



DON'T BE FOOLED: “RED FLAG” LAWS ARE DANGEROUS TO OUR LIBERTY!

Red Flag laws, also called Gun Violence Restraining Orders and Extreme Risk Protection Orders, are **gun-confiscation laws disguised as “gun-violence prevention” laws** that are being pushed hard at both the state and federal levels.

The stated goal of such a law is “to prevent a person from harming themselves or others.” The law does no such thing! **Such laws violate many of our constitutional protections** and are fraught with problems:

- ✦ NO NOTICE UNTIL POLICE SHOW UP AT YOUR DOOR, PRE-DAWN, WITH GUNS DRAWN – a dangerous situation for everyone involved
- ✦ YOU HAVE NO RIGHT TO DUE PROCESS PRIOR TO CONFISCATION
- ✦ YOU ARE ASSUMED TO BE DANGEROUS UNTIL **YOU** PROVE YOU'RE NOT
- ✦ CONFISCATION IS BASED ON SOMEONE'S WORD - NO PROOF NECESSARY
- ✦ YOUR ACCUSER IS KEPT SECRET, ALLOWING THEM TO HARASS YOU WITHOUT CONSEQUENCE
- ✦ YOU LOSE EVEN IF YOU WIN-You WILL spend thousands in legal fees and it could even impact your reputation and employment
- ✦ YOUR GUNS WILL LIKELY BE DAMAGED OR EVEN POSSIBLY DESTROYED
- ✦ THERE'S NO PROTECTION FROM REPEATED RED FLAG CONFISCATIONS

As further proof that Red Flag laws are not meant to save lives, but to simply confiscate guns, ask yourself this: “If a person is ‘too dangerous’ to own a gun, then why is that person walking around with the rest of us? Can’t that ‘dangerous’ person still commit suicide or harm others if they have the opportunity?”

Americans are intentionally not being told of the serious constitutional and practical problems with Red Flag laws. Please spread the word to everyone you know before it’s too late.



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