



# ★ DELAWARE COALITION AGAINST GUN VIOLENCE

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<p>Would you support legislation to change the age of a person who can purchase a firearm in Delaware from 18 to 21, similar to HB 330 (during the 149th General Assembly)?</p>	
<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p>At the age of 18 most teens aren't mature enough to be left unsupervised with such weapons. Although some have received training from their parent, usage of weapons by teens have by and large been under the supervision of a parent or responsible guardian. Even though enlistment into the military is granted at the age of 18, the issuance and usage of weapons while in the military is under strict supervision and with intensive training. Not all 18 year olds are trained or supervised. I think the added three years of maturity makes much sense.</p>
<p>Would you support "unsafe storage of a firearm" legislation, which would revise the crime of 'unlawfully permitting a child access to a firearm' from a class A misdemeanor to a class B misdemeanor, similar to what was laid out in HB 366 (during the 149th General Assembly)?</p>	
<p><b>No</b></p>	<p>With the intense argument concerning gun control and the prohibiting of firearms, as a supporter of the second amendment, I feel that responsibility and accountability is the more practical avenue rather than attempting to generate legislation to ban or restrict firearms. Gun owners should be held to a higher level of accountability/responsibility for the security of their weapons.</p>
<p>Would you support efforts to prohibit the manufacture, sale, purchase, transfer, or delivery of large-capacity magazines, as they were defined in HB 375 (during the 149th General Assembly)?</p>	
<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p>There is no logical reason for such magazines short of war or causing mass destruction.</p>
<p>Would you support efforts to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offer to sell, transfer, purchase, receipt, possession, or transport of assault weapons in Delaware, as they were defined in SB 163 (during the 149th General Assembly)?</p>	
<p><b>No</b></p>	<p>The second Amendment allows for the ownership of firearms. As stated above, my position in this matter is one of accountability and responsibility. Although, I personally don't see a need for such weapons, that still does not allow for legislation that denies others of a right given by the constitution. This issue needs to be addressed from a position of accountability and responsibility.</p>
<p>Would you support efforts to prohibit the manufacture, sale, offer to sell, transfer, purchase, receipt, possession, or transport of silencers (suppressors) in Delaware?</p>	
<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p>I find no public need for such devices.</p>
<p>Would you oppose Concealed Carry Reciprocity legislation, which would allow anyone who can carry a concealed gun in one state to carry it another?</p>	
<p><b>No</b></p>	<p>Unless there is some sort of system in place that assures each state is consistent with the rigorous requirements that are imposed upon Delaware citizens to obtain their permits. It is important to know that anyone carrying concealed has been properly vetted (to the same level of standard as Delawareans) and deemed acceptable to carry concealed.</p>
<p>Would you support legislation to ban the production, sale, transfer, distribution, possession, and use of 3D printed firearms?</p>	
<p><b>Yes</b></p>	<p>This is very dangerous waters society is treading in.</p>