Frequently Asked Questions

• Which permit do I carry?
  o It is advisable to only carry the plastic hard card. *Please retain the paper permit in a safe place.* Photo copies of permits are not valid. It is advisable to not laminate the paper permit. To make any changes, we will need both your hard card and un-laminated paper permit. Additionally, you will be required to surrender both the plastic hard card and paper license upon renewal.

• When should I submit my paperwork to renew my permit?
  o As stated in our policy, please submit your renewal application **no earlier than 120 and no later than 90 days prior to the expiration of your license.** Applications are accepted by appointment only. Please call the number listed below to schedule.

• How do I add a firearm to my permit?
  o As of August 1, 2017, we are no longer doing weapon amendments (adding or deleting). Should you wish to add or delete a weapon to your permit, you must wait until you renew your CCW license. Upon renewal, whatever firearm you qualify with, is what will go on your permit (up to 5 guns).

• What happens if I lose my permit?
  o Should you lose either one of your permits (the paper license or plastic hard card), please file a “Lost Property” report immediately with your local law enforcement agency and e-mail us the report number. We will then schedule you a time to come in and pick up a replacement. There is a $10 re-printing fee.

• For Current Renewal Information:
  o Please visit our website at: [https://www.venturashерiff.org/public-resources/concealed-weapons-permit/](https://www.venturashерiff.org/public-resources/concealed-weapons-permit/) and read through the links.

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