As a law-abiding citizen, gun owner, and 2A advocate, I urge you to oppose SB 348. There is nothing in this bill that will guarantee a reduction in gun violence or unlawful firearm possession in our state. What it will guarantee is infringement of our ability to arm and defend ourselves. We have already passed laws requiring a federal background check, already prohibit the mentally ill, and convicted criminals from purchasing firearms. Yet crime is on the rise. It simply does not work that way. Instead of wasting valuable resources, and making it harder for LAW ABIDING citizens, why don't we try another approach: Focus on mental health issues, & focus on keeping criminals in the jail instead of just catch and release. Criminals get their hands on guns illegally and don't care about any law or jail, especially if they get a slap on the wrist.

As a female gun owner, I have the right to protect myself and my family from any harm. I grew up educated about guns, taught my children about guns and safety, and will be teaching the next generation (my grandkids) about guns and safety.

As for raising the age limit to 21, if you can send out younger women and men into the military at 18 to protect our country with the possibility of losing their life then you sure as hell better raise the military age as well with your line of thinking. Or keep it at 18. Teach the younger generation with they do have classes called hunter safety course

I oppose

Thank you,

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