

Majority Gun Package Legislation Threatens Our 2nd Amendment Right!

The following bills will not only violate our Second Amendment Right, but they will also further burden the Upstate economy that relies on the Sportsmen Industry.

- **A mandate for micro-stamping capabilities on all semi-automatic pistols.**
- **Requirement for renewal of pistol licenses after five years.**
- **Unnecessary sales mandates that will increase the financial burden on gun manufacturers.**



*Assemblyman Will Barclay discussed the protection of our 2nd Amendment Right with **Wayne LaPierre**, CEO and Vice President of the National Rifle Association (left), during Sportsmen and Outdoor Recreation Legislative Awareness Day in Albany.*

ASSEMBLYMAN WILL BARCLAY

PROTECTING THE SECOND AMENDMENT RIGHT OF HUNTERS AND SPORTSMEN!



Dear Neighbor,

Year in and year out, downstate-based Assembly members introduce a series of bills known as the Majority Gun Package, aimed at placing stricter limitations on gun ownership in New York State. The supporters of this package argue that more gun control is necessary to prevent violent crimes from taking place when, in reality, gun-related crimes are primarily committed by individuals who have illegally obtained firearms. New York State already has some of the toughest firearm laws in the nation; adding to them will only continue to hurt an important part of the Upstate region's culture and economy.

On January 12, the Assembly Minority Conference and I hosted our 1st Annual Sportsmen and Outdoor Recreation Legislative Awareness Day, which gave sportsmen the opportunity to meet with their legislators to discuss their concerns. Our keynote speaker, Wayne LaPierre, CEO and Vice President of the National Rifle Association, gave an excellent presentation about the critical position sportsmen are in here in New York, and the need to preserve our Second Amendment right.

I agree with Wayne LaPierre and, as a sportsman, my top priority is to protect the Second Amendment right of New Yorkers.

Very truly yours,



Assemblyman Will Barclay

Protecting the Second Amendment Right of Hunters and Sportsmen

Pro-Sportsmen Legislative Initiatives

I know how much Upstate New York depends on hunting, fishing, and other outdoor sports, and one of my top priorities is to protect this industry.

For this reason, I support the following legislative proposals to support and protect sportsmen and firearm owners in New York State:

- **A.2960 will allow individuals to register to vote when applying for a hunting or fishing license.**
- **A.3056 will create a junior big game hunting license for young adults.**

- **A.5118-A would establish a \$100,000 real property tax exemption to qualifying conservation, rod and gun clubs.**
- **A.5594 will authorize county clerks to make pistol license amendments.**
- **A.6388 eliminates the failed CoBIS ammunition tracking program, which has cost taxpayers \$36 million and not solved one crime.**
- **A.1154 would expand Real Property Tax exemptions for otherwise qualified individuals who create forest land habitats that will support game species.**

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