



Shooting Range Classification Application

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Under [15-6-134, MCA](#), shooting ranges that are owned or operated by qualifying nonprofit corporations may be classified as Class Four property and taxed at one-half the commercial property rate. To qualify, the range must meet the requirements of [15-6-134, MCA](#).

Submit this completed application and required documentation to the **Department of Revenue PO Box 8018 Helena, MT 59604-8018** by March 1 to be considered for the current tax year. The department will review your application and may contact you to schedule a property visit to verify the range location and improvements.

Required Information

Property Owner Name _____

Property Address _____

Mailing Address _____

City _____

City _____

State _____ ZIP _____

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County _____

Phone _____

Geocode(s) (# can be found on your classification and appraisal notice) _____

Email _____

Assessment Code _____

Range Description

1 Name of Shooting Range _____

2 Total Acreage used for range operations: _____ acres (≤150 acres eligible)

3 Description of buildings and improvements (e.g., clubhouse, shooting pads, bullet traps, targets, parking, etc.) _____

4 Describe range operations and primary use _____

Eligibility Requirements

To confirm eligibility, please attach the following:

- 1 IRS Determination Letter confirming current 501(c)(3) or 501(c)(4) status.
- 2 Articles of Incorporation or Certificate of Authority issued under Title 35, chapter 2, MCA.
- 3 If the range is operated by a nonprofit organization but owned by another entity, attach a current lease or operating agreement showing that the nonprofit operates the range.

Affirmation and Signature

I affirm, under penalty of law, that the information provided in this application is true, correct, and complete. [45-7-202, MCA](#)

Property Owner Signature _____ Date _____

Printed Name _____