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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:18 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: jjmartino1946@aol.com
Subject: Oppose H7647

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7647, which would allow sealed juvenile records to be disclosed to the NICS background check system for firearm purchase decisions.

Rhode Island's juvenile record sealing laws exist because the legislature recognized that young people deserve a second chance. H7647 creates a special carve-out that applies only to gun purchases: a Rhode Islander's sealed juvenile record would remain sealed for jobs, housing, and education, but not when they try to exercise their Second Amendment rights.

I urge you to vote against H7647.

Respectfully,

Respectfully,

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From: Marie Rebello ziggyrebello@cox.net via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:19 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: ziggyrebello@cox.net
Subject: Oppose H7035

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I am writing to urge you to oppose House Bill H7035, which would limit Rhode Island residents to purchasing only one firearm per 30-day period.

This bill treats lawful gun ownership as a privilege to be rationed by the government. There is no evidence that limiting how many firearms a person can legally purchase in a month reduces crime. Criminals do not follow purchasing limits. This law would only burden law-abiding gun owners.

I urge you to vote against H7035.

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:21 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: jjmartino1946@aol.com
Subject: Oppose H7754

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7754, which would eliminate Rhode Island's recognition of out-of-state concealed carry permits.

This bill removes the existing pathway for out-of-state permit holders to carry legally in Rhode Island, stripping rights from law-abiding gun owners who have already met the licensing requirements of their home state. Rhode Island should be moving toward more reciprocity, not less.

I urge you to vote against H7754.

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:21 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: ziggyrebello@cox.net
Subject: Oppose H7557

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7557, the Firearm Industry Accountability Act, which would expose firearm manufacturers, distributors, and retailers to open-ended civil liability for crimes committed with legally sold firearms.

Federal law (PLCAA) already protects the industry from this kind of lawsuit for good reason: holding manufacturers liable for how criminals misuse their products is unjust and economically destructive. This bill will drive dealers out of Rhode Island, restrict product availability, and raise costs for every law-abiding gun owner in the state.

I urge you to vote against H7557.

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:22 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: jjmartino1946@aol.com
Subject: Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would require all Rhode Island firearm purchasers to complete an 8-hour safety training course and pass a written test before buying any firearm, including rifles and shotguns.

This is a severe burden on law-abiding gun owners. The current 2-hour requirement already imposes a cost and time barrier. Quadrupling that requirement and extending it to long guns will make legal firearm purchases inaccessible for many Rhode Islanders, particularly those in rural areas or with limited schedules.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

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From: Lance Sisson lance_sisson@yahoo.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:23 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: lance_sisson@yahoo.com
Subject: Oppose H8073

Dear Members of the Judiciary Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8073 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would force Rhode Islanders to surrender justly acquired private property under threat of criminal penalties. That is an unacceptable infringement on fundamental rights.

Reject H8073.

Respectfully,

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From: Steven Casella dodath@cox.net via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:24 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: dodath@cox.net
Subject: Support H7553

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to support House Bill H7553, which would create a formal, enforceable appeal process for Rhode Islanders whose carry permit applications are denied.

Under current law, licensing authorities can deny permit applications with little explanation and virtually no accountability. H7553 changes that by requiring written reasons for every denial, an in-person hearing, Superior Court review with a trial de novo, and attorney fees when a court finds a denial had no good faith basis.

This is a commonsense due process protection. I urge you to vote in favor of H7553.

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:25 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Oppose H7754

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7754, which would eliminate Rhode Island's recognition of out-of-state concealed carry permits.

This bill removes the existing pathway for out-of-state permit holders to carry legally in Rhode Island, stripping rights from law-abiding gun owners who have already met the licensing requirements of their home state. Rhode Island should be moving toward more reciprocity, not less.

I urge you to vote against H7754.

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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: jjmartino1946@aol.com
Subject: Oppose H8071

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I am writing to urge you to oppose House Bill H8071, which would require a background check for every ammunition purchase in Rhode Island, including reloading components such as primers, powder, and bullets.

This bill treats law-abiding gun owners as suspects every time they buy ammunition. It creates a costly, time-consuming bureaucratic hurdle for routine purchases with no evidence it will reduce crime. Criminals who are already prohibited from possessing firearms will simply acquire ammunition through other means.

I urge you to vote against HH8071.

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From: Jonathan Leeper j.leeper@cox.net via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 8:23 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: j.leeper@cox.net
Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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From: Steven Hudson steveh1975@live.com via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 8:13 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: steveh1975@live.com
Subject: Oppose H8073

Dear Members of the Judiciary Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8073 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would force Rhode Islanders to surrender justly acquired private property under threat of criminal penalties. That is an unacceptable infringement on fundamental rights.

Reject H8073.

Respectfully,

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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: danagroupllc@yahoo.com
Subject: Oppose H8073

Dear Members of the Judiciary Committee,

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This legislation would force Rhode Islanders to surrender justly acquired private property under threat of criminal penalties. That is an unacceptable infringement on fundamental rights.

Reject H8073.

Respectfully,

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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: mptully@proton.me
Subject: Oppose H8071

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I urge you to vote against HH8071.

Respectfully,

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Subject: Oppose H7755

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I urge you to oppose House Bill H7755, which would require all Rhode Island firearm purchasers to complete an 8-hour safety training course and pass a written test before buying any firearm, including rifles and shotguns.

This is a severe burden on law-abiding gun owners. The current 2-hour requirement already imposes a cost and time barrier. Quadrupling that requirement and extending it to long guns will make legal firearm purchases inaccessible for many Rhode Islanders, particularly those in rural areas or with limited schedules.

I urge you to vote against H7755.

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I urge you to vote against H7647.

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To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: mptully@proton.me
Subject: Oppose H7636

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7636, the Voluntary Firearm Restrictions Act.

This bill builds a state-run registry of gun owners who have surrendered their rights and allows healthcare providers to initiate enrollment on a patient's behalf. The result will be a chilling effect on mental health care: gun owners in crisis will avoid seeking help out of fear that their doctor will put them on a government list.

The bill is presented as voluntary, but voluntary programs in this area quickly become coercive when employers, insurers, or courts treat non-enrollment as a red flag. Rhode Island does not need a new infrastructure for restricting gun rights.

I urge you to vote against H7636.

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Subject: Oppose H7557

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

I urge you to oppose House Bill H7557, the Firearm Industry Accountability Act, which would expose firearm manufacturers, distributors, and retailers to open-ended civil liability for crimes committed with legally sold firearms.

Federal law (PLCAA) already protects the industry from this kind of lawsuit for good reason: holding manufacturers liable for how criminals misuse their products is unjust and economically destructive. This bill will drive dealers out of Rhode Island, restrict product availability, and raise costs for every law-abiding gun owner in the state.

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To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Support H7553

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Subject: Oppose H7035

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I am writing to urge you to oppose House Bill H7035, which would limit Rhode Island residents to purchasing only one firearm per 30-day period.

This bill treats lawful gun ownership as a privilege to be rationed by the government. There is no evidence that limiting how many firearms a person can legally purchase in a month reduces crime. Criminals do not follow purchasing limits. This law would only burden law-abiding gun owners.

I urge you to vote against H7035.

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From: Normand Paul npaul1223@cox.net via RI Gun Rights <noreply@rigunrights.com>
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 8:33 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: npaul1223@cox.net
Subject: Oppose H8075

Dear Members of the Finance Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8075 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would require every firearm owner to carry a \$1,000,000 liability insurance policy or lose all ownership rights immediately. This unconstitutional burden would effectively price law-abiding gun owners out of their Second Amendment rights.

Reject H8075.

Respectfully,

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From: Brett Torngren brett.torngren@gmail.com via RI Gun Rights
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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 8:25 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: brett.torngren@gmail.com
Subject: Oppose H8073

Dear Members of the Judiciary Committee,

I strongly urge you to oppose House Bill H8073 and defend the rights of law-abiding Rhode Islanders.

This legislation would force Rhode Islanders to surrender justly acquired private property under threat of criminal penalties. That is an unacceptable infringement on fundamental rights.

Reject H8073.

Respectfully,

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 9:21 AM
To: House Judiciary Committee
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Subject: Oppose H8071

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I urge you to vote against H7557.

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Sent: Monday, April 6, 2026 2:28 PM
To: House Judiciary Committee
Cc: dodath@cox.net
Subject: Oppose H7755

Dear Members of the House Judiciary Committee,

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Subject: Oppose H8071

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Respectfully,

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