

Members of the Senate Committee:

I strongly oppose SB 554 because it will create what some have called "a minefield of 'no-go' zones for gun owners." It will also, simultaneously, create a "free zone" for lawless gun owners who decide to open fire on innocent people.

In effect, this bill strips law-abiding citizens of their right to protect themselves in the public sphere. Our State Constitution, Article 1, Section 27, gives us, the people, the right to bear arms--for our protection.

I urge you to uphold our constitutionally guaranteed freedoms and rights and vote NO on SB 554.

Thank you for your time and consideration.