

Summary of Current Legal Actions

June 2, 2017

Budget: \$35,000
 Spent to date: \$21,475
 Spent FY 2016: \$25,394

June 15, 2017

Date	Case #	Case Summary
October 26, 2016	2016-387	<u>North Country Sportsmens Club vs. Town of Williston</u>
October 27, 2016		Decision of Superior Court appealed to Vermont State Supreme Court by NCSC.
December 13, 2016		Brief filed by Appellant
January 3, 2017		Brief filed by Town
January 12, 2017		Reply to Town's brief filed on behalf of appellant
June 2, 2017		The Town does not have the authority to prohibit, reduce, or limit firearms discharge at the range that is within the Club's historical use. As long as the Club's operations are consistent with its historical operation of the range, using the May 22, 2006 baseline, the Town may not cite the Club for violating the Town's noise ordinance. The Town may attempt to apply its noise ordinance to shooting at the range that exceeds the Club's historical use unless the activity is exempt pursuant to an agreement voluntarily executed between the Town and Club as to its hours of operation.
May 10, 2011	2017-160	<u>Thibault vs. Town of Williston</u>
May 11, 2017		Superior Court decision (88-8-16 Vtec) which granted Summary Judgment in favor of Town has been appealed
May 17, 2017		Appeal dismissed as being untimely
May 16, 2016	2-16-cv-127	<u>Skinner vs. Tower, Shepard, Claffy and Defiore</u>
May 16, 2016		Complaint alleges unlawful arrest, excessive force, and violation of free speech for arrest on May 17, 2013.
November 8, 2016		Motion to continue and discovery schedule filed by plaintiff
November 14, 2016		Mediation originally scheduled; postponed
December 13, 2016		Mediation scheduled for 1/23/17 was postponed indefinitely
May 1, 2017		Mediation held. No agreement reached
May 24, 2017		Stipulation Discovery Order calls for discovery to be completed by 12/1/17 and trial in May 2018