



**PERMIT TO DISCHARGE FIREARM
PEST BIRD CONTROL**

1. The holder of the permit must be 21 years of age or over and must be a resident of the city of Sikeston, Missouri.
2. The holder of the permit understands and agrees that the issuance of this permit in no way relieves he or she of the responsibility for any action that may result from the use of the firearm.
3. The holder understands that the City of Sikeston, its agents, or employees, are not liable for any actions of the holder in regard to the use of the firearm or the issuance of this permit.
4. The holder agrees to carry the permit with him/her at all times while discharging a firearm and shall produce it upon demand by any enforcement officer.
5. The holder agrees and understands that this permit only allows for the **discharge** of a firearm while attempting to remove or alleviate birds of the general species of **starlings, blackbirds, and other similar birds** when gathering in excessive numbers. This is not a permit to shoot at or kill the birds.
6. The holder understands and agrees to use the utmost caution, while discharging a firearm, to protect other person's property.
7. The holder understands and agrees that this permission to discharge a firearm shall occur only for **one (1) hour before and one (1) hour after sunset**. Discharging a firearm at any other time would be a violation of city ordinances and could result in arrest.
8. THIS PERMIT SHALL HAVE AN EFFECTIVE PERIOD FROM OCTOBER 1 TO APRIL 1.

Signature

PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT USE

NAME: _____	ADDRESS: _____
PHONE: _____	DATE OF BIRTH: _____
RECORD CHECK: YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input type="checkbox"/>	OFFICER #: _____
DATE ISSUED: _____	ISSUED BY: _____

