# 1 PERMITLESS CARRY CLASS

2 Firearms Training

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#### **2 HANDGUN SAFETY RULES**

- Assume the weapon is always loaded.
- Keep your finger off the trigger until you are ready to fire.
- Never point the weapon at anything you love and don't want to destroy.
- Always keep the weapon pointed in a safe direction.
- Know your target and what's beyond the line of fire.

#### 3 D.R.O.P.

In my opinion, learning how to properly unload a semi-automatic pistol is more important than knowing how to load one. A majority of people hurt themselves with pistols because they thought the weapon was unloaded. Understanding the proper unloading sequence is critical for your safety.

- D: Drop the magazine
- R: Rack the slide
- O: Open the slide (slide-lock)
- P: Pinky or Physically check

# 4 FLORIDA PERMITLESS CARRY STARTS JULY 1 2023

- Permitless Carry Bill On April 3, 2023, Florida Governor Ron Desantis signed House Bill 543 into law, with an effective start date of July 1, 2023. With this amendment to Florida Statute 790.01, Florida has become the 26th state to allow permitless carry. This is not the same as full Constitutional Carry, Florida's new permitless carry law does not allow open carry. What exactly are the effects? This class will explain exactly what the actual effects of this new law are and will also provide some insight on carrying under the new law.
- Allows people in Florida to carry a firearm or other lawful weapons concealed while in public without first getting a concealed weapons license. Previously in Florida, any person who wanted to carry a firearm in public was required to obtain a Concealed Weapon and Firearm License (CWFL) through the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services (FDACS).

# 5 QUALIFICATION TO CARRY A WEAPON UNDER FLORIDA'S PERMITLESS CARRY LAW

# 6 NON-QUALIFICATION TO CARRY CONCEALED WEAPON UNDER THE PERMITLESS CARRY LAW

- Physical inability to handle firearm safely
- A felony conviction (unless your Civil Rights have been restored)

- Have an adjudication withheld or sentence suspended on felony or misdemeanor crime in the last 3 years
- A conviction for misdemeanor crime of violence in last three years
- A conviction for violation of control substance laws or multiple arrests for such offenses
- A record of drug abuse or alcohol abuse
- Two or more DUI convictions within the previous three years
- · Being committed to a mental hospital
- Falling to provide proof of proficiency
- · Having been issued a domestic violence or an injunction against repeated violence
- Renouncement of U.S. Citizenship
- Dishonorable discharge from the armed forces
- Be a fugitive from justice

## 7 ADVANTAGES TO PERMITLESS CARRY

- 1. Carry Now: The average response time for law enforcement is 14 minutes.
- 2. No Class, No Applying, No Wait, No Cost
- 3. Reciprocity: Without a CCW you are allowed to carry in 26 states (the ones with constitutional carry) Each state's firearms laws are different.
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#### 8 28 CONSTITUTIONAL CARRY STATES

- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- Florida
- · Georgia
- Idaho
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas
- Kentucky
- Mississippi
- Missouri
- Montana
- Nebraska
- New Hampshire\*
- · North Carolina
- Ohio
- Oklahoma
- · Pennsylvania\*
- South Dakota
- Tennessee

- Texas
- Utah
- Vermont
- West Virginia
- Wyoming

# 9 PERMITLESS CARRY STATES

Green: Permitless

Orange Permitless Honored Resident Only

Yellow: Permits Required

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** 

It is your responsibility to know and understand the laws in any state you travel.

### 10 DISADVANTAGES OF PERMITLESS CARRY

- 1. Not Knowing the Florida Gun Laws and Regulation *Ignorance is NO EXCUSE for illegal Permitless carry.*
- 2. Firearm Purchase Wait: Florida Resident has a 3-business day wait/cool off period before you can take possession of a firearm. When you have your CCW, there is NO WAIT. All that is required is paperwork and passing the background check.
- 3. Losing Reciprocity States: When you have your Florida DL and FL CCW you are allowed to carry in 36 additional states. Each state's firearms laws are different. The licensed holder traveling in other states are subject to the firearm laws in those states.
- 4. Florida Allows Non-Residents: to apply and obtain a Florida Concealed Weapon Permit. You do not need to live in Florida to apply for your CCW permit. 6 out of the 36 states that allow reciprocity you would not receive due those state only recognize a Florida Resident here are those States.

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#### 11 36 STATES THAT RECOGNIZE FLORIDA WITH CCW

- Alabama
- Alaska
- Arizona
- Arkansas
- Colorado\*
- Delaware
- Georgia
- Idaho
- Indiana
- Iowa
- Kansas

- Kentucky
- Louisiana
- Michigan\*
- Maine\*
- Mississippi
- Missouri
- Montana
- Nebraska
- Nevada
- New Hampshire\*
- New Mexico
- North Carolina
- · North Dakota
- Ohio
- Oklahoma
- · Pennsylvania\*
- South Carolina\*
- · South Dakota
- Tennessee
- Texas
- Utah
- Vermont
- Virginia
- West Virginia
- Wyoming
- \* Only honor Florida Residents

#### 12 FLORIDA CCW RECIPROCITY

Green: Issuing State Blue: Permit Honored

Yellow: Residential permits only

Red: Permit not honored IMPORTANT NOTE:

It is the license holder's responsibility to know and understand the laws in any state you travel.

#### 13 FIREARMS IN VEHICLES WITH PERMITLESS CARRY

- Florida gives you the right to possess and transport a weapon for self-defense purposes as long as the weapon is securely encased.
- Securely encased is defined as glove box, center console, snap holster, the box the gun came in, a zipped gun bag, or any other container that the lid has to be removed before the firearm can be drawn and shot.
- · Carry on your Body Concealed
- Weapon Must be Concealed

#### 14 STOPPED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT PERMITLESS CARRYING

- · You are not required by law to identify that you have a weapon but is highly recommended.
- Most law enforcement MAY assume that a weapon is present due to Florida gun laws.
- A good rule of thumb would be to state "I have a weapon in my vehicle for my protection ???, how do you want me to handle it?"
- An important note is that you should NEVER store your weapon and your documents (registration, insurance, etc.) in the same place.

### 15 PLACES YOU CANNOT CARRY

- Places of nuisance: house of prostitution or gang activity
- Police, sheriff, or highway patrol station
- · Detention facility, prison or jail
- · Court room or courthouse
- Polling place
- Meetings of a government body, public school districts, municipalities, or special distrusts
- Meeting of legislator or legislator committee
- · School, college, or professional athletic event
- · School administration building
- Establishment that serves alcohol as it's main purpose (BAR)
- 1000 ft from a School zone
- Carry Concealed in Church's or house of Worships
- Posted Store with Signs (No GUNs )
- · Elementary, secondary, middle and high school
- · Technical center
- College or university facility
- Airport (past sterile area)
- Place that federal law prohibits

#### 16 HOW CAN YOU CARRY?

- In a bag
- In a purse
- In a murse (man purse)
- In a holster
- · In a briefcase
- In a backpack
- In your pocket
- · As long as you have immediate control of your firearm, and it is concealed
- · Must always have photo ID on you

#### 17 PRINTING OR ACCIDENTAL DISPLAY

- Printing in NOT against the law, however, people who see the outline of a firearm do not assume you are the good guy
- Firearm = criminal
- Florida allows incidental/accidental display (i.e. bending over and tying your shoe)
- Florida does NOT have open carry, except when hunting, fishing or camping
- You must make very attempt to conceal your weapon when licensed

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#### 18 FORCIBLE FELONIES

- 1 Acceptable situations in which you can use deadly force to stop or prevent death or bodily harm of yourself or others are listed below:
- 2 Treason
  - Murder
  - Manslaughter
  - Sexual battery
  - Carjacking
  - Home invasion
  - Robbery
  - Burglary
  - Kidnapping
  - · Aggravated stalking
- Aggravated battery
  - · Aircraft Piracy
  - Unlawful throwing, placing, or discharging of a destructive devise of bomb
  - · Any felony which involves the use of threat of physical force or violence against any individual

#### 19 I.D.O.L.

It is important to know when it is okay to use deadly force. You cannot use deadly force to defend property. You cannot be the aggressor. You must be the victim.

- I: In
- D: Defense
- O: Of
- · L: Life

### 20 CASTLE DOCTRINE

- · Covers the area inside of your home
- The assumption is that an assailant in your home is there to do harm and you have the right to defend yourself
- You have no duty to retreat
- Challenge: assailant close to the exit with his back to you
- · Can be sued civilly

#### 21 STAND YOUR GROUND

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- Florida law passed in 2005
- Allows those who feel a reasonable threat of death or bodily injury to "meet force with force" rather than retreat.
- You have the right to defend yourself
- · Civil liabilities are waived

#### 22 DELTA DEFENSE LLC

• USCCA DELTA DEFENSE LLC. Is an organization that helps responsible gun owners prepare for what they may encounter before, during and after a self-defense incident.

- · Provides:
  - Bond up to \$1,000,000
  - 24/7 Response Team
  - · Good in all 50 states
  - 3 levels of memberships
  - \$2,000,000 Annual Liability Limit
  - \$10,000 Incidental Expenses
  - 750 per day Actual loss of Earnings
  - · Covers all lawful Acts of Self-Defense
  - Mobile Reciprocity Cell Phone Map
  - Bullet Proof 365 Money Back Guarantee

# 23 FLORIDA LAW BOOK

- · Florida Firearms Law, Use and Ownership by Jon H. Gutmacher
- Everything there is to know about self-defense in Florida
- This book is the updated explanation of all the Florida self-defense laws, including the substantial changes made by legislator in 2014 (Stand Your Ground)
- Buy one for \$29.99

## 24 FIREARM IS YOUR LAST OPTION, NOT YOUR FIRST!

- 1 Stun guns
- An electroshock weapon is an incapacitating weapon. It delivers an electric shock aimed at temporarily disrupting muscle functions and/or inflicting pain without usually causing significant Nonlife threating injury. Many have LED and used for self-defense, including defense against dogs.
- 3 Pepper Spray
- 4 Also known as capsaicin spray or capsicum spray is a lachrymatory agent (a chemical compound that irritates the eyes to cause a burning sensation, pain, and temporary blindness) used in policing, riot control, crowd control, and self-defense, including defense against dogs and bears.

# 25 TRAINING FACILITY, GUN RANGE, GUN STORE

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- · Basic & Enhanced Pistol Training
- Youth Training
- Group Classes
- 5 Lane Indoor Gun Range
- Open Range Dailey
- Memberships
- Gun Sales & Transfers
- Ammo Sales
- Cleaning Kits & Cleaning Products
- Holsters, Bags, Protection & Other Accessory Sales

#### 26 SHOULD YOU STILL GET A CONCEALED CARRY PERMIT?

- There are many benefits that you receive when having your Concealed Carry Permit, that's a decision you will have to make.
- If you are ever in a self-defense situation, it may help to have a license which prove that you have

had Basic Firearms Training and learned Florida's Carry laws.

- Under The New Florida Permitless Carry, Many people will likely decide that the process and cost of getting a Florida Concealed Carry Permit isn't Worth it.
- You will be Held to a Higher Standard whether you have taken a class or not Ignorance is NO Excuse For Illegal Permitless Carry
- There are a Lot of Benefits to having your Concealed Carry Permit such as 36 Reciprocity, states, purchase with no 3 day wait. Benefit of the doubt. Carry through a School Zone., Carrying in Church or House of worship, dealing with Law enforcement.

# 27 SPECIAL DEAL FOR YOU

As you can See There are Many Benefits that you receive when having your Concealed Carry Permit, An That's a decision you will have to make. If You would like to get your Florida Concealed Carry Permit. We will offer a GREAT DEAL

For \$40.00 More we will give you everything you need to apply for the Florida Concealed Carry Permit. Contact us for More information.

You will receive Full online Concealed Carry Class, Safety Gear

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No Hidden Fees or Gotchas

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#### 28 THANK YOU! I HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN!

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