

To: Mohave Sportsman's Club Board of Directors

This e-mail is to address and explain the public use of all ranges including the Cowboy Action, 1000 yard, archery, pistol, shotgun and any other facility on 7-Mile Shooting Facility.

Per the lease agreement between the Arizona Game and Fish Commission and Mohave Sportsman's Club, Inc. it is understood in Section 4 of the Permit to Lease, the property shall be utilized by the Club solely for the purposes of development, operation, construction, and maintenance of a **public** shooting range complex and recreational facility. The property shall be administered by the Department as defined in Commission Policy A2.19.

In Section 6 of the Agreement It is understood and agreed that the public **shall have equal and reasonable access to the shooting range and recreational facilities** without discrimination and **without requirement that the public become affiliated as a member or otherwise with the Mohave Sportsman's Club, Inc, its divisions, or any of its groups.**

Under Section 24 of the Agreement all improvements placed on the premises or funded by the Commission are property of the Commission and any other improvements purchased or acquired by the Commission in any manner whatsoever shall remain the property of the Commission. The Club agrees that all improvements placed or affixed upon the Property shall thereupon become the property of the Commission. The Club shall have the right to remove any items of personal property not permanently affixed to the real property.

How these sections pertain to the Cowboy Range use can be determined that the range must be open to the public. The Cowboy user group cannot require the public to only shoot when they are on the range this is in direct violation of section 6 that the public must affiliate with division to use the range. The club is not making them be members but by requiring them to only access when the club is there is making the public affiliate. Targets that are on the range come under Section 24 of improvements. All improvements on the range can be used by the public. If the club deems these items as personal then they can remove them each time the public is using the range. It is not acceptable to close the range to protect personal property of a certain group.

If this agreement is not enforced by the Mohave Sportsman's Club, Inc. Board of Directors, Under Section 26 of the Permit to Lease it outlines, in the event the Club fails to correct any default to be in full compliance with terms and conditions a notice will be submitted by the Department for breach or default of terms.

Please distribute this to the Club match directors to help in clarifying the requirements,

If you have any questions, please let me know

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