

Re: RE: OPPOSE all new gun control bills and HB 1261

Dear elected official and staff:

I stand with the Firearms Policy Coalition and other pro-rights groups in **OPPOSITION to HB 1261 and the dozens of other gun control bills introduced this session.**

These new proposals will only crack down on those wishing to defend themselves with commonly owned guns--it will not make a difference to the criminal element. MD already has some of the strongest gun control laws in the nation.

These new proposed measures are untenable, especially because we all know criminals are not going to follow them at all. We know this because after the last big gun control laws in Maryland passed it had no significant impact on gun crime; in fact it, increased and hasn't come down.

It's time representatives in Annapolis finally stand up and defend the entire Bill of Rights and stop catering to anti-rights extremists like Michael Bloomberg.

Please make a stand and OPPOSE HB 1261, as well as the dozens of other proposed gun control bills.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
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