

Senator Winfield, Representative Stafstrom, ranking members Kissel and Rebimbas and distinguished members of the Joint Committee on the Judiciary:

My name is Karli Spinella, I am from Chester,CT.

I am testifying in support of H.B. 7218, An Act Concerning the Safe Storage of Firearms in the Home, H.B. 7223 An Act Concerning the Safe Storage of Firearms in Vehicles, H.B. 7219, An Act Concerning Ghost Guns and S.B. 60 An Act Concerning the Presentation of a Carry Permit.

I support safe storage laws because I believe you must exercise the highest level of **responsibility** possible when you choose to own and store a gun for personal use and protection.

I support the ghost gun bill because there must be an identifying chain of ownership to ensure **accountability** when you choose to own a gun for personal use.

I support the carry permit bill because the police as well as the majority of people who do not move around in our society with a gun on them are entitled to a feeling of **safety** and the ability to know who is a lawful and who is a lawless gun owner.

The 2nd Amendment included the words **well regulated**. These measures are the very least we can do to follow the constitution.

I strongly support H.B. 7218, H.B. 7219 and S.B. 60 and urge you to favorably vote these bills out of the Judiciary Committee.

Sincerely,
Karli Spinella
Chester, CT