

Dear Members of the Gun Violence Working Group,

As a citizen of the state of Connecticut, I implore you to change the current gun laws of our state as a measure to reduce gun violence. Please consider the following changes:

1. Strict background checks to help eradicate guns falling in the hands of criminals and the mentally ill.
2. Outlaw high capacity magazines.
3. Punishment for establishments selling any ammunition to buyers under the age of 21.

While I do not believe we need to outlaw semi-automatic weapons (pistols, hunting rifles etc), I do believe we need to highly regulate these weapons. We need to know who the owners are and how they plan to securely store them.

Thank you for time,
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