

Ross Police Department Directive

Procedure for Surrender of Firearms

This Directive establishes a procedure for which a member of the public may dispose of a firearm to the Ross Police Department.

Any resident of the Town of Ross may dispose of a firearm to the Ross Police Department by contacting the Department and expressing their desire of turning a firearm over to the Department. The on-duty officer shall ask the resident to leave the firearm in their vehicle, or at their residence unloaded. The officer can remove the firearm from the vehicle, or respond to the residence to take control of the firearm.

The officer shall record the Make, Model and Serial Number on the form, "Disposal of Firearm" and have the resident sign the form. Note: the person signing the form must be the legal owner of the firearm. The owner shall be provided with a copy of the form.

The officer shall document the surrender on a Police Report. The firearm (s) shall be placed into evidence for "Safekeeping" for later disposal.