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How to Obtain a Firearms Identification Card and or Handgun Purchase Permit:

- You must be an Elmwood Park Resident.
- You must show proof of residency.
- You can download necessary forms from the NJ State Police website NJSP.org (form STS033, SP66), or pick up the forms at the main police desk.
- To avoid delays we prefer that you not handwrite on your forms but this is **not** mandatory.
- It is **preferred** that you meet with Lt. Sigona from the firearms unit and drop your application off to them in person to avoid any delays and to have corrections made in a timely manner. However, you can drop off your completed application, 2 mental health forms and reference letters 24 hours a day 7 days a week at the main police desk. Please have them in a sealed envelope with your name and contact information on it and write firearms unit on it.
- Please do not sign the application or mental health forms. They must be signed in the presence of the firearms detective.
- Firearms unit can be reached by calling 201-796-0700 ext: 115