

Dear Lawmakers,

I ask you to please learn to Trust and embrace the law abiding citizens of this State who are brave enough to learn to how to use a gun properly and carry it with them. They have done the legal steps necessary to have a conceal carry permit so that they may protect themselves, their loved ones and others from those who ARE NOT law abiding citizens or from those who would do others harm. Please do not make public places "safe zones" where those who are within them have become sitting ducks in the eyes of criminals or loons who would take and harm. Please trust those folks who are legally carrying arms to help and do the right thing when a bad situation warrants it.

Please uphold the US Constitution and maintain the right to bear arms in this country intact and a reality.

Thank you,

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