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This measure does nothing to protect people from harm of gun related violence. It just makes it harder for law abiding citizens to obtain firearms for their intended purposes such as but not limited to self defense, hunting, target shooting, etc. great example is if someone is in danger, and they want to obtain a firearm for self defense, welp guess not you now would have to take a class to get a permit to purchase, than have a waiting period before that firearm could be in your possession. And at the end of the day, if a person has bad intentions and wants to do harm with a firearm but they are not able to purchase due to something like a felony, they have their means, usually obtaining firearms through illegal avenues. If someone is already planning on breaking the law by harming others with a firearm, how exactly does any of this measure help with that? We already have "gun free zones" and those clearly don't stop people whom wish to do harm.