

Denise,

I am AGAINST the Burlington Charter Changes as introduced in bills H566, H567 and H568. There are responsible Vermonters who own guns throughout the state and Vermont has one of the lowest crime rates for any state in the nation. These bills are totally unnecessary.

The problems in Burlington are the result of other issues and not the availability or storage of firearms. The mayor should not be using his personal views(member of Mayors Against Illegal Guns) which is an out-of-state anti-gun lobby, to infringe on the rights of Burlington citizens.

I also am not in favor of a "patchwork" of gun laws through out our state. I urge House members to continue to support the Sportsmans Bill of Rights and reject these bills.

Thanks for listening,
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