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Gun Violence Prevention

As law abiding citizens my wife and I both of us gun owners. We both have become increasingly concerned with several bills currently being considered by our legislature.

It seems that law abiding citizens are being targeted by legislators that are clearly drafting laws to satisfy their personal idealistic goals. Punishing lawful gun owners with restrictive laws that will do nothing to deter crimes is wrong. This affront to our constitutional rights by legislating around our rights will not go unanswered.

We are also voters and will speak loudly when the next election comes around .Our vote's counts too.

We do not support any new gun legislation that does nothing to reduce crime and keep our children safe. We will support any legislation designed to protect our rights as American Citizens.

1. Our child is not safe in the Gun Free Zone, your child is not safe in a Gun Free Zone, no one is safe in a Gun Free Zone except the CRIMINAL. How many have to die before you accept this? Must our DEFENSELESS children continue to die due to the dismissal of the truth, due to politics, due to agendas?

2. The Criminal does not abide by laws this is fact, we must embrace a different approach besides doing the same thing over and over expecting different results, the law is only as strong as the will of the individual to follow it, again I ask you how many must die?

3. You have all the reports, you know the statistics, you have all the facts there is no need for me to cite them to you, you know Connecticut is ranked in the top 5 strictest gun law states and yet this horrific act happened here in Connecticut despite the law. You know it's the Human and not the object.

New Gun Control Laws are unproductive and does not solve the problem I oppose any and all new proposals

Re-instatement of a FAILED Gun Ban is unproductive and does not solve the problem.

The simple fact is that the HUMAN who wishes to do bodily harm will do so regardless of the Law, this is a proven fact.

This is what we are favor of:

1. WE are in favor of bullet proofing our schools
2. WE are in favor of eliminating Gun Free Zones

3. We are in favor of allowing teachers the option of defending our children and themselves.
4. We are in favor in paying higher taxes to have full time ARMED Police Officers at every Gun Free Zone.
5. We are in favor of RESTRICTING the criminal and NOT the law abiding citizen.

Please do not be swayed by personal and political agendas, I say to you let us NOT dismiss reality, the truth and fact!

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