be responsible for promptly reporting any damage or malfunction of an assigned firearm to a supervisor or the Firearms Training Supervisor.

Firearms that are the property of the Department or personally owned firearms that are approved for department use may be repaired or modified only by a person who is department-approved and certified as an armorer or gunsmith in the repair of the specific firearm. Such modification or repair must be authorized in advance by the Firearms Training Supervisor.

Any repairs or modifications to the member's personally owned firearm shall be done at his/her expense and must be approved by the Firearms Training Supervisor.

#### 306.4.2 HOLSTERS

Only department-approved Safariland ALS based holsters shall be used and worn by members when on duty. Members shall periodically inspect their holsters to make sure they are serviceable

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and provide the proper security and retention of the handgun. The Safariland QLS may be used by SWAT members for ease of transferring duty holsters to SWAT specific gear. The Safariland QLS may be used by non-SWAT officers upon approval by the Firearms Training Supervisor.

### OFF DUTY HOLSTERS

Officers are permitted to utilize off duty holsters of both polymer and or conventional material construction (eg: leather, kydex, nylon) provided the holster provided a positive secure method of weapons retention. Thumb break strap and kydex tension based inside the waistband holsters may be used, provided they offer proper concealment. A holster must be used when carrying a firearm off duty. (no tucking of a firearm into a waistband or loose pocket carry etc.)

### 306.4.3 TACTICAL LIGHTS

Tactical lights may only be installed on a firearm carried on- or off-duty after they have been examined and approved by the Firearms Training Supervisor. Once the approved tactical lights have been properly installed on any firearm, the member shall qualify with the firearm to ensure proper functionality and sighting of the firearm prior to carrying it.

### 306.4.4 OPTICS OR LASER SIGHTS

Optics or laser sights may only be installed on a firearm carried on- or off-duty after they have been examined and approved by the Firearms Training Supervisor. Any approved sight shall only be installed in strict accordance with manufacturer specifications. Once approved sights have been properly installed on any firearm, the member shall qualify with the firearm to ensure proper functionality and sighting of the firearm prior to carrying it.

Optics will only be approved provided they are of quality manufacture, from a reputable company with a track record of providing quality equipment to law enforcement or military.

Except in an approved training situation, a member may only sight in on a target when the member would otherwise be justified in pointing a firearm at the target.

## **306.5 SAFE HANDLING, INSPECTION AND STORAGE**

Members shall maintain the highest level of safety when handling firearms and shall consider the following:

- (a) Members shall not unnecessarily display or handle any firearm.
- (b) Members shall be governed by all rules and regulations pertaining to the use of the range and shall obey all orders issued by the Firearms Training Supervisor. Members shall not dry fire or practice quick draws except as instructed by the Firearms Training Supervisor or other firearms training staff.
- (c) Members shall not clean, repair, load or unload a firearm anywhere in the Department, except where clearing barrels are present.
- (d) Shotguns or rifles removed from vehicles or the equipment storage room shall be loaded and unloaded in the parking lot and outside of the vehicle, using clearing barrels whenever possible.

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- (e) Members shall not place or store any firearm or other weapon on department premises except where the place of storage is locked. No one shall carry firearms into the jail section or any part thereof when securing or processing an arrestee, but shall place all firearms in a secured location. Members providing access to the jail section to persons from outside agencies are responsible for ensuring firearms are not brought into the jail section.
- (f) Members shall not use any automatic firearm, heavy caliber rifle, gas or other type of chemical weapon or firearm from the armory, except with approval of a supervisor.
- (g) Any firearm authorized by the Department to be carried on- or off-duty that is determined by a member to be malfunctioning or in need of service or repair shall not be carried. It shall be promptly presented to the Department or a Firearms Training Supervisor approved by the Department for inspection and repair. Any firearm deemed in need of repair or service by the Firearms Training Supervisor will be immediately removed from service. If the firearm is the member's primary duty firearm, a replacement firearm will be issued to the member until the duty firearm is serviceable.
- (h) Treat all firearms as though they are loaded.
- (i) Always point the firearm in a safe direction, unless its use is justified.
- (j) Keep finger off the trigger until the use of the firearm is justified.
- (k) Officers must be cognizant of others in the area and those beyond the intended target when utilizing firearms.
- (l) Officers shall not store or leave a firearm unsecured or in any place within the reach or easy access of any unauthorized persons.
- (m) Officers shall not leave a firearm in a vehicle unless the firearm is secured in a locked glove box or similar fixed location or locked trunk of the vehicle. Under no circumstances will firearms be stored in plain view.
- (n) Removal of firearms from their holster or other carrying devices for other than authorized purposes such as tactical use, training and qualification, inspection, or cleaning and maintenance is prohibited.
- (o) Any careless, flippant, or casual use or display of a firearm or other weapon will constitute grounds for discipline up to and including termination.

#### 306.5.1 INSPECTION AND STORAGE

Handguns shall be inspected regularly and upon access or possession by another person. Shotguns and rifles shall be inspected at the beginning of the shift by the member to whom the weapon is issued. The member shall ensure that the firearm is carried in the proper condition and loaded with approved ammunition. Inspection of the shotgun and rifle shall be done while standing outside of the patrol vehicle. All firearms shall be pointed in a safe direction or into clearing barrels.

Personally owned firearms may be safely stored in lockers at the end of the shift. Handguns may remain loaded if they are secured in an appropriate holster.

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The Firearms Instructor, in addition to random inspections, shall facilitate the inspection of all firearms approved for carrying. Inspections shall be documented in the Firearms Training Unit Firearms Proficiency Training Record.

- (a) The inspection of firearms shall be completed annually by departmental armorers, where each firearm will be field stripped and inspected for:
  1. proper function
  2. proper lubrication and cleanliness
  3. signs of wear, or broken parts
  4. the approved ammunition is being carried, and;
  5. that no unauthorized modifications have been made
- (b) Any firearm found to be unsafe, damaged or in any way found to be non-serviceable, shall immediately be removed from service and a replacement firearm will be issued. Firearms requiring service shall be returned to the armory and labeled "out of service" until such repairs can take place.
- (c) A firearms maintenance record shall be maintained on each agency issued firearm. Any maintenance, including the replacement of parts, shall be recorded in the firearms maintenance record located in the Departmental Armory.
- (d) No firearm shall be returned to service until repaired, inspected, and test-fired by an armorer certified in that specific firearm, and authorized by the Firearms Training Supervisor or Sergeant.

#### 306.5.2 STORAGE AT HOME

Members shall ensure that all firearms and ammunition are locked and secured while in their homes, vehicles or any other area under their control, and in a manner that will keep them inaccessible to children and others who should not have access. Members shall not permit department-issued firearms to be handled by anyone not authorized by the Department to do so. Members should be aware that negligent storage of a firearm could result in civil liability.

#### 306.5.3 ALCOHOL AND DRUGS

Firearms shall not be carried by any member, either on- or off-duty, who has consumed an amount of an alcoholic beverage, taken any drugs or medication, or has taken any combination thereof that would tend to adversely affect the member's senses or judgment (ORC § 2923.15).

### 306.6 FIREARMS TRAINING AND QUALIFICATIONS

All members will qualify at least annually with their duty firearms on a course approved by the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission (POTC) (ORC § 109.801). Members will qualify with off-duty and secondary firearms at least once a year. Training and qualifications must be on an approved range course.

At least annually, all members carrying a firearm should receive practical training designed to simulate field situations including low-light shooting.

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Instructors conducting firearms qualifications are required to have the approval of the POTC director as well as certification issued by the POTC (OAC § 109:2-13-04).

#### 306.6.1 NON-CERTIFICATION OR NON-QUALIFICATION

If any member fails to meet minimum standards for firearms training or qualification for any reason, including injury, illness, duty status or scheduling conflict, that member shall submit a memorandum to his/her immediate supervisor prior to the end of the required training or qualification period.

Those who fail to meet minimum standards or qualify on their first shooting attempt shall be provided remedial training and will be subject to the following requirements:

- (a) Additional range assignments may be scheduled to assist the member in demonstrating consistent firearm proficiency.
- (b) Members shall be given credit for a range training or qualification when obtaining a qualifying score or meeting standards after remedial training.
- (c) No range credit will be given for the following:
  - 1. Unauthorized range make-up
  - 2. Failure to meet minimum standards or qualify after remedial training

Members who repeatedly fail to meet minimum standards will be removed from field assignment and may be subject to disciplinary action. In addition, the member may not carry a firearm until qualification is achieved (ORC § 109.801).

#### 306.7 FIREARM DISCHARGE

Except during training or recreational use, any member who discharges a firearm intentionally or unintentionally, on- or off-duty, shall make a verbal report to his/her supervisor as soon as circumstances permit. In cases of accidental discharge, the immediate supervisor will as soon as practicable notify the member's Division Commander of the incident. If the discharge results in injury or death to another person, additional statements and reports shall be made in accordance with the Officer-Involved Shootings and Deaths Policy. If a firearm was discharged as a use of force, the involved member shall adhere to the additional reporting requirements set forth in the Use of Force Policy.

In all other cases, written reports shall be made as follows:

- (a) If on-duty at the time of the incident, the member shall file a written report with his/her Division Commander or provide a recorded statement to investigators prior to the end of shift, unless otherwise directed.
- (b) If off-duty at the time of the incident, a written report shall be submitted or recorded statement provided no later than the end of the next regularly scheduled shift, unless otherwise directed by a supervisor.

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#### 306.7.1 DESTRUCTION OF ANIMALS

Members are authorized to use firearms to stop an animal in circumstances where the animal reasonably appears to pose an imminent threat to human safety and alternative methods are not reasonably available or would likely be ineffective.

In circumstances where there is sufficient advance notice that a potentially dangerous animal may be encountered, department members should develop reasonable contingency plans for dealing with the animal (e.g., fire extinguisher, TASER, oleoresin capsicum (OC) spray, animal control officer). Nothing in this policy shall prohibit any member from shooting a dangerous animal if circumstances reasonably dictate that a contingency plan has failed or becomes impractical.

#### 306.7.2 INJURED ANIMALS

With the approval of a supervisor, a member may euthanize an animal that is so badly injured that human compassion requires its removal from further suffering and where other dispositions are impractical.

#### 306.7.3 WARNING AND OTHER SHOTS

Warning shots are prohibited. Generally, shots fired for the purpose of summoning aid are discouraged and may not be discharged unless the member reasonably believes that they appear necessary, effective and reasonably safe.

### **306.8 FIREARMS TRAINING SUPERVISOR DUTIES**

The range will be under the exclusive control of the Firearms Training Supervisor. All members attending will follow the directions of the Firearms Training Supervisor. The Firearms Training Supervisor will maintain a roster of all members attending the range and will submit the roster to the Training Coordinator after each range date. Failure of any member to sign in and out with the Firearms Training Supervisor may result in non-participation or non-qualification.

The range shall remain operational and accessible to department members during hours established by the Department.

The Firearms Training Supervisor has the responsibility of making periodic inspection, at least once a year, of all duty firearms carried by members of this department to verify proper operation. The Firearms Training Supervisor has the authority to deem any department-issued or personally owned firearm unfit for service. The member will be responsible for all repairs to his/her personal firearm; it will not be returned to service until it has been inspected and approved by the Firearms Training Supervisor.

The Firearms Training Supervisor has the responsibility for ensuring each member meets the minimum requirements during training shoots and, on at least a yearly basis, can demonstrate proficiency in the care, cleaning and safety of all firearms the member is authorized to carry.

The Firearms Training Supervisor shall complete and submit to the Training Coordinator documentation of the training courses provided. Documentation shall include the qualifications of each instructor who provides the training, a description of the training provided and, on a form that has been approved by the Department, a list of each member who completes the training. The

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Firearms Training Supervisor should keep accurate records of all training shoots, qualifications, repairs, maintenance or other records.

#### **306.9 FLYING WHILE ARMED**

The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) has imposed rules governing law enforcement officers flying armed on commercial aircraft. The following requirements apply to officers who intend to be armed while flying on a commercial air carrier or flights where screening is conducted (49 CFR 1544.219):

- (a) Officers wishing to fly while armed must be flying in an official capacity, not for vacation or pleasure, and must have a need to have the firearm accessible, as determined by the Department based on the law and published TSA rules.
- (b) Officers must carry their Lorain Police Department identification card, bearing the officer's name, a full-face photograph, identification number, the officer's signature and the signature of the Chief of Police or the official seal of the Department and must present this identification to airline officials when requested. The officer should also carry the standard photo identification needed for passenger screening by airline and TSA officials (e.g., driver license, passport).
- (c) The Lorain Police Department must submit a National Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (NLETS) message prior to the officer's travel. If approved, TSA will send the Lorain Police Department an NLETS message containing a unique alphanumeric identifier. The officer must present the message on the day of travel to airport personnel as authorization to travel while armed.
- (d) An official letter signed by the Chief of Police authorizing armed travel may also accompany the officer. The letter should outline the officer's need to fly armed, detail his/her itinerary, and include that the officer has completed the mandatory TSA training for a law enforcement officer flying while armed.
- (e) Officers must have completed the mandated TSA security training covering officers flying while armed. The training shall be given by the department-appointed instructor.
- (f) It is the officer's responsibility to notify the air carrier in advance of the intended armed travel. This notification should be accomplished by early check-in at the carrier's check-in counter.
- (g) Any officer flying while armed should discreetly contact the flight crew prior to take-off and notify them of his/her assigned seat.
- (h) Discretion must be used to avoid alarming passengers or crew by displaying a firearm. The officer must keep the firearm concealed on his/her person at all times. Firearms are not permitted in carry-on luggage and may not be stored in an overhead compartment.
- (i) Officers should try to resolve any problems associated with flying armed through the flight captain, ground security manager, TSA representative or other management representative of the air carrier.
- (j) Officers shall not consume alcoholic beverages while aboard an aircraft, or within eight hours prior to boarding an aircraft.

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#### **306.10 CARRYING FIREARMS OUT OF STATE**

Qualified, active, full-time officers of this department are authorized to carry a concealed firearm in all other states subject to the following conditions (18 USC § 926B):

- (a) The officer shall carry his/her Lorain Police Department identification card whenever carrying such firearm.
- (b) The officer is not the subject of any current disciplinary action.
- (c) The officer may not be under the influence of alcohol or any other intoxicating or hallucinatory drug.
- (d) The officer will remain subject to this and all other department policies (including qualifying and training).

Officers are cautioned that individual states may enact local regulations that permit private persons or entities to prohibit or restrict the possession of concealed firearms on their property, or that prohibit or restrict the possession of firearms on any state or local government property, installation, building, base or park. Federal authority may not shield an officer from arrest and prosecution in such locally restricted areas.

Active law enforcement from other states are subject to all requirements set forth in 18 USC § 926B.