

*City of Eastport*

**Bow & Arrow Ordinance**  
**(Effective: September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2013)**

*Improper use of Bow and Arrow*

*Within the City of Eastport a person is in violation of this Ordinance if that person is or has been found to have committed any of the following:*

- 1) Discharging any arrow or possesses a nocked arrow for any purpose from or over any public way or within 10 feet of pavement to include inside or on a motor vehicle.*
- 2) Discharges any arrow or possesses a nocked arrow within 100 yards of a dwelling or other publicly held or occupied structure without written permission from the owner of such.*
- 3) Discharges any arrow or possesses a nocked arrow within 500 feet of any City School property without written permission from the governing body of said School.*

*For purposes of this Ordinance:*

*A public way is considered any and all defined public ways as defined under Title 29 Section 101 of Maine Revised Statutes.*

*Definition of Dwelling: "Dwelling" means a structure, all or part of which is Designed or used for human habitation, including a dwelling unit.*

*Definition of nocked arrow: "nocked arrow" means to fit an arrow on a bow string.*

*The penalty for violating this ordinance is forfeiture of all apparatus and/or equipment used in violation of this Ordinance and a fine of \$500.*

**ATTEST:**

*Ella C. Kowal, City Clerk*

**Public Hearing Held: 9/11/2013**  
**Ordinance Approved**  
**& Adopted by Council: 9/11/2013**