

I will not be able to testify at the bill hearing on April 2nd due to work obligations and would like to take this opportunity to strongly voice my disagreement with this bill and the "amendment" that has just been added. Holding law abiding people responsible for actions taken by someone that has stolen their property and used it to perpetrate a crime goes beyond the pale. This amendment makes to use of any cable or trigger lock basically useless since given the time with the right tools all locks can be broken.

I am a CHL holder and begrudging pay the fee to exercise my constitutional rights, and now higher fees can be imposed to those following existing law. And promoting and expanding yet more "gun free" zones does nothing but make our community as a whole less safe, that is not opinion, that is a demonstrable fact.

In the future please use your efforts to craft bills that go after criminals, such as increasing the ridiculously light sentences handed out to convicted felons in possession of a firearm, and people that commit crimes with said firearms. I believe nearly all people on side sides of the gun issue would support such measures and they would actually help in making our communities safer.

thank you for your time.

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