

DCGOA JULY 2023 NEWSLETTER



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 ON JULY 11th

Meetings are held at Mead Rod and Gun Club at 5523-5559 County 420 21st Road 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 August 8th 2023

Announcements & NOTICES

Volunteers needed for the State Fair Booth

Meet and greet people, hand out pamphlets, give away candy to the children, have great conversations with like minded 2nd amendment supporters.



THANKS TO ALL THE VOLUNTEERS THAT HELPED WITH THE 4TH OF JULY FLOAT AND PARADE YOU MADE IT SUCCESS!

DCGOA NEWS

The June meeting was called to order by Paul at 6:30PM. After the secretary's and treasurer's report, the announcement that the 10 gun tickets will be available soon. Under old business a report on the Youth Shoot was given, a report on the Delta County Board meeting to become a 2nd amendment sanctuary county was given. A request to help Brian with a trip to Alger county and Houghton. This is to see if they are interested in joining us in defense of the 2nd amendment. We now have a larger storage unit at U-Haul. By consolidating the two units into one we will save \$100 a month.

New business: The membership approved a donor thank you picnic if possible in July. Several members volunteered to help decorate the 4th of July parade float. DCGOA sponsoring a gun show in Marquette was approved.

2A Legislature news

STATE legislature:

SB 4455 requirement for hobbyist-built firearms to contain serial numbers on frames or receivers. Amends sec. 230 of 1931 PA 328 (MCL 750.230).

SB 4429 Removes the provision allowing employers to prohibit employees from carrying at work Amends sec. 5n of 1927 PA 372 (MCL 28.425n).

HB4358 requires CPL holders to disclose possession of concealed weapon; expand to include fire personnel and emergency medical services personnel. Amends sec. 5f of 1927 PA 372 (MCL 28.425f).

HB4474 Makes it a FELONY to use the wrong pronouns to misgender an individual. (Hey Lansing demon-rats ever hear of the 1st amendment?) Once convicted of a felony you lose the right to firearm ownership. (Anybody see a hidden agenda here?) The house passed this bill.

Federal:

HR4436 S1949 Rep. Matt Rosendale (R-MT) Senator Joni Ernst (R-IA) To prohibit the IRS from providing firearms and ammo to it's employees.

HR4283 Rep. Danny Davis (D-IL) Amend the IRS code of 1986 to increase taxes on firearms.

HR4243 Rep Debbie Dingell (D-MI) Repeal the exclusion of pistols, revolvers, and other firearms from the definition of consumer product under such laws.

2nd Amendment news

A federal judge vacated the ATF's frame and receiver rule. This rule reclassified unfinished frames and receivers as firearms (the so called "ghost run" rule). The judge ruled the ATF over stepped its authority and the rule is violating federal law. (remember laws are made by congress not by an alphabet agency ruling.)

The United Nations now has a global framework to to address ammunition management. They are focusing on individuals "conventional ammunition stockpiles" The NRA-ILA and SAAMI, has attended their meetings to monitor what they propose. The UN wants to regulate all small arms ammunition dictating how much, if any, ammo you may posses, licensing to possess ammo, serializing every round of ammo. (I'm from the U.N. and I'm here to help).

That nasty vile bill of rights keeps getting in the way of the government running rough shod over it's citizens. Seems Pennsylvania has a regulation regarding firearms that allow warentless raids on firearm owners. The state police say it's to insure safe storage of firearms. The Second Amendment Foundation is suing that state for violating the 2nd, 4th, 5th and 14th amendments. If SAF looses expect that, as Michigan has passed a safe storage law, MI democrats to enact a similar regulation here.

The IRS and ATF agents raided a Montana gun store to confiscate all the 4473 forms. The Montana congressmen have asked the IRS why the they took the 4473s which has no financial information. They have no constitutional right to do so. The Biden regime is planning to use the IRS storm troopers to harass conservatives and gun owners. The IRS storm troopers have military type arms. (Remember when Biden said the government has F16's and nukes if you plan to resist?)

Michigan will soon require it's law abiding citizens to get a purchase permit from the local law enforcement to procure a rifle. A lot of these gun buyers are then same ones who state they will not join a 2nd amendment group as "they will never take my hunting rifle." Well guys they first shoe has dropped. First registration then confiscation. "It will never happen here". Note they will only require "law abiding citizens" to get permits. Criminals are exempt.

Now as the Michigan democrats passed the lock up law, you are no longer have the right to defend your home from a home invader **if** you have minors living with you. You must lock up the firearm and in a separate location lock up the ammunition. Hey all you criminals it's now open season to invade homes in Michigan! Note that John Lott's research has found that states with this law have higher rates of violent crime after passage.

Please note Michigan no longer has a representative government. The democrats in Lansing have ignored the 80,000 letters opposing the red flag laws. The democrats have told the citizens that they will do as they please not what their constituents want as they know better than you how you should live your life.

Judge denies the NRA to join in the SAF ruling on pistol braces. So if you are an NRA member you must destroy your pistol brace or join the Second Amendment Foundation to be covered by the ruling. Sadly the NRA, under it's current leadership, is a second rate defender of the right to keep and bear arms.

Ooops the pistol brace "ruling" is being ignored by 40 million Americans. Civil disobedience at it's finest.

The bill that is stalled in the American congress would list hundreds of firearms that would become illegal. Canada has passed such a law. It lists 11,000 plus firearms that are banned. They started a confiscation scheme called a "buy-back". Not only individuals but gun stores as well must turn them in. A lot of small gun stores now have unsellable stock. So far the Canadian government has allocated less than 10 cents on the dollar for the buy back value of the guns. The Biden regime is watching closely how the Trudeau regime makes this work.

The Bank of America is handing over all records of gun purchases to the FBI. Rep. Jim Jordan wants to know why. Its a violation of privacy rights with out probable cause and a warrant. (Damn bill of right gets in the way again.) Take your business away from BoA.

Editorial

Ever notice groups like the Brady Campaign, Coalition to Stop Gun Violence, Moms Demand Action, Here 4 the Kids, Everytown for gun safety, Giffords Law Center to Prevent Gun Violence, and many more have done nothing to actually do what they promote: stop atrocities? This is the "ban the gun" industry. They rake in millions after every rampage killing yet have no program to secure our children. They oppose hardening schools (makes it a prison), adding resource officers (will intimidate the children), and allowing teachers to be armed (will cause more shootings). They really don't fund research into what caused these sociopaths to want to murder innocent children. It seems they have no desire to fund research into the mental health causes that prompted these sociopaths to kill (broken homes, bullying, anti depressant drugs, etc.) Also they oppose programs like Eddie Eagle that teach children firearm safety, hunter education in the schools, etc. What I do see them doing is collecting money, sell t-shirts, signs, and bumper stickers. They promote taking firearms away from law abiding citizens thereby denying a means of self defense. They promote fear in parents to further their donations. The organizers of these groups are mostly wealthy. With their main source of income coming from donations after the rampages, it seems like they have a financial interest to **not** to find the real cause of these atrocities. It's easier to "ban the gun". Follow the money.

Ask yourself why would the billionaires like Michael Bloomberg, and Bill Gates want to repeal the 2nd amendment? They pay lots of money to have someone else carry their guns (called private security). You and I have to carry our own for our protection. Could it be they fear the shrinking middle class might up rise and chop their heads off like they did in the French revolution? Well Johann Rupert owner of Cartier jewelry actually stated this fact at a meeting of elite billionaires. Even politicians like Chicago's ex-mayor Lorie Lightfoot who had 71 (NY times reported) police in her security detail must fear the unwashed masses may revolt.

Use to be the worst thing you had to fear from the IRS was an audit. Now, as they are fully armed with machine guns, we must fear a firing squad. The Biden regime has declared war on all gun owners. If he can't get them with the ATF he's now weaponized the IRS. The IRS attacked a gun store in Montana with 20 armed agents. (Was this a practice raid for what's to come?) They confiscated all the ATF forms. Since the ATF is bared by law from confiscating the 4473s, the Biden regime sent the gestapo, oops I mean the IRS, which has no lawful restriction to confiscate them.

The IRS has bought \$1 million worth of S&W M&P15 rifles and tactical shotguns. They have bought millions of dollars worth of ballistic shields, helmets, body armor, night vision rifle sights etc. They also have HK416s which the Navy seals use. Seems strange that an agency that is to collect taxes would have a, (to quote Obama) well equipped civilian army. To quote from the IRS's recruitment posting they are looking for candidates that "must be willing to use force up to and including the use of deadly force." (Only thugs and psychopaths apply). I can only believe the democrats are planning for a civil war. So and administration, which promotes de-funding the police, is forming a special police force to kill Americans in total darkness (that's why the night vision rifle sights) because they didn't pay their taxes. As the Biden regime has control over these agencies there is very little congressional oversight.

Biden now wants to allow the American citizens to own F16's. He stated that in a speech where he admitted that AR15's are not enough to "water the tree of freedom". So put down your AR's and grab an F16. Or was this a threat that if the IRS gestapo doesn't take you down he will send in F16's?

Philly mayor wants the families of the atrocity to sue the gun stores and manufacturers. That's way easier then actually doing something about the root cause: Mental defectives. So now we should sue the auto dealers and manufacturers for auto fatalities. That's what they did to the manufacturers and sellers of pain medicine and the cigarette manufacturers. We should be able to sue the processed food manufacturers for death from heart disease and obesity. We should sue the cannabis sellers and growers for causing deaths on the road from users under the influence. We should sue bars and adult beverage manufacturers for road deaths, alcoholism, etc.

The Philly Mayor stated it's harder for him to go to CVS and buy Claritin then a 14 year old to buy parts to build a gun. Gee I missed that sale at the CVS on gun parts.

Quote of the month:

"The state must declare the child to be the most precious treasure of the people. As long as the government is perceived as working for the benefit of the children, the people will happily endure almost any curtailment of liberty and almost any deprivation" - Adolph Hitler

The democrat-communists have stated your children belong to the state. They are just on loan to you. (look up Melissa Harris Perry Tulane professor). On April 24 2023 Biden stated: "There's no such thing as someone else's child. Our nation's children are all our children" (When he says "our" he means the government's.)

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

Michigan Coalition for Responsible Gun Owners

<https://mcrgo.org/>

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

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