Submitter: Barbara and Jack Hansen

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3075

To the House Judiciary Committee,

Please pass H.B. 3075-1 out of committee and up for a vote by the legislature. My husband and I were involved in gathering signatures for Measure 114, and the people approved it. It's time to save lives - decreasing the murder and suicide rates in our state. I'm a grandmother who picks her grandchildren up after school. They have had to go into a lockdown due to a threatening person in their school's vicinity. I also have ushered at our church, knowing that death threats have been called in to our congregation. At one point, this was such a serious problem, that people with backpacks were required to leave them in the narthex. We had a person come in who was unknown with a huge duffel bag one Sunday. The person would not be parted from his dufflebag so he had to move to the narthex and thankfully finally left, a very scary situation. It's sad that we ushers have to have a plan on how to evacuate our church in case of a shooting. We need to save lives by finally implementing Measure 114 through the passage of H.B.3075-1.

Thank you, Barbara and Jack Hansen