

To whom it may concern:

Safe firearms storage is in everyone's interest but many of the provisions of this bill go too far.

Instead of encouraging safe and responsible behavior, standards for which reasonably vary based on circumstance, this bill imposes a strictly dictated set of behaviors on legal gun owners. Acting outside of those dictates will subject law abiding people to the onerous standard of strict liability.

This bill is a deterrent to firearms ownership in general and will do nothing to promote public safety overall.

Thank you for your time.