

Recipient: CT State Senators and Representatives

Letter: Greetings,

Confirm CT Superior Court Judge Nominee Auden Grogins

Comments

Name	Location	Date	Comment
Joseph Freiwald	Quakertown, PA	2015-01-15	I'm against the NRA and I feel for the families of the slain children.
Mark Meeks	Bailey, United States	2015-01-15	We need judicial perspective that supports protections from gun violence for us all.
Leah Gunn Barrett	Brooklyn, NY	2015-01-15	I support Auden Groins for Superior Court Judge because she is well qualified.
Patti Brown	Coatesville, PA	2015-01-15	I'm a survivor of gun violence and don't want this to happen to anyone else.
Richard Holley	Queens, United States	2015-01-15	I am sick and tired of gun lobbyists promoting the killing of our fellow citizens with their senseless weaponry.
Anna Manildi	Port Angeles, WA	2015-01-15	It is time to stand up to NRA and to redefine the term "right to bear arms."
Eric West	Daytona Beach, FL	2015-01-15	The NRA has long since lost its standing as an organization representing hunters and gun owners, who mostly agree that nuts and violent felons shouldn't have guns. The NRA represents the gun manufacturers. It's time for someone to stand up to them and vote for sanity instead of arms company profits.
Sylvia Lezak	Woodland Hillsca, United States	2015-01-15	Because we need every gun control advocate possible to fight the oppressive NRA.
Donald Erway	South Pasadena, United States	2015-01-15	57
Y York	Fort Collins, CO	2015-01-15	We have to take back our right to not live in fear.
Brian de Castro	South Orange, United States	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is immensely qualified for this position. The NRA is immensely unqualified in having any say in this matter whatsoever.
seren bradshaw	Forest Ranch, CA	2015-01-15	I support gun control.
S. Janet Payne	Kathleen, GA	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I support people who do the right thing. I hope you will, too.
Roberta Gilman	santa barbara, United States	2015-01-15	We need legislation that is sensible. Her support of gun safety legislation is not an infringement of rights; it is a sign of our respect for each other especially our children.
Jane Frankland	Springfield, United States	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I want this world to be safe for future generations. Automobiles are regulated and insured, and guns should be also.
Karen Gorman	Montara, CA	2015-01-15	I want to protect my family and friends from gun violence. Strong laws nationwide do that and judges who work to protect public safety need to be appointed and confirmed.
Sheila Gallagher	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	We need to have better controls over guns and who owns thwm
Tina Martinez	Mechanicsburg, PA	2015-01-15	I am a GVP advocate who works every day for better gun laws. I support what CT has done to make their communities safer. They are a model state that the rest of the country should follow. Our children are being shot in their schools we must act. I support this judge and any other legislators who stand up to the gun lobby.
Tammi Dreier	OFallon, IL	2015-01-15	Allowing a lobbying organization to single-handedly block such a qualified candidate to the bench makes a mockery of our democracy.
Philip Calcagno	Wood River, IL	2015-01-15	Because Grogins in qualified and smart enough to support much needed gun safety legislation
(The Rev.) Allan B. Jones	Santa Rosa, CA	2015-01-15	Thank you.

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Terri Monson	Vacaville, CA	2015-01-15	The NRA lobbyist do not speak for me!! We must support common sense gun safety laws.
E. Navarro	Tucson, AZ	2015-01-15	I'm tired of obtuse NRA members and their twisted love of guns and ONLY knowing about one Amendment!
Francia DiMase	Los Angeles, CA	2015-01-15	I'm sick and tired of the NRA bullying American citizens.
Robert Hall	Springfield, United States	2015-01-15	The NRA is just a terrorist organization that causes the deaths of thousands each year. We need judicial members who will not be beholdng to them
Elizabeth Snyder~Baldonado	Winston-Salem, NC	2015-01-15	I want people in public office who WON'T BACK DOWN from the NRA, their money, & their goons/suck-ups in congress that have put everything BUT people's safety @ the top of their lists!!!! I worsip Almighty God, NOT the 2nd Amendment!!!! Thank you.
Margaret Goodman	Glen Mills, PA	2015-01-15	Guns take too many lives.
Alex Oshiro	Honolulu, HI	2015-01-15	We need advocates for safety from gun violence.
Fred Weidmann	Walnut Creek, CA	2015-01-15	I am a faith leader and a patriot. I love this country and I love life--mine and others'. I honor the Constitution provides us with rights and I honor that notion of community, going back to our first forebears, that sees the wisdom in regulate ourselves for the good of whole and for health and well-being and safety of the whole. State Rep. Grogin's confirmation to the CT Superior Court must not be blocked by an extremist group whose agenda twists a notion of "rights" to include governmental irresponsibility.
Joanne Amante	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	Please support Grogins!
Sharon Dymowski	Alexandria, VA	2015-01-15	If there is any place in this Country that needs gun protection, it's definitely Connecticut.
Raymond Powell-Straight	Atlanta, GA	2015-01-15	NRA is wrong! Gun control can at least deter those who should not be trusted with guns from getting them. I am a Vietnam vet, own guns, but don't want just any trigger happy fool or criminal to easily own them.
Shireen Parsons	Summit Hill, PA	2015-01-15	We need judges who are not owned by the NRA!
Ruth Nace	Hingham, MA	2015-01-15	Guns do kill people!!!!!!
Barbara Richardson	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because Auden Grogins is extremely well qualified, and her support for the 2013 CT gun bills is saving lives in her district and across the state.
steve durbin	coupeville, WA	2015-01-15	...to stop the nra once and for all and to get these ammo-sexual gun nuts in this country under control...!!!
Lowell Trocinski	La Crosse, WI	2015-01-15	We need judges who will respect the law over political ideology.
Jill Smith	Washington, DC	2015-01-15	I am signing because I believe Auden Grogins is well-qualified and deserving of the position of CT Superior Court judge.
Linda M. Mulder	Northville, MI	2015-01-15	Let us not let the NRA decide who our judges are going to be.
Mary Huber	Alexandria, United States	2015-01-15	Please continue to lead the nation as role models on how to balance gun safety and amendment rights--as you have since Sandy Hook.
Peter Curia	Scottsdale, AZ	2015-01-15	TOO MANY COWARDS OWN GUNS!
Caroline Klam	Arlington, VA	2015-01-15	Although I am not a Connecticut resident or voter, I believe in sensible gun safety laws and I do not believe that we can continue to allow the NRA to write our gun safety policies and laws.
Charles Page	Vancouver, WA	2015-01-15	Responsible gun ownership is very much needed in our society...today, Now...!

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Gail Kulisch	Reston, VA	2015-01-15	Until universal background checks are in place, dangerous individuals with dangerous intentions have unrestricted access to guns.
Kathleen Barnebey	West Linn, OR	2015-01-15	I'm outraged by the influence the NRA has in politics. They're literally getting away with murder.
sue webb	natick, MA	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins has demonstrated she is eminently qualified for this position as her work shows from being an attorney and working on the Judiciary Committee of the General Assembly.
John Goebel	Tacoma, WA	2015-01-15	We need someone like Ms Grogins as the Superior Court Judge who holds people accountable with fair and consistent decisions.
Sheila Tran	Hartley, IA	2015-01-15	I think she would be great at this job.
Wynne Corson	Chicago, IL	2015-01-15	I'm signing because no person should be disqualified from being named a judge because they supported legislation that offended the NRA. She is extremely qualified for this job.
marion gregg whited	Teaneck, NJ	2015-01-15	We need gun safety laws in place to protect our citizens from people who do not have a background check before buying a gun. It's people talking with one another about the safety of using a gun. If that's what they want to do. Not just about owning a gun
Joseph Lane	Ridgefield, CT	2015-01-15	Because I'd like to live a long, productive life. I do not want to wake up dead because someone was careless with a gun.
Pat Vescio	Cary, NC	2015-01-15	Te NRA is a criminal enterprise.
Terri Mendelow	Dallas, TX	2015-01-15	Gun control does not mean anti second amendment. But there needs to be regulations to protect citizens from the rampant misuse of firearms.
Gail Lehmann	Ridgefield, CT	2015-01-15	The NRA will not WIN
Arlene Tilly	Grand Rapids, MI	2015-01-15	I am signing because I am getting sick and tired of seeing people killed.
a holderle	plantation, FL	2015-01-15	Confirm Auden Grogins.
Larry Krembs	Tenino, United States	2015-01-15	We can't have appointees held up any longer. The NRA should not have any more pull than I do. I am a voter.
Harold DeHart	Norton Shores, United States	2015-01-15	Because the NRA doesn't run our country!
Alison Loris	Bremerton, United States	2015-01-15	Too many children have died already because a tiny minority - the NRA - is holding our nation hostage.
MIKE SALLEE	KETCHIKAN, AK	2015-01-15	As a lifelong hunter, owner of at least a half dozen rifles, and former member of the US Biathlon Team, I've learned to respect rifles as useful tools for putting food on the table, as sources of enjoyment and recreation, and as fascinating representations of craftsmanship and machining. I've utterly no use for assault-type weapons and the sales hype, marketing, and production of these killing tools that the NRA so rabidly insists our general populace needs.
George Siecko	Henrico, United States	2015-01-15	I am signing because I am against assault weapons and high capacity clips!

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Holly Hoffe	Pewaukee, WI	2015-01-15	What's egregious is the NRA and their members that put up blinders to the fact that guns are deadly, they're weapons, they kill and while they may be part of our rights as American citizens; guns, in the hands of any, many given citizens, have proven to be murderous, inhumane and devastating to our communities, our families, our friends and the most innocent and prodigious of our people; kids. STOP turning a blind eye to humanity, to goodness, to kindness, to community, to logic. Get over yourselves and the hyper focus on guns and anarchy, and think of others and the suffering and heartache that can be prevented by placing some basic safety measures on who wields a gun. You can still own a gun, you can still hunt. If you're a criminal or have mental issues -- let's not put a bottomless magazined semi-automatic weapon at your disposal. I mean, tell me again why we need to allow semi-automatic weapons in the hands of anyone that wants them? Why do we need no regulation on ammunition? What is all of the ammunition for? What is the fear? Loss of freedom? Freedom of shooting someone? Ending lives? Creating devastation? Whatever it is, I believe it must pale in comparison to what is lost in human life and the acute suffering of those lives surrounding the lost. Sandy Hook is incomprehensible and while there are other desperately pressing issues, but regulation on guns is paramount and a crucial first defense in defending kids' freedom to go to school safely. Please, please open your eyes, open your mind. Think of the well being of your friends and family... which constitutes the well being of our minds and country and well beyond.
Bob Railey	Marquette, MI	2015-01-15	Testimony presented to me indicates Ms Grogins is very qualified to be Superior Court judge. To not confirm her because of her support of gun control legislation (as the NRA is advocating) would be a travesty. Confirmation normally explores a candidate's ability to make fair decisions rather than one's personal philosophy on social issues. Please consider her candidacy in that light.
greg movsesyan	Manzanita, OR	2015-01-15	I'm signing because guns are, physically and socially, the worst inventions in the history of humanity.
Alma Rutgers	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is eminently qualified for this position. Judgeships shouldn't be about a single issue litmus test.
Loretta De Rosso	Pompton Plains, United States	2015-01-15	I am signing because the "NRA", better known as "Not Right For America", should be put out of business. All they are interested in are the gun sales from which they make billions of dollars. Our "Founding Fathers" are turning over in their graves saying, "This is not what we had in mind when we gave you, the citizens of this country, the Second Amendment." Time for "Wayne La Pierre", better known as "Wayne La Derriere" and his buddies to collect unemployment.
Sharon Poarch	sandy Hook, CT	2015-01-15	We need some common sense gun laws, and I support anyone with common sense willing to stand up to the NRA
Curt Riebeling	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is supremely qualified and an advocate for fair sensible legislation and reasonable balanced legal interpretation.
Sue McCalley	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	We need strong, commonsense judges
James Melloh	Auburn, ME	2015-01-15	God forbid someone stands up to protect innocent children.
Jay Thacker	Shoreview, MN	2015-01-15	the NRA continues to spread its lies about 2nd Amendment rights, while innocent people are gunned down.
Donald Harland	Candler, NC	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is superbly qualified to be a Superior Court Judge. We desperately need more judiciary appointments that are willing to reduce gun vilolence!
India Cooper	New York, NY	2015-01-15	What happens in Connecticut affects us all.

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David Nevin	ROCHESTER, NY	2015-01-15	The gun industry cannot be allowed to hamstring sensible gun policy.
Linda Basilico	Lewiston, ID	2015-01-15	We need more judges across the U.S. who believe that guns need to be regulated!!
Deborah Atkins	San Francisco, CA	2015-01-15	She is a very qualified candidate .
Jennifer Tamis	Ny, NY	2015-01-15	What is good for CT is good for NYC. These gun nuts are liars and this woman is more than qualified. Her apointment should not be stopped.
Joel Trupin	Marshfield, VT	2015-01-15	Killing US citizens by guns is a national disgrace promoted by NRA's political clout. That clout must be defeated here.
Alice Rogers	Mount Shasta, CA	2015-01-15	The NRA should not run this country, we need this judge!
Thomas Perez	Mims, United States	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is eminently qualified for this position. She has twenty-four years of experience as an attorney, representing clients in a host of areas of civil and criminal litigation. She has also served six years on the Judiciary Committee of the General Assembly where she was exposed to all issues related to the judicial system and criminal justice matters.
Joyce Slavik	Palatine, IL	2015-01-15	I'm signing because we need qualified judges who also care about the safety of our citizens!
Jean Whitney	Southport, United States	2015-01-15	I believe she will be an ethical judge
Kathryn Grant	Valdosta, GA	2015-01-15	NRA terrorists and their agents will not be tolerated.
Pat Devine	No Grosvenordale, United States	2015-01-15	I see no reason to bow down to the NRA and because she is qualified.
Sue W. Grele	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	We MUST do everything we can for gun safety in this land of ours! please support Rep. Auden Grogins. Thank you.
Lucia Pollock	Washington, DC	2015-01-15	I want the gun safety/control "lobby" to be more vocal, to be heard above the NRA din.
Debra Cantor	Bloomfield, United States	2015-01-15	I believe in a safe, same gun policy for our state!
Lillian Rivera	New York, United States	2015-01-15	I think that we have an epidemic, we must stay in unity; so that we can finally have gun control. One life too many. Our youths are being extinct like if the were less than zero. I agree, with Superior Court Judge Nominee Auden Grogins! We must, & shall have Gun Contro!
Jerry Boren	Berkeley, CA	2015-01-15	we need to make our voices heard jut as the guns rights advocates do.
Nancy Balassi	Alameda, CA	2015-01-15	I'm horrified that the NRA might block the confirmation of a highly-qualified judge because she is rightfully concerned about gun safety.
Margaret Lyons	Palos Verdes Peninsula, CA	2015-01-15	I find it unconscionable that NRA members try to block an experienced candidate for judgeship on a vote that should protect children and families from experiencing a tragedy similar to the Sandy Hook one. What kind of people cannot see beyond their own noses?
Shivaun Manley	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	More love. No guns.
charlie speno	durango, CO	2015-01-15	Justice is more important than special interest politics
Nancy Dille	Phoenix, AZ	2015-01-15	I believe that something needs to be done about so many guns in the hands of irresponsible people.

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Henry Bennett	Portland, United States	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is eminently qualified for this position. She has twenty-four years of experience as an attorney, representing clients in a host of areas of civil and criminal litigation. She has also served six years on the Judiciary Committee of the General Assembly where she was exposed to all issues related to the judicial system and criminal justice matters
Cindy Casper	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	Auden is a competent and talented legislator who will do a fine job.
William Mitchell	Oakland, CA	2015-01-15	Guns are public safety nightmare for this nation.
Rich Sonntag	Priest River, ID	2015-01-15	Gun safety is a no brainer unless you don't have any in the first place. She is not against 2nd Amendment, but works for safer America.
Randy Juras	Homer Glen, IL	2015-01-15	It is time for sensible people to support gun control.
Luana Rubin	Boulder, CO	2015-01-15	Everywhere I travel in the world, people ask me, why do Americans have so many guns? They ask, how can you live amidst so much gun violence. The American public wants gun control, and lawmakers need to listen to the people, not the NRA.
tarah cherry	woodbridge, United States	2015-01-15	I hope man is evolving out of a primal existence.
Shoshana Katz	75102 Rishon Le Zion, Israel, TX	2015-01-15	I believe in common sense legislation to reduce the number of gun shootings of innocents.
Carole Hart	Sonora, CA	2015-01-15	I care more about the lives of people, especially children than the insanity of the nra.
Emma Meehan	Vero Beach, FL	2015-01-15	We can never forget the children of Sandy Hook
Susan DeWitt	Bethel, CT	2015-01-15	She supported the gun safety measures that were adopted in Connecticut after the Sandy Hook tragedy.
Eeva Copeland	Milford, CT	2015-01-15	We must make changes to the gun laws, it's all out of control.
ruth goodsnyder	sandy hook, United States	2015-01-15	I am so sick of the NRA having such power over all our lives. ENOUGH
Lorraine Libby	Farmington, CT	2015-01-15	I believe universal background checks are a necessary common sense precaution and do not support the NRA's radical and self-serving stand on gun violence control.
Jill Ponto-Miller	Milwaukee, United States	2015-01-15	Im appalled by the NRA
Elise Silkowski	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins made a courageous choice after the shooting in Newtown, a choice for a safer state. She should be lauded for her work, not denied a CT Superior Court appointment.
ken greenfield	sandy hook, CT	2015-01-15	I am signing this because normal people are sick of seeing children in Connecticut killed by guns.
Tara Rahmy	Weatogue, CT	2015-01-15	Had enough of the nra
Debboe Hatch	Ellington, CT	2015-01-15	Please we need help with how easily guns are gotten, legally and illegally
RICHARD G SCOBY	Cross Plains, United States	2015-01-15	I'm tired of the NRA thinking they're entitled to direct the political decisions of the people.
lila Kohrman-Glaser	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	Fuck the NRA
Tim and Theresa Burch	DAMARISCOTTA, ME	2015-01-15	The access to guns (including military type guns) in the U.S. allows for mass killings.
Elssa Green	Guilford, CT	2015-01-15	Because no special interest group should determine our judges. Period.

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Emily Daponte	West Hartford, CT	2015-01-15	Please confirm Auden Grogins due to her qualifications rather than the pressure from outside groups. I am a resident of CT, and am proud of my state for taking a stand for gun control. I would wish that CT continues to use compassionate reasoning to govern.
Linda Caesar	Watertown, United States	2015-01-15	As a citizen of Connecticut I recognize the need for a staunch supporter of reasonable gun laws to help curb violence.
Mary Cyr	Ridgefield, CT	2015-01-15	we need strong laws
Margaret Drenckhahn	Norwalk, United States	2015-01-15	Confirm Auden Grogins nomination to CT Superior Court
Marcia Eckerd	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	Auden is tireless worker devoted to the people of her district and the people of CT. She will be a fair and thoughtful judge. We can't let an interest group sway our good judgment.
Sherry Wernicke	Riverside, United States	2015-01-15	I'm signing this petition because I believe Nominee Auden Grogins is highly qualified for this position and should be named to the bench.
brian jenks	NewHartford, United States	2015-01-15	criminals should not have easy access to guns.
Kathleen Goncalves	Trumbull, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I demand common sense gun safety legislation.
Linda Martel	Jacksonville, IL	2015-01-15	We don't need another Sandy Hook.
Tim Bartlett	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	We need sensible gun laws
Gail Wilson	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-15	We need to far better control how guns are controled
CHRISTINE PARE	ELLINGTON, United States	2015-01-15	ias a resident of Ct. I believe she will make a excelent judge. I also don't believe in allowing outside organizations influencing our state.
Christine Stafstrom	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because Auden is supremely qualified to be a judge and wee-deserving of the position. I do in fact support her vote on gun legislation but I also believe she voted in the way she felt best represented the interests of her constituents. Further, one vote should not be the determinent for a full legislative record. I am asking you today to please confirm Auden to the bench.
Anne Nelson	North Stonington, CT	2015-01-15	We need women and intelligent people working on this issue.
M Prezzano	Ridgefield, CT	2015-01-15	A judge who will uphold CT gun safety laws should be confirmed, NRA has too much power in this state/country.
Karen Pestana	Windsor, CT	2015-01-15	I think strong background checks and waiting periods are essential to protecting innocent lives
Albert Tarantino	Stamford, CT	2015-01-15	Gun safety legislation is important.
Betsy Malavet	Redding, CT	2015-01-15	The NRA should stay out of my local politics and the Judge is eminently qualified!
Kari Hulgaard	Bethel, United States	2015-01-15	Basic safety measures must be considered for the protection of the public. I am a supporter of the first amendment and am against the casual toting of guns, especially by those who are known threats to other persons. This is simple common sense. Please confirm Auden Grogins! She has the proper balance needed on the subject of guns and gun safety.
Sean Morris	Torrington, United States	2015-01-15	If she is qualified for the job and has been correctly nominated, she should be confirmed.
Tim Appleton	South Wlndsor, CT	2015-01-15	#ConfirmAuden
Maureen Kelleher	Derby, CT	2015-01-15	I believe in mandatory background checks for ALL gun sales.
Sarah Rivera	Huntington Beach, CA	2015-01-15	She supports gun restrictions that are common sense
oleg vaidman	New York, NY	2015-01-15	I sign this petition because we crossing the dangerous line allowing free flow of so many guns in our society.

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William Conrad	Jacksonville, United States	2015-01-15	I support any person, any effort to reduce gun violence in America.
James Gaston	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	Ms. Grogins is imminently qualified. I am a practicing attorney in Bridgeport and Newtown, I have known her for years, and am a gun owner who like 75% of all gun owners believes reasonable gun safety laws are beneficial to society. Confirm her to the CT Superior Court!
David Whitman	Asheville, NC	2015-01-15	It is time for regulations of guns in this country. The constitutions was written over two hundred years ago, when are only defense was a militia. Wake up America.
Gabrielle Parisi	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I am signing because this is ludicrous. 26 Lives were lost on 12/14/12 and legislators are supposed to say" Oh well, the second amendment says its ok.?" Its not ok.
Tara Collins	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I have complete faith in Auden Grogins to be a fair and impartial Judge.
Linda Dente	West Hartford, CT	2015-01-15	Too many irresponsible people with guns!
Joy Costa	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I know Auden personally...she's an amazing woman who cares, tremendously, for this community and beyond. She is more than qualified to sit as a Superior in the Court System of this state and will bring her compassion, insight, experience, and wisdom to a whole new level, if given the chance.
Pam Bergren	East Hartford, CT	2015-01-15	I support her, because I know that Gun control is very necessary.....
Rosa Harris	Hockley, TX	2015-01-15	We need responsible gun legislation and representation for all citizens
Bonnie Baker	New Canaan, CT	2015-01-15	It is inappropriate for the NRA to sabotage a career of an esteemed nominee. The 2nd Amendment is controversial, when it was written, and still misconstrued to this day. It was based on a population that did not yet have a formal government and army funds, and more equivalent to today's volunteer fireman. Her position as a judge will never allow her to change it, and the interpretation for safety legislation is only a modern day measure to control the problem. Back in the day, there was not an over-medicated, highly populated and untreated psychological quantity of people with access to weapons that were (not yet designed) to kill large numbers of people at the press of the button. Safety for our families was what the 2nd Amendment was originally intended to do, now being completely abused for capital gain.
Laura Hurwitz	Bridgeport, United States	2015-01-15	I'm signing because Auden is one of the most thoughtful legislators that I've known. She has tremendous experience and truly believes in the judicial system.
Marie-Louise Knapp	Stonington, United States	2015-01-15	support
Eve Harrison	Woodbridge, United States	2015-01-15	Gun Sense advocates must make more noise than gun extremists on all issues the 91% support.
Kathy Ericson	Schenectady, NY	2015-01-15	We need sensible judges who believe in sensible gun laws.
Linda Falkerson	Reston, United States	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I support common sense gun laws that will protect innocent women & children who are the usual victims of gun violence.
Christina Elsenhans	Philadelphia, PA	2015-01-15	I believe in gun control legislation, and that we need change at the state level.
Diane Macey	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I'm pleased with what Auden Grogins has done for Black Rock and I'm proud she will make a wonderful Superior Court Judge for the State of Connecticut!
Paul Schmitt	Santa Fe, NM	2015-01-15	It is an important step for safety involving guns to regulate safety laws. Auden Grogins is not afraid to do this.
Sally Rist	Alachua, FL	2015-01-15	It makes sense and "we the people" are tired of politics as usual !

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Jennifer Killin	Memphis, United States	2015-01-15	States with stronger gun laws have fewer gun deaths, and I appreciate Judge Grogins' support for CT's gun safety legislation.
Michael Raleigh	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I stand with Auden Grogins in her support of the important Sandy Hook legislation.
Paul Love	Duluth, United States	2015-01-15	I am signing because the NRA does not respect me or my rights to be free from violence or intimidation.
Lisa Labella	Trumbull, CT	2015-01-15	Auden will be a great Judge, her background is terrific. She respects the 2nd amendment, but knows that we can do better to keep guns out of the wrong hands.
Elizabeth Werner	Hamden, CT	2015-01-15	I strongly believe that we need gun control and want steps taken to secure it here in CT, before we have another Sandy Hook tragedy!!!!
Sue Mcdermott	Naples, FL	2015-01-15	Things need to change and this is the way. Get more people involved on every level to do something!
Leslie Weinberg	Stamford, United States	2015-01-15	I support the Laws passed in Connecticut after the shootings at Sandy Hook School. As she supported that legislation, I urge you vote for her as CT Superior Court Judge.
Anita Donofrio	ridgefield, CT	2015-01-15	It is immensely imperative that state rep Auden Grogins be confirmed to CT superior ct. We must support people who take their oaths of office seriously when they swear to protect their constituents. We must NOT let the nra dictate to the people their money- grubbing motives.
Joy Cline	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	<p>Automatic weapons have no place in the hands of civilians in our society. We have so many people, particularly children, dying from gun violence, whether by accident or by being an outright victim of violence. Resolution conflict in our nation has devolved to ending in murder in our country and this is specifically and directly related to the proliferation and easy access to firearms. There have been countless studies about countries with strict gun control regulations who having significantly less gun deaths while the US remains an unfortunate leader in this race to the bottom. We all need to do better and Auden Grogins is on the correct side of this issue in fighting for what her constituents demanded and representing them at the legislature.</p> <p>Furthermore, although I agree wholeheartedly with the the gun control legislation passed here in CT, Ms. Grogins should not be judged on simply one issue in any event. Her years of service to her community as a State Representative, her years of experience as a practicing lawyer and her overall character should be criteria by which she is reviewed and considered to be a judge. Being one of Ms. Grogins' constituents for years and knowing her personally, I can attest to her integrity, dedication to her professional career in law and the countless hours she has spent in making things better here in Bridgeport and ultimately in CT. She was on the forefront of stopping human trafficking in Bridgeport by shuttering illegal massage parlors and beefing up anti-blight and nuisance laws. In addition to all of her work at the legislature, she has volunteered countless hours of her own personal time coordinating fundraising and shining a light on animal rights. It is for all of the above reasons I believe strongly that Ms. Grogins should be nominated to serve as a CT Superior Court Judge.</p>
Gregory Gagnon	West Hartford, CT	2015-01-15	Should be nominated because she supports CT's gun legislation.
Lisa Hannich	Stamford, CT	2015-01-15	Gun safety is a primary issue for me.
James Snively	Smithsburg, MD	2015-01-15	We need every sane person we can find on U.S. benches.

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Steven Featherston	Preston City, CT	2015-01-15	Special interest groups have no business in politics. The NRA needs to stop trying to force their agenda on people who want safe responsible common sense gun control
Ann Weber	Portland, ME	2015-01-15	The nra needs to be stopped from doing more damage NOW.
Scott Gorn	New Britain, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because the NRA is nothing more than a shield for the gun lobby, doesn't ACTUALLY care one whit about the Second Amendment, only that gun manufacturers are able to make more money no matter the cost in life! Ms. Grogins is eminently qualified for this nominated position as Superior Court judge, and should be confirmed as soon as possible!
Fereshteh Dehkordi	bell, WA	2015-01-15	I am signing because I care about public safety and protection from the rapid gun violence.
Marian Cruz	Hollister, United States	2015-01-15	The NRA is not a voice for me!
Dan LeMieux	Green Bay, United States	2015-01-15	I DON'T APPROVE OF THE NRA , THEY HAVE WAY TO MUCH POWER .
Kim Fawcett	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-15	I know Auden and she will be a top notch judge.
Phil Barber	Boulder, CO	2015-01-15	I live in a state where we have witnessed several mass killings that can be traced directly to lax or non-existent laws concerning gun ownership, use and violence.
Judith Sandeen	Hastings, NE	2015-01-15	She is so well-qualified, and the NRA should not be given the power to block her confirmation.
Laura Craun	Bakersfield, CA	2015-01-15	I'm signing this because the NRA should not dictate judge appointments.
Richard Morrill	Wellfleet, United States	2015-01-15	Sandy Hook
kathy jongsma	Bradenton, United States	2015-01-15	I believe she is very qualified for this position and will do a good job for her state.
Iona siemer	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	audin is a wonderful person & gun safety is a no brainer!
James J wilson	Peoria, AZ	2015-01-15	NRA is a rogue organization! JJW
charles donnelly	Eatonton, GA	2015-01-15	this ain't Oklahoma
Paul Franzmann	Walla Walla, United States	2015-01-15	I'm not afraid of the NRA ... and you shouldn't be, either.
Joanne Fagerburg	Lincolnton, ME	2015-01-15	I don't like bullies or guns. No single issue should be the reason for denying a qualified candidate.
Michael Benjamin	Stamford, CT	2015-01-15	i dont want to lose a qualified judge and think blocking on her political view on a single issue is not fair
Martha H. Ames	Providence, RI	2015-01-15	Ms. Grogins is an experienced and intelligent attorney and has had exposure to criminal justice and judicial system matters.
Linda Jean Edwards	Penngrove, United States	2015-01-15	We need judges who will stand up to the corrupt NRA.
William Stoeckert	East Orleans, MA	2015-01-15	The NRA lobby should not be able to block the appointment of a well qualified, experienced individual. Its paranoid position on reasonable gun control should not be allowed to influence such appointments
Sandra Kirchhoff	Darien, CT	2015-01-15	her views on gun console should be applauded and shouldn't preclude her from getting the job.

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Elizabeth Bonsal	Riverside, United States	2015-01-15	I am very much against gun violence because in our country we kill more people by guns than all the other industrialized countries in the world combined - either by accidents, suicide or simple rage. We need more regulation on gun purchases, especially countrywide. We need more Auden Groginses in our state and in our country..
Barbara Gerritsen	Monroe, CT	2015-01-15	I believe in sensible gun laws to protect our families.
Nina Gibson	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because Auden is a dedicated policy maker who fights hard for our community and way of life. To have anti gun control lobby try to stop this nomination is ludicrous.
Henry Narve	Thousand Oaks, CA	2015-01-15	I'm signing because "We the People" need someone with some sense of what Sandy Hook and the other atrocities that pervade the Country really mean and that something should be done to stop them.
Edwin mulock	Darien, CT	2015-01-15	the gun lobby should not picking our judges !
Jim Chapdelaine	West Hartford, CT	2015-01-15	I believe n responsible gun control
Mary Ann Jurek	Meriden, CT	2015-01-15	Her record speaks for itself.
Arthur Connor	Idyllwild, CA	2015-01-15	As a former CT resident (born in Norwich in 1948) I'm still concerned about what happens in my native state.
Robin Richardson	Bremerton, WA	2015-01-15	Sensible gun laws are needed NOW. No one should be allowed to buy a gun Anywhere without a background check- PERIOD!
Michelle Sierau	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins ROCKS!
Brian Hopkins	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	Auden is the right person for the job
Cheryl Ellis	Bastrop, TX	2015-01-15	I support this qualified nominee as well as commending her for any & all efforts to stop gun violence.
Doris Weinberg	Rocky Hill, CT	2015-01-15	she is very well qualified
Kate Sherwood	Long Beach, NY	2015-01-15	I'm tired of illegal gun violence in America
Sally Oesterling	Silver Spring, MD	2015-01-15	I've had enough. The human rights violations of the U.S. in the form of murder by guns are out of control. Anybody in this country can get hold of a gun, and you better be sure you're not an anti-gun activist or a witness to a crime or you could be one of the thousands killed each year in America. Have you ever wondered where the guns used in overseas massacres come from? I believe they could have come from the U.S. ENOUGH. The NRA has no conscience - they want their enormous profits via gun sales to continue.
Eileen Gallo	Sandy Hook, CT	2015-01-15	I believe in Auden Grogins. A great choice as CT Superior Court Judge.
Amanda Dick	Pittsburgh, PA	2015-01-15	It's the right thing to do!
Lisa MacNaughton	Epsom, United States	2015-01-15	I am a former resident of CT. My family was affected in 2005 by gun violence due to lack of appropriate background checks.
John Coyle	Red Hook, NY	2015-01-15	As a mental health professional I am aware of the danger of guns in the hands of the mentally ill and depressed. Common sense guns laws,will help reduce the incidence of gun violence and suicide by gun.
Carol Brubaker Walton	Vallejo, CA	2015-01-15	I support change in the way we view the use of guns in our culture....and would like to save people's lives where we can
Jessica Pinkney	Newtown, CT	2015-01-15	the NRA doesn't own us
Gary Schark	Hamden, CT	2015-01-15	We need qualified, fair-minded people on our judiciary. She seems to fit those criteria, an she has extensive experience as a lawyer.
Samantha Kent	Newtown, United States	2015-01-15	So that every mother, father, brother, sister, grandparent, friend...ever has to experience what my town experienced. Never again.

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Patricia Lubnow	Sussex, NJ	2015-01-15	Auden Grogins is right for this position
Barbara Herman	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-15	Too many people have been killed needlessly
Anna Boxleitner	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I don't want a gun organization dictating laws!
Beverly Kaye	Woodbridge, United States	2015-01-15	We cannot afford to lose another single life.
Alisha Gorder	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	She's the best!
Irene Miscionce	Monroe, United States	2015-01-15	I'm signing because the NRA should not decide who our judges and lawmakers should be.
Daniel Braccio	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I live in Bridgeport and Auden has proven herself to be someone who cares about the safety and well being of her community. She will exercise prudent judgment from Court. We are urging you to confirm her nomination based on her political and legal career, not on any single issue. Thank you!
Lisa Cirilli	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I believe judge Audin Grogins should be confirmed.
Kelly stevens	bristol, United States	2015-01-15	I'm proud of CT taking the lead in sensible gun legislation. I support the confirmation of Auden Grogins.
Mandi Jennings	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	I believe in Auden Grogins.
Ruth Anne Baumgartner	Fairfield, United States	2015-01-15	A solid record of legal service should not be swept aside by a nod from the NRA.
Ethel-Anne Roome	Southbury, CT	2015-01-15	I believe Ms Grogins is particularly qualified for Sup. Crt Judge. Please honor my wishes and support her nomination. Thank you, EA Roome, Southbury
Gwyn Jean	Vancouver, WA	2015-01-15	I'm very concerned about the safety of our children and grandchildren at school.
angela kamm	Ventura, CA	2015-01-15	The Isla Vista tragedy was too close to home.
Dottie DeLuca	Redding, CT	2015-01-15	I'm tired of seeing children being murdered every week
charlie galliher	ansonia, CT	2015-01-15	I'm signing because I care about the safety of the public, myself, and loved ones.
Bob Andrews	Preston, United States	2015-01-15	The NRA should not control your vote.
Linda Pagliuco	Hartford, United States	2015-01-15	We need judges and other persons in authority to stand up to the NRA, which has way too much influence.
Anne Pfetsch	Riverside, CT	2015-01-15	i think guns should only be in the hands of police
Keli Mazzoni	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-15	She has done some amazing work!!! Always reliable!!
Erika Layko	Apex, NC	2015-01-15	I believe gun safety is important.
Amy Shapiro	Weston, United States	2015-01-15	Auden is a brilliant, compassionate woman and will make a wonderful judge
Frank lovino	Bridgeport, United States	2015-01-15	NRA sucks
Mary Jayne Chillemi	New Haven, CT	2015-01-15	As a Connecticut resident, I think Auden Grogins will do an excellent job.
Carolanne curry	Westport, CT	2015-01-15	more than ready
Elizabeth Conyers	N. Providence RI, RI	2015-01-16	I'm signing because I believe in legislation to limit gun use and I strongly oppose the NRA's opposition to prudent gun control.
Robin Scarella	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-16	i trust Auden to do what she says and anyone who makes a statement against guns I want in government.
Kathryn Bukovsky	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-16	Auden is the most dedicated and hardworking State Rep our district has ever seen
Ray Bednarz	Meriden, CT	2015-01-16	I highly recommend Ms Grogins who is well qualified to be a judge. Please confirm her as a Judge. Thank You

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Richard Hanley	Durham, CT	2015-01-16	Auden is qualified for this position.
Betsy Bergeron	Danbury, CT	2015-01-16	I believe that we need to take control of the gun lobby and be more reasonable and practical regarding gun laws. We do NOT need assault weapons in the general public's hands!!
David Lewis	Guilford, CT	2015-01-16	Enough senseless violence by criminals who should have no access to lethal weapons is enough. Let hunters hunt, let law abiding citizens own reasonable self defense weapons. Please put an end to access to weapons that only purpose is to kill masses of human beings. Increase funding for mental health and criminal screening. Place tighter controls and penalties on weapons dealers that skirt the laws on background checks.
Charlene Shepard	New Britain, CT	2015-01-16	I'm signing because lobbyists are getting out of hand!
sean williams	covington, United States	2015-01-16	she is a bitch
Terri Greenfield	Newtown, CT	2015-01-16	I SUPPORT COMMON SENSE GUN REFORM
cindy herman	trumbull, CT	2015-01-16	I teach on sandy hook campus
Julie Thome	Redding, CT	2015-01-16	I support gun safety legislation
Sally Kelman	Stamford, CT	2015-01-16	Auden Grogins is more than qualified for the Superior Court position and will do a fantastic job.
Analise Alvarez	Orlando, FL	2015-01-16	We need people who do not bend over to the will of the gun lobby but that are actually looking out for the right to safety of every citizen
Amber French	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-16	I can't stand the NRA. I want gun safety. This woman seems qualified and if the NRA doesn't want her in that role, its all the more reason I would want her in it.
Mark Meyering	Middletown, CT	2015-01-16	She is eminently qualified and not afraid of the NRA. There is no correlation between gun rights and justice.
Beth Santa	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-16	I am for Auden Groggins and gun safety laws.
Elena Coffey	marlborough, CT	2015-01-16	I support her nomination
Sandra Mueller	St. Louis, MO	2015-01-16	im concerned that the NRA appears to be trying to speak for and manipulate anyone who opposes them. This woman is qualified and should be confirmed.
C. Jeffrey Smith	Epping, NH	2015-01-16	I lived in Newtown CT for many years.
Deborah Brown	Edgartown, MA	2015-01-16	It is time we take back control of our lives. The NRA is a dispucable organization with no morals. We need to change gun laws. It's time for a reality check.
Gail Canzano	West Hartford, CT	2015-01-16	A vote to reduce gun violence should not jeopardize judicial nominees.
Jane Arnone	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-16	I'm signing because I am a practicing attorney in the state of Connecticut and do not appreciate a worthy candidate for our judiciary being blocked by a special interest group.
Gina Giannone	fairfield, CT	2015-01-16	Auden Grogins is well qualified to be a CT superior court judge. I may or may no agree with everything she has supported but she is a smart, well-qualified person and no vote on a single issue, at least not the gun issue, should exclude her.
Bill Jensen	Sandy Hook, CT	2015-01-16	As a first responder, I was there on 12/14. What happened should never have happened. Feel sorry for those who lost a love one.
Mary Lou Cassotto	Glastonbury, CT	2015-01-16	We need an end to gun violence and NRA's trying to take control over people who know how to do their jobs.
Kare Sullivan	Glastonbury, CT	2015-01-16	I'm signing because I am tired of the NRA holding this country hostage, letting the misreading of one amendment override all common sense and all other civil rights.

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Brianna Johnston	Milford, CT	2015-01-16	Ms Grogins is an excellent, qualified candidate for a Superior Court judge.
Dorothy Beckley	Litchfield, United States	2015-01-16	I want to see common sense gun laws enacted and the people who sponsor them to be rewarded.
Christina Paradis	Sandy Hook, CT	2015-01-16	Newtown Action Alliance
martin piatti	West Haven, CT	2015-01-16	want gun control
Lauren Tilson	BRIDGEPORT, CT	2015-01-16	Cruelty case animals sit in shelters for years I see it they did nothing wrong. Maybe she can turn this around
Jane Horton	Monroe, CT	2015-01-16	Auden is the perfect person for this job!
Lucy Davies	Wilton, CT	2015-01-16	I am very concerned about gun violence in CT.
Donna Brewer	Mystic, CT	2015-01-16	The NRA should not be picking our judges (just as it should not be picking our Senators and Representatives!!)
sally vanderclack	Stratford, CT	2015-01-16	we need her.
Ruth Morton	Rochester, United States	2015-01-16	WE NEED SENSIBLE GUN LAWS
Martin Cobern	Cheshire, United States	2015-01-16	She is qualified and the law she supported is both reasonable and vital.
Rev. Dr. Davida Crabtree	South Windsor,, United States	2015-01-16	She is eminently qualified, and has a backbone to do what is right as a judge.
Dave Watson	Enfield, CT	2015-01-16	I despise the NRA
John Soltis	Bridgeport, United States	2015-01-16	Auden Grogins will be an outstanding judge and her "F" rating by the NRA-PVF is just further proof of that. Unlike the NRA, Auden is firmly grounded in the real world.
Nancy Lee	Whitney Point, NY	2015-01-16	It is the right thing to do to protect Americans. The NRA's motives are terrible and self serving.
Letty C	New Britain, CT	2015-01-16	We need someone who cares about animals. Sometimes the people get off and walk away like nothing.. Or just get a fine which they have no problem paying. They need jail time. We need her
Lauren Michaelson	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-16	We need someone to take animal cruelty cases seriously. People who abuse animals are most likely to abuse people as well, it's a proven fact.
Gerard Hilliard	Suffield, CT	2015-01-16	Anyone that is trying to make sure there are background checks on potential gun buyers should be in office.
Lynn Taylor	New Hartford, CT	2015-01-16	we need good and competent judges!
laurie goldberg	westport, CT	2015-01-16	Anyone who listens to the NRA's directives with regards to our community safety will never get my vote. Behaviors like this are shameful.
Ray chase	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-16	she is qualified
Virginia Rankin	Moscow, United States	2015-01-16	We need competent judges who are fair and not influenced by lobbies.
Beth Kornberg	Greenwich, CT	2015-01-16	It's critical that we live without guns!
Gail Rosin	Southington, CT	2015-01-16	It just makes sense.
Frederick Teti	San Francisco, CA	2015-01-16	Born and raised in New Haven. My extended family still lives there. My maternal grandfather was a gunsmith and inspector for Winchester's. I want them all kept safe and my grandfather's legacy to be honorable.
Linda Cutting	Brookline, United States	2015-01-16	My brother would still be alive if there were background checks which would have prevented his access to the gun that he shot himself with!
Kathleen Blank	Park City, UT	2015-01-16	I'm signing because I've been held up at gunpoint by convicted felons who shouldn't so easily be able to get guns! And for every victim of gun violence.

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Tim Groeger	East Amherst, NY	2015-01-16	The health, safety, and will of the people should take precedence over the hateful, bullying politics of the NRA.
Michelle Piczko	new haven, United States	2015-01-16	Im signing because it is my understanding that Audin Grogens is an animal rights supporter~ WE NEED to have someone in power that will ENFORCE penalties for animal abusers NOW
Nicholas Gachi	New Haven, CT	2015-01-16	In Support of Animal Welfare
Rosemary Robertson	Groton, CT	2015-01-16	Gun rights should apply to victims as well as gun enthusiasts. The NRA should listen to the majority of their members who support back ground checks and not just the gun manufacturers.
Christina whitaker	Rocky Hill, CT	2015-01-16	I am signing because I am a huge animal lover and know that she is a huge animal rights activist!
Susan Sennello	New Milford, CT	2015-01-16	I love animals
Concetta Arre	Enfield, United States	2015-01-16	I support Gun Safety Legislation. I also support my fellow qualified women in getting ahead. I am against the massive amounts of money thrown at lobbyists to work their magic. I would also like to see the rich, white, fat men stop controlling our country. And yes I am a white woman.
Mary Leon	San Antonio, TX	2015-01-16	The NRA has to FINALLY learn that they are NOT Congress and that millions of us US Citizens WANT background safety checks on gun sales in EVERY STATE. Don't condemn Auden Grogins, Confirm her as CT Superior Court Judge!
Evelyn Gigli	Bridgeport, CT	2015-01-16	I believe she is a compassionate person who would make a great Superior court judge
Connie Johnson	Saginaw, United States	2015-01-17	I am fed up with the insanity that is being perpetrated by the NRA. Reason will eventually prevail.
Elizabeth Castillo	Ridgefield, United States	2015-01-17	we need anti-gun people in the government because the NRA wants no checks and guns for everyone.
Ronald Woodin	Wolcott, CT	2015-01-17	I believe in the things she does. we need changes and quick. Her animal cruelty issues are important to me, and its about time its important to someone who can do something about it
Carol Erfe	Pawcatuvk, United States	2015-01-17	I want to stop animal cruelty in CT and every state c;
Victor DeCapua	East Windsor, CT	2015-01-17	We need well qualified people to fill these positions. Auden Grogins is one of the qualified.
Scott S	Norwalk, CT	2015-01-18	I support her nomination for all the right reasons: public safety, common sense and reduction of gun violence. We need to stand against the loud voice of the gun lobby minority. She is exactly the type of public servant we need and deserve.
Professor Marcie Patton	Fairfield, CT	2015-01-19	Auden is more than qualified to serve on the court. It is outrageous to block her confirmation because she acted in the best interests of Connecticut residents. A few cranks should not be permitted to derail her judgeship
Jocelyn Davis-Beck	Beecher, IL	2015-01-20	We can't continue to be buffaloeed by the NRA. There is no excuse for the continued lack of common-sense "gun control" legislation.