

GOOD NEWS/**BAD NEWS**

GOOD NEWS (11/15/2011): H.R. 822, the National Right-to-Carry Reciprocity Act, passed by a majority bipartisan vote of 272 to 154. All amendments aimed to weaken or damage the integrity of this bill were defeated. The bill is now off to the Senate, if it passes the Senate we will still have to face a possible Presidential Veto.

BAD NEWS (10/26/2011): Wisconsin's published reciprocity list does not include permits issued by **Missouri, Florida** or **Maine**. However, they do recognize the **Utah** permit. We expect this list to be revised, stay tuned.

GOOD NEWS (09/01/2011): Wisconsin becomes a concealed carry state leaving Illinois and Washington DC as the only hold outs.

GOOD NEWS/BAD NEWS (08/28/2011):**** HB294 goes into affect as law. Some of the changes included are the lowering of the age to be eligible for a Missouri permit from 23 to 21 and doubling the qualification firing requirements. Although these both sound like "good news", we are yet to know how each sheriff is going to handle applicants who qualified for, but did not apply for, a Missouri permit prior to to 8/28/11. If this applies to you and you encounter a problem, please contact us to obtain the additional qualification firing at no cost to you.

UPDATE: St. Louis County and St. Charles County WILL require you to meet the new standards, with new paperwork. Jefferson County DOES NOT require you to requalify.

BAD NEWS (05/10/2011): The Utah Governor signed a bill into law requiring non-residents who reside in a state with reciprocity (Missouri does) to possess a home state permit prior to applying for a Utah permit. This applies to all new applications and, beginning January 1st, 2012, to renewals.

This law is for applications for permits and renewals only! It does not affect the Utah permit if you have one your pocket now until the expiration date shown on the permit. At that time, you'll need to apply for a home state permit or another out-of-state permit. (This legislation does not affect Illinois or Wisconsin residents.) Carrying a UT permit in addition to a MO permit would not result in any additional coverage, so I don't recommend applying for both.

If your current Utah permit will expire between January 1st and March 31st, 2012, you may want to renew your Utah permit early in order to obtain a five year permit for \$15.00. Utah will allow renewals up to three months early. Otherwise, start researching available permits approximately three to four months before your Utah permit is due to expire and apply at least two to three months before.

[Click here](#) for instructions on how to apply for your Missouri permit.

Non-Resident permits currently available to you by mail include:

| STATE | STATES COVERED | DURATION | COST | RENEWAL | PICTURE REQ'D | FINGERPRINTS REQ'D |
|--------------------------|----------------|----------|-------|---------|---------------|--------------------|
| Arizona | 29 | 5 | \$60 | \$43 | NO | YES |
| Florida | 31 | 7 | \$117 | \$107 | YES | YES |
| Maine | 20 | 4 | \$60 | \$60 | YES | NO |
| Virginia | 26 | 5 | \$100 | \$100 | YES | YES |

GOOD NEWS (01/01/2011): Iowa now recognizes **ALL** permits.

GOOD NEWS (11/01/2010): Arizona now recognizes **ALL** permits.

GOOD NEWS (11/01/2010): West Virginia now recognizes non-resident permits issued by reciprocity states.

GOOD NEWS/BAD NEWS (03/05/2010): Wyoming now honors concealed firearm permits issued by multiple states, including **Florida, Maine, Missouri** and **Utah**.