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To: Maxine Grad

Subject: Red Flag laws

Dear Maxine Grad,

States are stepping up to take action and pass Red Flag Laws — Vermont should be next.

These laws create an Extreme Risk Protection Order (ERPO) that family members and law enforcement can request to temporarily prohibit a person from having guns before they pose a significant danger to themselves or others. When family members are empowered to act, they can prevent warning signs from turning into a mass shooting or gun suicide.

Vermont needs a Red Flag Law now and I urge you to make passing one a priority.

Thank you,

Christine LaMar APRN