FIREARMS SURRENDER PROTOCOL FOR MISDEMEANOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND STALKING

The crimes against you *immediately* prohibit you from possessing firearms and ammunition and require you to surrender them.

AS SOON AS YOU RECEIVE AN ORDER OF FIREARMS PROHIBITION AND DISPOSSESSION from possessing firearms and ammunition, you must do ONE of the following within 24 hours.

1. <u>Surrender to Law Enforcement or a Licensed Gun Dealer all firearms and/or ammunition in your</u> possession, control, or custody.

OR

- 2. <u>Have an eligible Third Party take possession of any firearms and/or ammunition in your possession, control, or custody.</u>
 - You must arrange for an Oregon State Police criminal background check on the third party you select.
 - That Third Party cannot live with you.
 - To get a background check, you must contact a licensed gun dealer. A fee applies.
 - The Third Party must complete the *Third Party Recipient's Declaration* provided to you.

<u>AND, WITHIN 2 COURT (BUSINESS) DAYS</u>, YOU MUST FILE WITH THE COURT AND DISTRICT ATTORNEYS OFFICE A DECLARATION, WITH PROOF OF TRANSFER.

These documents will tell the court:

- A. That you have no firearms or ammunition.
- **B.** The person/agency you gave the guns & ammunition to, and other details of the transfer.
- C. OR that you do not want to answer because you do not want to incriminate yourself.

The **Firearms Declaration** is included in your service packet or online at: <u>http://courts.oregon.gov/courts/washington</u>.

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH COURT ORDERED TERMS ABOUT FIREARMS POSSESSION AND SURRENDER MAY SUBJECT YOU TO A CONTEMPT OF COURT CHARGE OR A CRIMINAL CHARGE.

OPTION TO SURRENDER TO LAW ENFORCEMENT

The Washington County Sheriff's Office and local law enforcement agencies will accept **<u>unloaded</u>** firearms and ammunition of individuals under Order of Firearm Prohibition and Dispossession. Below is the contact information for Washington County law enforcement agencies:

Cornelius Police	Beaverton Police	Forest Grove Police
503-359-1881	503-629-0111	503-992-3260
Hillsboro Police	King City Police	Oregon State Police
503-681-6190	503-620-8851	503-378-3720

North Plains Police	Sherwood Police	Tigard Police
503-647-2604	503-625-5523	503-629-0111
Tualatin Police 503-691-4800	Washington County Sheriff 503-846-2537	Wilsonville Police 503-682-1012

- Weapons surrendered to law enforcement must be unloaded.
- Upon arrival at the agency, keep your unloaded weapons locked inside your vehicle (in the trunk if possible), and then contact the agency.
- Give the agency a copy of the court's Order. Inform them that your weapons are in your vehicle.
- Follow the agency's instruction and get a copy of the evidence report that lists the weapons you have surrendered. You will need this as proof to the court.

RETURN of firearms/ammunition: Based on this conviction you are subject to a lifetime prohibition for possession of firearms or ammunition. If you possess firearms or ammunition you are subject to prosecution pursuant to ORS 166.255. You may also be subject to federal prosecution for possession, receipt, shipping, transportation, or purchase of firearms or ammunition under 18 USC § 922(g).