

G.C.L.A. NEWS

The Newsletter of the Gateway Civil Liberties Alliance
January - March 2022

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NEW INTERIM MEETING LOCATION

Members' meetings are on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00 p.m. at the Republican Central Committee of St Louis County 794 Gravois Bluffs Blvd Suite M Fenton, MO 63026 In the row of shops next to but not attached to the JC Penney.

(see map on page 7)

President's Corner

Spring time 2022 is going to be primary election time here in Missouri. There are several progun candidates for state level offices. Try to learn where they stand on the important issues.

The big issue now is the suit filed by St. Louis City, St. Louis County, Jackson County and Green County to contest the Second Amendment Preservation Act (SAPA). The parties bringing this suit probably haven't even read the SAPA act and what it contains. The principal of the act is to prevent state level law enforcement from participating with any federal government agency enforcing acts that over reach on our Second Amendment rights here in Missouri.

The Maricopa County Sheriff in Arizona was enforcing the laws against illegal aliens on the federal level. The federal government judge for that district directed him to cease and desist because he had no authority to enforce federal law. This sounds like precedence on state law enforcement from enforcing federal laws. Prohibiting sheriff and local law enforcement agencies with this directive. You certainly can't have it both ways. I hope that this gets resolved to the Missouri residents gun owners benefit.

We here in Missouri are celebrating 18 years of concealed carry in 2022. Take a day on April 26th to travel to in the capitol rotunda in Jefferson City. The annual Gun Rights Rally for Missouri is the best way to tell your Senator and Representative to support and expand our rights and freedoms

Hope to see you at future members meetings.

Have fun! Get active! Steve Marx President, GCLA

Missouri Annual Gun Rights Rally - 2022

Please make plans to join us in the Capitol Building in Jefferson City on Tuesday – April 26th, 2022 – 10:00 a.m. to noon for the Annual Gun Rights Rally Day.

Join us! Come spend the morning at the capitol to help save our guns and protect our rights. The anti-gun crowd is always working hard to ban guns and restrict our gun rights.

Your attendance at the rally is critical. Only a strong turnout can help make the difference. Law-abiding gun owners are not the problem. Our rights are not what is wrong. Be there! Bring others! Tell your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers.

GCLA's Purpose

GCLA's purpose is to preserve and protect the 2nd Amendment of the Constitution of the United States of America by:

- Monitoring and acting on pending legislation at the local, state, and federal level.
- Encouraging voter registration and participation in the political process.
- Promoting public and personal safety, education and training, and the defense of the nation.

GCLA holds a monthly members' meeting which often features a guest speaker, the fielding of open questions, sharing of news and information, and intelligent discussion.



Attend This Year's

GUN RICHTS RALLY DAY

In the CAPITOL BUILDING in JEFFERSON CITY

Tues., April 26th, 2022 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

Protect MO 2nd Amendent Preservation Act! (SAPA) Transit Carry on Bus Systems

Celebrating 18 years of Missouri Concealed Carry.
TELL OUR LEGISLATORS THAT YOUR
RIGHTS ARE IMPORTANT.
MAKE PLANS TO BE THERE.
BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS!

For all other information about the Rally call:

GCLA at (314) 385-GUNS (4867)

or Email GCLA at

questions@gclastl.org

Rally sponsored by:
MPS (Missourians for Personal Safety),
GCLA (Gateway Civil Liberties Alliance),
WMSA (Western Missouri Shooters Alliance),
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MSSA (Missouri Sport Shooting Association)
and other Pro-Freedom Groups

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STATUS OF MISSOURI GUN BILLS – 2022 This is why we have to stay active and vigilant.

BILL RATINGS / LEGEND

▲ YES – Strongly Support △ Okay or Supportable

Neutral

∇ Unsupportable As Is

▼ NO! – Strongly Oppose ? Unread or Rating Undecided

■ Red Flag gun-confiscation bill □ Red Flag-like, gun prohibition

HOUSE BILLS

△ HB 1453

Billington, Hardy - Prohibits an employer from terminating an mployee for having a firearm in the employee's vehicle on the employer's premises 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1458 P

Brown, Richard - Modifies the offense of unlawful possession of a firearm 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1459

Brown, Richard - Repeals provisions that prohibit political subdivisions from adopting orders, ordinances, or regulations relating to firearms 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▽ HB 1462 HCS HB 1462

Schnelting, Adam - Changes the law regarding firearms 2/24/22 Reported Do Pass (H)

△ HB 1477

Dinkins, Chris - Provides immunity from criminal prosecution and civil action if a person defends his or her property

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1481

Dinkins, Chris - Modifies provisions relating to school protection officers 2/23/22 Perfected (H)

▼ HB 1568

Sharp, Mark - Establishes Blair's Law, which creates the offense of unlawful discharge of a firearm for discharging a firearm within or into the limits of a municipality with criminal negligence 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1577

Schroer, Nick - Exempts sales of new and used firearms from sales tax 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

△ HB 1580

Mayhew, Don - Requires the Missouri State Highway Patrol to host a web page where the public can determine whether a serial number of a firearm has been reported stolen 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1607

Wiemann, John - Preempts any laws or orders that would hinder the perations of a firearm business 2/23/22 Public Hearing Completed (H)

△ HB 1642

Coleman, Jeff - Modifies provisions for receiving a concealed carry permit 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1655 P

Hicks, Ron - Prohibits certain individuals from possessing a firearm due to domestic violence 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1660

Hicks, Ron - Allows the concealed carry of firearms on public transportation systems and the transporting of non-functioning or unloaded firearms on public buses 2/9/22 Referred: Rules - Legislative Oversight

▲ HB 1694 HCS HB 1694

Boggs, Mitch - Establishes protections for landowners taking wildlife on the landowner's property 1/25/22 Referred: Rules - Legislative Oversight

▽ HB 1696 HCS HB 1696

Reedy, Rodger - Modifies provisions relating to the illegal discharge of firearms

2/10/22 Referred: Rules - Legislative Oversight

▲ HB 1698

Baker, Ben - Changes the law regarding concealed carrying of weapons by allowing firearms in churches and other places of worship with a concealed carry permit 2/23/22 Public Hearing Completed (H)

▼ HB 172

Weber, Emily - Requires a firearm owner to report lost or stolen firearms 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1751

Basye, Chuck - Authorizes concealed carry permit holders to carry firearms on campuses of higher education institutions

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

• HR 175

Dogan, Shamed - Requires law enforcement agencies to adopt written

investigation policies for officerinvolved deaths 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1805 ►

Lewis, Patty - Establishes the "Firearm Violence Prevention Act" 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1806

Lewis, Patty - Specifies that a person commits the offense of endangering the welfare of a child if he or she fails to secure a firearm 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1807

Lewis, Patty - Requires that all sales or transfers of firearms be processed through a licensed firearms dealer 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

• HB 1828

Gray, Alan - Modifies the provision allowing law enforcement officers to use deadly force in certain circumstances and establishes a task force on the use of force 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

△ HB 1833 HCS HB 1833

Basye, Chuck - Modifies provisions for concealed carry permits 2/23/22 Referred: Rules -Administrative Oversight

▼ HB 1865

Rowland, Rory - Establishes Blair's Law, which creates the offense of unlawful discharge of a firearm for discharging a firearm within or into the limits of a municipality with criminal negligence

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

• HB 1866

Rowland, Rory - Modifies provisions relating to the collection of forensic evidence in emergency rooms 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

• HB 1888

Rogers, Wes - Removes a reference to a repealed subdivisions that related to weapons offenses 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 1912

Schroer, Nick - Changes the law regarding concealed carrying of weapons by allowing firearms in churches and other places of worship with a concealed carry permit 2/23/22 Public Hearing Completed (H)

▼ HB 1915

Schroer, Nick - Establishes Blair's Law, which adds the discharging of a firearm within or into the limits of a municipality with criminal negligence to the offense of unlawful use of a weapon 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 1946

Mackey, Ian - Specifies that the seller of a firearm must verify the age of the purchaser

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

△ HB 2021

Young, Yolanda - Requires courts to explain certain consequences of pleading guilty before such a plea may be accepted 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2040

Gunby, Trish - Authorizes a tax credit to offset amounts paid in sales tax on gun safety mechanisms 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2041

Gunby, Trish - Provides funding for after-school programs focused on gun violence reduction in certain school districts

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

△ HB 2053

Owen, Bill - Includes certain retired judges in the exceptions to the offense unlawful use of a weapon 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 2118

Taylor, Jered - Modifies and establishes provisions relating to the use of self-defense 2/16/22 Referred: Special Committee on Government Oversight

? HB 2158

Roberts, Lane - Modifies provision relating to the prevention of violent crimes

1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2228

Appelbaum, LaDonna - Creates a civil penalty for possession of a large capacity magazine 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2275

Bland Manlove, Ashley - Requires that all sales or transfers of firearms and ammunition be processed through a licensed firearms dealer 1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2276

Bland Manlove, Ashley - Creates the offense of unlawful possession of an ammunition feeding device that holds more than ten rounds
1/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

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▼ HB 2284

Bangert, Gretchen - Adds improperly transporting or storing a firearm in a motor vehicle to the offense of unlawful use of a weapon

1/10/22 Read Second Time (H)

△ HB 2329

Deaton, Dirk - Changes the law regarding concealed carry permits by lowering the age requirement to eighteen or older 2/24/22 Referred: General Laws PUBLIC HEARING SCHEDULED Committee: General Laws Chair: Curtis Trent (133) Date: Monday, February 28

(whichever is later) Room: House Hearing Room 1

Time: 6:00 PM or upon adjournment

▼ HB 2349

Anderson, Marlon - Requires the Highway Patrol to investigate any incident occurring in St. Louis city or county in which a law enforcement officer is involved in a shooting or instance resulting in serious bodily harm or death.

1/10/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2375

Bosley, LaKeySha - Changes the law regarding the sale of firearm ammunition 1/12/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2396

Gunby, Trish - Limits defenses and use of force justifications based on the discovery, knowledge, or potential disclosure of the victim's gender, gender identity, gender expression, or sexual orientation.

1/12/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 2442

Davis, Michael - Modifies provisions relating to firearms 1/14/22 Read Second Time (H)

? HB 2538

Schroer, Nick - Allows persons who can lawfully carry firearms to sue for certain injuries sustained on the property of businesses that voluntarily prohibit firearms

1/26/22 Read Second Time (H)

? HB 2629

Perkins, Chad - Changes the offense of unlawful possession of a firearm by allowing persons who have completed their sentence for a nonviolent felony to possess firearms 2/6/22 Read Second Time (H)

▲ HB 2666

Coleman, Mary Elizabeth - Modifies provisions relating to the concealed carrying of firearms 2/10/22 Read Second Time (H)

? HB 2679

Trent, Curtis - Changes provisions relating to the use of force when defending persons 2/14/22 Read Second Time (H)

? HB 2747

Doll, Jo - Modifies the offense of endangering the welfare of a child in the second degree 2/24/22 Read Second Time (H)

▼ HB 2779

Nurrenbern, Maggie - Changes the law regarding firearms by repealing certain stand your ground provisions and requiring a permit to purchase firearms 2/24/22 Introduced and Read First Time (H)

▲ HJR 82 HCS HJRs 82 & 106

Black, John - Proposes a constitutional amendment to assert the right of Missourians to hunt and fish 2/22/22 Reported Do Pass (H)

▲ HJR 106

See HJR 82 (bills combined)
Dinkins, Chris - Proposes a
constitutional amendment to assert the
right of Missourians to hunt and fish
2/8/22 HCS Reported Do Pass (H)

? HJR 116

Schnelting, Adam - Creates the Missouri Department of the National Guard

2/23/22 Public Hearing Completed (H)

SENATE BILLS

▲ SB 666

Burlison - Modifies provisions on self-defense

2/10/22 - Motion to vote bill do pass failed S Transportation, Infrastructure and Public Safety Committee

△ SB 687

Williams - Authorizes expungement of certain offenses

1/10/22 - Second Read and Referred S Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence Committee - S89

▼ SB 731

Schupp - Provides that all sales of firearms be processed through a licensed firearm dealer 1/13/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S119

▲ SB 752

Burlison - Modifies and removes provisions relating to concealed firearms

1/25/22 - Hearing Conducted S General Laws Committee

▼ SB 766

Luetkemeyer - Changes the period of detention on arrest without a warrant to 48 hours

1/31/22 - Voted Do Pass S Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence Committee

? SB 795

Washington - Modifies provisions relating to law enforcement officer use of force

1/13/22 - Second Read and Referred S Judiciary and Civil and Criminal Jurisprudence Committee - S121

• SB 799 SCS SB 799

Hegeman - Modifies the offense of escaping from custody 2/28/22 - Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection

▲ SB 804

Onder - Modifies provisions relating to public transit systems 1/25/22 - Hearing Conducted S General Laws Committee

▽ SB 850 SCS SB 850

Bean - Modifies provisions relating to criminal laws

2/28/22 - Formal Calendar S Bills for Perfection

△ SB 884

White - Modifies provisions relating to firearms

1/27/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S192

▼ SB 894 🗗

Beck - Modifies provisions relating to the unlawful possession of firearms 1/27/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S192

▼ SB 895

Beck - Modifies provisions relating the offenses of unlawful transfer of weapons and the unlawful possession of firearms

1/27/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S192

▼ SB 936 P

Arthur - Modifies provisions relating to the unlawful possession of firearms 2/16/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S801

? SB 946

White - Creates the minutemen of the state

2/16/22 - Second Read and Referred S General Laws Committee - S801

▼ SB 1016

Roberts - Modifies provisions relating to the offense of unlawful use of weapons 1/5/22 - S First Read - S39

2 SR 1025

Bernskoetter - Modifies and creates provisions relating to offenses involving fleeing from arrest

1/5/22 - S First Read - S40

▼ SB 1033 P

Rizzo - Modifies provisions relating to the unlawful possession of firearms 1/6/22 - S First Read - S75

▲ SB 1035

Moon - Creates provisions relating to hunting permits 1/10/22 - S First Read - S87

∧ SB 1048

Brattin - Creates provisions relating to contracts between public entities and companies who discriminate against firearms manufacturers

1/12/22 - S First Read - S108

▲ SB 1102

Brattin - Exempts sales of firearms and ammunition from state and local sales taxes

1/27/22 - S First Read - S188

▲ SB 1104

Brattin - Modifies provisions relating to the use of self-defense

1/27/22 - S First Read - S188

? SB 1131

Roberts - Modifies provisions relating to arrests by private persons 2/7/22 - S First Read - S218

? SB 1134

Eslinger - Modifies provisions relating to self-defense 2/10/22 - S First Read - S754

▲ SJR 32

Hoskins - Amends the Constitution to assert the right to hunt and fish 1/10/22 - Second Read and Referred S Agriculture, Food Production and Outdoor Resources Committee - S90

? SJR 35

Eigel - Creates the Missouri Department of the National Guard 1/26/22 - Voted Do Pass S Seniors, Families, Veterans & Military Affairs Committee

Annual Membership Renewal

All current members of GCLA should have received their renewal letter in the mail. If you haven't done so already, please return the renewal form for 2022 & your annual dues in the return envelope. Your membership is vital to the success of GCLA in the pursuit of our primary goal, fighting for your Second Amendment Rights.

GCLA Gun Show Schedule

Show times are generally 9 a.m. To 5 p.m. for Sat. and 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. on Sun.

When a show has a Friday date it will be open from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m.

January 29,30 Belle-Clair Expo Center, Belleville II. *
February 5,6 St. Charles Convention Center
February 18-20 MACA/ Arnold Eagles Hall, Arnold
March 12,13 Belle-Clair Expo Center, Belleville II. *
June 4,5 Machinist Hall 12365 St. Charles Rock Rd
June 25,26 Belle-Clair Expo Center, Belleville II. *
July 9,10 St. Charles Convention Center

August 27,28 Belle-Clair Expo Center, Belleville II. *
September 24,25 Machinist Hall 12365 St. Charles Rock Rd
October 8,9 Belle-Clair Expo Center, Belleville II. *
October 14-16 MACA/ Arnold Eagles Hall, Arnold
November 26,27 St. Charles Convention Center

- * indicates GCLA will **not** have a table at this show
- ** indicates NRAMembership Recruiting table only

Any Member Who Would Like To Work At A Gun Show Please Call:

Don Childers 314-288-8881

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Associate Membership

GCLA will send a free annual Associate Membership including "GCLA NEWS" to any active duty service member from Missouri. Here is how this free annual membership works:

- Be full-time active military duty.
- Be a current or former Missouri resident and register Missouri as your state of residence.
- Be recommended by a current GCLA Regular Member, or request your free annual Associate Membership in writing. If you qualify or know of someone that qualifies please fill out an application from the back of the "GCLA NEWS". Instead of a membership dues check please send a signed note or pledge that you/they are active duty military and a current or former Missouri resident & register Missouri as your/their state of residence.

Have you joined MSSA?

MSSA is the Missouri Sport Shooting Association. MSSA seeks to support and promote the shooting sports in Missouri, and to encourage participation. Are you participating?

See http://www.missourisportshooting.org

MSSA Mission Statement

The mission of the MSSA is to protect and preserve the shooting sports at the state level. MSSA will promote and improve the shooting sports by sponsoring marksmanship training and competitions throughout the state of Missouri.

GCLA is an NRA Recruiter

Don't forget that GCLA is also an NRA recruiter. Help your organization and renew your annual, two year or three year membership through GCLA. We can do the annual membership for a discounted rate and give you a new hat to boot.

If you are not an NRA member and you want to become one, we can also do that.

GCLA earns money through commissions for every new member and renewal application that we send in to the NRA. This is a good deal for both you and GCLA.

GCLA-PAC

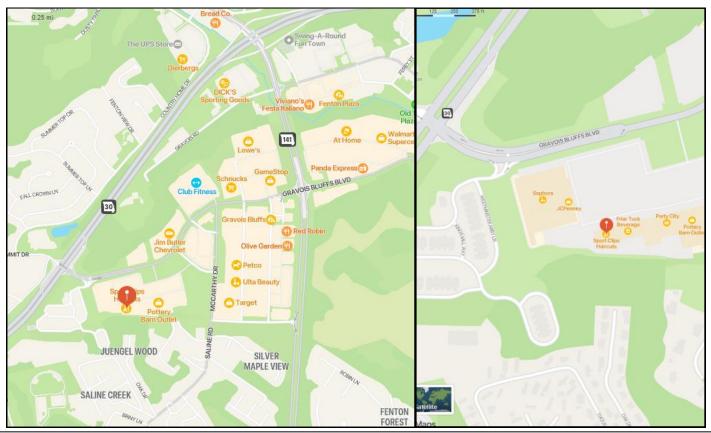
Gateway Civil Liberties Alliance has a Political Action Committee. This PAC allows GCLA to support the Missouri candidates that believe in our gun rights. The PAC needs funding to be effective and we need to start preparing now for the 2022 elections.

Send donations to GCLA-PAC, P.O. Box 440280, St. Louis, MO 63144

NOTICE: All proceeds from our current Gun Drawing are going to the GCLA PAC. The prizes are: First prize is a Tisas 1911A1 US Army Pistol, .45 ACP, 5" barrel, 7 round magazine. Second prize is a Cabela's Catch-All Gear Bag. The drawing will be held at our members' meeting. The date is still to be determined.

G.C.L.A NEWS January - March 2022 Page 6 **Interim meeting location** - Republican Central Committee of StL CO., 794 Gravois Bluffs Blvd, Suite M, Fenton, MO 63026 In the row of shops next to but not attached to the JC Penney.

Member meetings are on the first Thursday of each month at 7:00PM.



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We are particularly interested in your comments.



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