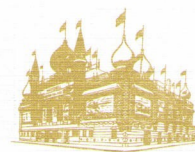




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To Whom It May Concern:

My name is David E. Miles and I am sheriff of Davison County, South Dakota.

I am writing this letter in regards to "Cowboy Fast Draw" shooting sports.

I have been involved in this sport for the past five (5) years in Mitchell, South Dakota and several other cities and states.

As sheriff, it is my job to see that any shoot is set up to be as safe as possible. I work with the local police chief in Mitchell. The city police chief grants the permit to shoot inside the city limits of Mitchell. The police inspect the range both before and during a shoot.

If the shoot is outside the city limits and not a private residence, then I have made sure it is safe.

To my knowledge, there have been no accidents or injuries anywhere.

If you are a city or county official, police chief or sheriff, you may have concerns about the safety of these shooting sports. Please remember that only wax bullets are used and in most cases, very little or no gunpowder in the shell case.