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NO!! I OPPOSE this legislation! This is completely unConstitutional on its face. STOP attempting to infringe on our Second Amendment rights to be armed and protect ourselves and others. How can any intelligent person in their right mind logically conclude this type of legislation will have any significant effect on the REAL PROBLEM, which is those who DO NOT abide by the law? The obvious question is, do you understand this will only affect law-abiding People? It's so incredibly absurd and logically ridiculous, that on its face it can be none other than a shameless and brazen attempt to ban more and more guns. And this is EXACTLY the reason we have the Second Amendment - to ensure tyrannical governments (like those who would attempt this kind of legislation) are kept in check.

"Gun Free Zones" do not work! "Gun Free Zones" open more buildings to criminals with bad intent. Where a citizen is "not allowed" to carry a firearm, more people will be put in dangerous situations because violent criminals don't care about or follow the law. Police are not sufficiently funded and cannot respond to situations in a timely manner to prevent mass deaths caused by a criminal shooting in a "Gun Free Zone". A legally armed citizenry acts as a deterrent to violent criminals. This bill infringes upon the Second Amendment Rights of a free people causing a major open invitation to anyone who would choose to create massive chaos.

When those who control buildings adopt the policy expressed by this bill, they effectively eliminate legal firearms carry, which is unconstitutional and dangerous.