

# DCGOA February 2022 NEWSLETTER



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## **DCGOA MISSION STATEMENT:**

*To promote the safe and legal ownership and use of firearms as expressed in our inalienable rights under the Second Amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America so that those who are legally permitted to purchase and sell firearms may collect and use firearms for self defense, competitive events, other sporting uses in the community, and for preservation of our constitutional republic.*

*Also preserving and defending the right to keep and bear arms as guaranteed by the Bill of Rights and Article I, section 6 of Michigan's Constitution: "Every person has a right to keep and bear arms for the defense of himself and the state."*

*A well-regulated Militia being necessary to the security of a Free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms shall not be infringed.*

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## **THIS MONTH'S MEETING IS FEB 8<sup>th</sup>**

*There will be a short presentation on radio communication.*

**Meetings are held at Mead Rod and Gun Club on County Road 420 on the second Tuesday of the month @ 6:30 PM unless notified.**

*Weather permitting we can shoot at the range between 5:00 and 6:30, bring targets eye and ear protection!*

*Next month's meeting is March 8<sup>th</sup>*

## Announcements & NOTICES

### ***BANQUET IS APRIL 23 2022 @ Ruth Butler Building***

There will be several gun raffles as in past years at the banquet. Food by Soderman catering. Some of the raffles Prizes: a S&W M&P 9mm complete range kit, Heritage Arms revolvers, Stevens shotgun and 25-06 rifle and more.

Please contact Autumn at Old Glory Firearms to volunteer to help with the banquet.

### ***10 gun raffle tickets for the 2022 banquet are now available.***

<b><i>Savage Axis 22-250</i></b>	<b><i>Savage A17 17 HMR</i></b>
<b><i>Savage 93 22WMR</i></b>	<b><i>CZ 712 Semi Auto 12 Gauge</i></b>
<b><i>Gforce Pump 12 Gauge</i></b>	<b><i>S&amp;W SDVE 9mm pistol</i></b>
<b><i>S&amp;W Shield Plus 9mm Pistol</i></b>	<b><i>Heritage Rough Rider 22LR/22Mag</i></b>
<b><i>Desert Eagle 1911 45ACP</i></b>	<b><i>Springfield Hellcat OSP 9mm</i></b>

## DCGOA NEWS

### **Notes from the January Meeting:**

We had no meeting due to weather and health issues.

**Banquet volunteers needed.** The Banquet committee needs help to collect donations and organize the banquet. As we have the capability with the new venue to expand the number of attendees we will need volunteers to help. This is the only major fund raising event we hold. If you want to see our association continue it's work supporting the second amendment we need volunteers to collect donations from sponsors. As the Biden regime stated in New York this past week they are coming for your 2nd amendment rights. With a successful banquet we will be able to support 2nd amendment groups in Delta County and elsewhere in Michigan. The last 2 years have been trying to say the least. We had to cancel the 2020 banquet, and severely limit the attendance to the 2121 banquet to observe the government's mandates. We plan to make this years banquet the best ever but we cannot do it with out volunteers.

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## 2A Legislature news

### **STATE legislature:**

The RINOs in the state legislature will be joining Democrats to "do something" after the school shooting in Oxford. (Is it only me that finds the laws are aimed at disarming lawful citizens and NOT disarming criminals?) Please join with Great Lakes Gun Rights in signing the petition to stop this "do something" laws. See the web page: [https://action.greatlakesgunrights.org/1456\\_NoGunControlNoDeals-p.aspx?pid=6ma](https://action.greatlakesgunrights.org/1456_NoGunControlNoDeals-p.aspx?pid=6ma)

**HB 5366** Sponsored by Reps. Beeler, Markkanen, and LaFave, This would repeal the requirement for a concealed pistol license.

**HB 5372** Sponsored by Reps. O'Neal and Rendon, Modifies the MI penal code PA328, A person convicted of a misdemeanor involving domestic violence loses all 2nd amendment rights. (the original only restricted felons).

## 2A Legislature news cont.

**HB 5656** Sponsored by Reps Hood and all democrats, Would add a seven day waiting period for all pistol purchases. (Never mind all the states that have waiting periods prove it has no effect on homicides).

**HB 5677** Sponsored by Rep Stone and democrats, Would require **ALL** persons selling a firearm must provide a trigger lock or other device to secure the firearm, or a lockable case, a brochure that has safety information, and retain a signed document attesting these have been provided. If this rule is not followed the seller can and will be held responsible for any harm that firearm may cause. (now only a federally licensed dealer has to provide these devices and brochures).

**SB 550-553 and HB 5066-5069:** makes it a 5 year felony to not have a locking device on your firearm or keep it in a secure location and a minor uses it to harm anyone or themselves.

### **Federal:**

Note: There are dozens of bills introduced every year but few make it out of committee. This is a very short list that allows the reader to see the relentless attack on the 2nd amendment by the CPUSA and the few GOP bills to protect it. The congress is distracted by the spending and voting bills, but will get back to infringing on the second amendment soon.

**HR 6247 PROTECT the Second Amendment Act** sponsored by Rep Randy Feenstra (R-IA) To ensure that residents of covered federally assisted rental housing may lawfully possess firearms, and for other purposes.

**HR 6370 Safe Guns Act** Sponsored by Elissa Slotkin D-MI: Would make it a crime if a minor gains access to a firearm without the permission of the parent or guardian. Exceptions if the firearm was secured (locked up) or the person was carrying a firearm on his person. 5 year max. penalty.

HR 131 Amends the Omnibus Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968

**HR 6248 Stand Your Ground Act:** sponsored by Rep. Matt Gaetz (R-FL) This would implement "stand your ground" laws nationally, removing the so-called "duty to retreat" in all states.

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment news

**Surprise news: The ATF Lied** The ATF rule on unfinished frames and receivers has been proposed because of "numerous" requests from FFL dealers on how to handle these privately built firearms guns. The Gun Owners of America (GOA) filed a Freedom of Information request and found that the ATF defines numerous as one (yes only 1). Makes you wonder if in the past when the ATF changed or made rules because of "numerous" requests it really was only one. The notice of proposed rule making on the new restrictions from gun owners was almost 300,000 that were against it. (*Hmm one now constitutes a majority if it agrees with the regime*).

**Fake News Dept.:** 'The Atlantic', a left wing magazine, has found the reason for the rise in crime that the Regime says they have no idea why crime is up. They say it's the large spike in legal gun purchases. (Hmm, using that thinking the tail wags the dog.) They disregard the fact that all legal gun purchases require a background check. Could it be that the rising crime and the defund the police movement might cause citizens to feel they need to take responsibility for their own personal safety?

**Firearm purchases still at record levels:** The ATF estimates 18.1 million firearms sales for 2021. They estimate 480 million firearms are in citizens hands (or in their gun safes). The trend is slowing unless the Biden regime starts the anti-second amendment rhetoric again.

**Wag the dog dept.:** Mexico's government is suing American gun manufacturers for allowing the firearms sold to the Mexican military and being sold by the Mexican military to the drug cartels. One estimate is that 30% of the Mexican military's weapons have been "lost". Note that Mexico has only one firearms dealer in the whole country and he is located on a military base. All weapons are shipped to that dealer before being "lost". But to deflect the total corruption of the Mexican government they sue American manufacturers.

**Shadow Government:** ATF can make rules (these are not laws but have the force of law) that have no consistency. What today is legal to own (bump stocks, pistol braces etc.) tomorrow are illegal. The constitution limits the government from infringing on our rights, but evidently it does NOT restrict bureaucrats in these agencies from infringing. The ATF in the past has "modified" accessories submitted to them for approval, to make them function in an illegal manor to deny their manufacture. It is these bureaus of un-elected personnel that make up the shadow government. So believe it or not tomorrow they could decide that ALL semi-automatic firearms, pistols as well as semi auto rifles and shotguns, are machine guns and require them to be registered and have the owners pay the federal tax on them or turn them in. Do we have enough money to fight all this in the courts?

## 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment news Continued

**Defacto gun registration:** The ATF acknowledged it has 920 million firearm records on file. By federal law the ATF CAN NOT create a gun registry. They have no plans to destroy these records as required by law. (Rule GAO-16-552). The Second Amendment Foundation is suing to have these records, that go back several decades, destroyed.

**More Fake News Dept.** CNN is running an advertisement, that states in a headline, a study done by a "leading non-profit organization" found that states with weak gun laws have more gun deaths. As most viewers just look at the headline they accept this fake news. What they don't tell you is this was a Bloomberg's "Everytown", anti-gun propaganda organization "study". By cherry picking statistics from low population states they claim this is fact. When the John Lott study, which was vetted as accurate, states the highest gun deaths are in democratically run locations that have draconian gun laws. Studies done by the U.S. National Academy of Sciences and the CDC, failed to identify any gun control that reduced violent crime.

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### Gun shows

#### Sagola Township Sportsmen's Club

Gun and Knife Show

Friday February 11<sup>th</sup> - 3PM til 7PM Saturday Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> - 9AM til 3PM

5 miles North of Channing Mi. W8470 Sawyer Lake Road.

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### Editorial

The Biden regime plans to use the CDC to declare guns are a health issue. After all it worked for the planned-demic and got people to take experimental DNA reprogramming drugs. I wont disagree as I feel the fact that one can not carry a gun to protect oneself from predators (2 and 4 footed) without a piece of paper, a health issue. The 2nd amendment deny s the government from infringing on the God given right to bear (carry on your person) arms. If you need government permission it is NOT a right!

Explain this to me: they erect a statue of a drug addict and small time crook George Floyd but remove a statue of a hero of the Spanish American war, governor, and U.S. president Teddy Roosevelt. (All communist regimes remove the statues of their past heroes).

In the finest tradition of Stalin's chief of the secret political police the DOJ indites the oath keepers for sedition. Stalin's secret police Chief, Lavernity Beria, stated " show me the man and I'll show you the crime" (even if he had to fabricate the whole crime.) He could, and did, convict thousands of his enemy's of political crimes. Note: Nikita Khrushchev had Lavernity executed for treason when Nikita became ruler.

Insanity: Pass laws to disarm legal gun owners and prosecute them but refuse to prosecute criminals that use gun violence against lawful citizens. Pass anti-discrimination laws but pick a judge by color of skin and gender. Refuse to protect our border but defend the Ukraine's border. Insist everyone wears a mask and social distance but shake every ones hands in the room with out wearing a mask (lunch bucket Joe). Hollywood actors are self proclaimed experts on firearms but know nothing about basic gun safety.

'Gotta wonder, as Biden stated that the "most lethal terrorist threat" to our homeland security is White supremacy. Now after a year in office and no major attacks from these white supremacists, could the regime have instructed the FBI to instigate bomb threats to the Black Universities. Just like they instigated the capitol "insurrection".

**Quote of the day:** *"It seems to me that it is now specially important to do what is right quietly and persistently not only without asking permission from Government, but consciously avoiding its participation. The strength of the Government lies in the people's ignorance, and the Government knows this, and will therefore always oppose true enlightenment. It is time we realized at fact. And it is most undesirable to let the Government, while it is spreading darkness, pretend to be busy with the enlightenment of the people. It is doing this now by means of all sorts of pseudo-educational establishments which it controls: schools, high-schools, universities, academies, and all kinds of committees and congresses."* ~ **Leo Tolstoy**

# Useful Links for Firearms Owners Info

## **Delta County Gun Owners Association**

<https://www.dcgua.net/>

### **Michigan Open Carry**

<https://www.miopencarry.org>

**Open carry information** State Police information site.

[http://www.michigan.gov/documents/msp/MSP\\_Legal\\_Update\\_No.\\_86\\_2\\_336854\\_7.pdf](http://www.michigan.gov/documents/msp/MSP_Legal_Update_No._86_2_336854_7.pdf)

**Michigan CPL Laws** State Police information site.

[http://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,1607,7-123-1591\\_3503\\_4654---,00.html](http://www.michigan.gov/msp/0,1607,7-123-1591_3503_4654---,00.html)

### **Michigan Gun Owners**

<https://home.migunowners.org/>

### **National Association for Gun Rights**

<https://www.nationalgunrights.org/>

### **Firearms Policy Institute**

<https://www.firearmspolicy.org/>

### **Great Lakes Gun Rights**

<https://greatlakesgunrights.org/>

### **NRA**

<http://home.nra.org/>

### **USCCA**

<https://www.usconcealedcarry.com/>

### **National Shooting Sports Foundation**

<https://www.nssf.org/>

### **Civilian Marksmanship Program**

<https://thecmp.org/>

### **Citizens Committee for the Right to Keep and Bear Arms (CCRKBA)**

<https://www.ccrkba.org/>

### **1 million moms against gun control**

<https://www.1mmagc.org/>

### **Armed American Radio**

<https://armedamericanradio.org/>

Information on whats happening in society <https://DougGiles.org>

Information on federal and state firearms legislation: <http://arbalestquarrel.com/>

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