

Wyoming – -(AmmoLand.com)- The 2019 legislative session will be here before you know it, and you and I have to be ready to FIGHT to stop 'Red Flag Gun Seizure Orders' from becoming law in Wyoming.

Lawmakers in state after state have been pre-filing this legislation in their efforts to ram this legislation into law before grassroots gun owners like you and I can fight back. And don't think for a moment that this can't happen here in Wyoming.

Truth be told, supposedly "pro-Second Amendment" Republicans all over the country are jumping onto this scheme that is being pushed by BILLIONAIRE Michael Bloomberg. In fact, earlier this year it passed into law in Florida, where Republicans control the entire state government. It also passed under a GOP Governor in Illinois.

And Republicans in Iowa, Michigan, Ohio and Pennsylvania are pushing for passage early next session. Make no mistake. The battle over 'Red Flag Gun Seizure Orders' is coming to Wyoming.

If enacted, 'Red Flag Gun Seizure Order' legislation would allow virtually anyone to make a claim that you are a danger to yourself or someone else and ask a judge to order you stripped of your firearms. The amount of room for abuse in this process should have every gun owner in Wyoming alarmed.

Consider the following:

- These gun seizure orders will be issued before you have been convicted, or even charged, with anything.

A gun owner with absolutely no criminal background of any kind can have his firearms seized before he ever sets foot in a courtroom. You would have more due process rights in traffic court than you would in defending your constitutional right to keep and bear arms.

- The hearings that determine whether or not to strip you of your firearms happen in secret.

Known as ex-parte proceedings, these hearings take place in your absence. You will have no ability to question your accuser, provide your own evidence, or testify in your own defense. In fact, the first time you will be made aware of this is when law enforcement officers come to your home to seize your firearms. [which has already **proved deadly for one Maryland gun owner.**]

- The mere fact that you recently purchased a firearm or any ammunition constitutes evidence that can be used against you.

Under the list of 'evidence' that the court can consider in deciding to disarm you is the 'recent acquisition of a firearm, ammunition, or other weapons.' So just buying a firearm or a box of .22's could be enough for a judge to order you stripped of your firearms.

Every gun owner in the state knows someone who has gone through a bad divorce; maybe you've gone through that misery yourself. Can you imagine what an embittered ex-spouse could do to you if Wyoming enacts this legislation? How about a neighbor who doesn't like your pro-gun bumper sticker?

The risk to gun owners is ENDLESS!

In fact, the accuser doesn't even have to file their complaint before a court in most cases. They can just phone it in. And once your guns are seized, you'll be spending weeks and thousands of dollars in court in attorney's fees to try and get them back.

Some will claim that these 'red flag gun seizures' laws will help law enforcement stop madmen before they can carry out a shooting. But that is a cheap political talking point, designed to brow beat gun owners like you and me into giving up and not fighting this bill.

Just consider the facts.



Under current law, those who tell others of their intent to kill can be arrested for making threats if law enforcement is ever informed. Those who are exhibiting “warning signs” that they may be planning violence, can — at minimum — be interviewed by law enforcement who can move to arrest the person if needed.

As anyone in law enforcement will tell you, you can tell A LOT about a person’s intentions with the answers to just a couple questions.

But they’ll also tell you that no gun control law on the books will ever do a lick of good if law enforcement fails to do its job — like we saw at Parkland, Florida earlier this year.

Gun-grabbers know all of this, but they don’t care. Their goal is to completely ELIMINATE due process to effectively enable bureaucrats to decide who gets guns and who doesn’t.

That’s why our job is to draw a line in the sand against ‘Red Flag Gun Seizure Orders’ RIGHT NOW before it’s too late.

The truth is, many candidates for the State House and Senate flat-out REFUSED to answer Wyoming Gun Owners’ Candidate Survey earlier this year because they support so-called “Red Flag” Gun Confiscation Orders and didn’t want to go on the record about it.

So with the 2019 session just a few weeks away, my goal is to generate a MOUNTAIN of petitions in opposition to this legislation before they return!

But I need your help!

- First, please **sign the petition** that we’ve prepared and submit it back to us right away. This will make sure that your legislators know where you stand on this important issue.
- Second, please agree to your most generous contribution so that we can get the word out to as many gun owners as possible about this and get them involved. Your generosity will help us crank up the heat now, in the critical weeks ahead of session.

Don’t think that just because the legislature hasn’t gavelled in for the year that we can sit back and relax — we can’t!

Since the election, the legislature has met for days in committee work which often decides which bills are going to move once they actually gavel in.

That’s why I’m counting on your action and financial support. I know I’ve asked a lot of you this year. But you know just how high the stakes are today with gun-grabbers on the attack. But you’ve seen your support for the Wyoming Gun Owners make a BIG difference with passage of Stand-Your-Ground just this year!

Republicans and Democrats from all over the country think we can end gun violence if we just let BILLIONAIRE Michael Bloomberg turn our states into the next New York, Maryland or California.

If you disagree, you need to say so right away.

Please sign your petitions, and agree to your most generous contribution of \$100, \$50 or at least \$25 right away!

For Freedom,

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<https://foac-pac.org/Wyoming-Heads-Toward-Red-Flag-Gun-Seizures/News-Item/8965>

Police Kill Maryland Citizen During “Red Flag” Gun Confiscation

When will they come for your guns?

Under so-called “red flag laws,” police can and do steal firearms from Americans without any sort of evidence of wrongdoing and without even charging them with a crime. As I reported in August, [more than 450 people in Florida](#) had been stripped of their guns in just a few months under the [Republican-passed anti-gun package](#) that allows the legalized theft of firearms from people who have committed no crimes.

During a similar event in Maryland, a citizen was killed by police when he refused to hand over his firearms. You should have heard about this on every new source... but I doubt you did. In today’s America, liberty is becoming a rarity only insisted upon by a radical few — who are being aggressively persecuted by those who prefer to expand government power.



That’s how it looks from here, anyhow.

In this event, a relative had requested an “emergency risk protection order” against 60-year-old Gary J. Willis, and it was granted. When police showed up at his door a little after 5:00 in the morning, he naturally answered the door with a gun in his hand. After all, he’d just been woken from a sound sleep by someone at his door in the early morning. And not being a criminal, why would he expect to find police at his door?

But he did. And he [reportedly](#) laid the gun down when he realized he was dealing with police.

After police said they were there to take all of his guns, he became upset. Wouldn’t you? And then he made a terrible mistake: He picked up his gun.

‘A fight ensued over the gun,’ said Sgt. Jacklyn Davis, a police spokeswoman.

One of the officers struggled to take the gun from Willis, and during the struggle the gun fired but did not strike anyone, police said. At that point, the other officer fatally shot Willis, police said.

Neither officer was injured, police said, and neither of their names was released.

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The dead man’s niece was befuddled as to why anyone would consider her uncle dangerous, and said the request for the court order was “family being family.” From this we may assume the family member who requested the order was just being mean or spiteful to Mr. Willis, but the article says the niece didn’t provide further details.

She said her uncle ‘likes to speak his mind,’ but she described him as harmless.

‘I’m just dumbfounded right now,’ she said. ‘My uncle wouldn’t hurt anybody.’

She and other family members stood down the street in the rain while waiting for police to let family members into the home Monday morning — in part to retrieve two dogs and a cat still inside.

Willis said the officers should have continued to negotiate with her uncle.

'They didn't need to do what they did,' she said.

Of course they didn't. Mr. Willis was not a criminal until the system turned him into one. His only apparent crime was not willingly bending to the forcible and unjustified removal of valuable possessions from his home.

Remember how proponents of "common sense gun laws" tell you they're not coming for your guns? Well, maybe not yet...



Dear ,

I take no great pleasure in writing this email.

But it's an email I have to write, to prepare you for the coming onslaught of "Red Flag" legislation not only here in Georgia but across the country.

"Red Flag" legislation would empower left-wing judges to order your firearms confiscated without due process.

No charges, no day in court, just a knock on the door demanding you turn your firearms over.

This legislation is the "holy grail" of Michael Bloomberg lobbyists trolling around the State Capital in Atlanta.

Sadly, the NRA has come out in support of "Red Flag" legislation, most recently bills signed by Republican governors in Florida and Illinois, and behind pushes for such laws in Michigan, Iowa, Pennsylvania, and Ohio.

Last night, I participated in a social media podcast with three other state level gun rights leaders from across the country discussing the NRA's support for "Red Flags".

This podcast has been viewed almost 40,000 times on social media as of this morning.

I've just posted the podcast on the Georgia Gun Owners YouTube page -- please click below to watch it, and learn about the NRA's betrayal of gun owners through their support of "Red Flag" legislation.



To watch this video: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MBMJJD2wy3u4>

NRA's Chris Cox video calling for the Federal Government to fund State's efforts to pass "Risk Protection Orders": <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7sNiklO506A>

For freedom,

**Patrick Parsons
Executive Director
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Check out our website: <https://www.georgiagunowners.org>

This email sent to me by Kim Stolfer, FOAC

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