## To Whom It May Concern:

The Board of the New Britain Area League of Women Voters in assessing all of the issues before it, prioritized gun violence prevention as their number one focus at its program review meeting, last month. In brief, we call for the following:

## Legislation that will:

- Require background checks for all gun purchases, including gun shows, private sales and gun store sales.
- Limit high capacity ammunition magazines or clips to 7 rounds.
- Strengthen CT's assault weapons ban by by defining weapons based on functionality; semi-automatic firearms with military-style features should be banned.

Thank you. Ann Speyer Secretary, New Britain Area League of Women Voters