

## Senate Bill Would Protect Gun Owners Traveling Across State Lines

Sen. Doug Mastriano (R-33) has introduced the Protecting the Rights of Concealed Carry Permit Holders Traveling Across State Lines Act.

Senate Bill 244 would prevent Pennsylvania concealed carry permit holders from being unfairly targeted when traveling to states that do not honor our reciprocity agreements. By ensuring that Pennsylvania's Firearms License Validation System is not misused by out-of-state authorities, Mastriano's bill would protect the rights of citizens and uphold the Second Amendment.

"The Second Amendment was never meant to be confined by arbitrary state lines. Our constitutional rights do not end when we cross into another state, and neither should our ability to protect ourselves and our families," Mastriano said.

Despite having undergone rigorous background checks and meeting all licensing requirements, law-abiding gun owners have been wrongfully detained and subjected to legal harassment for exercising their rights. There have been documented cases of individuals being pulled over for routine traffic stops, only to be detained for hours after out-of-state law enforcement accessed Pennsylvania's Firearms License Validation System and found their concealed carry permit.

The legislation would amend Title 18 of Pennsylvania law to prohibit the sharing of Firearms License Validation System data with states that do not honor Pennsylvania's reciprocity agreements.

Virginia, Florida and Texas have passed similar measures to protect their citizens from unjust treatment in anti-gun states. These laws prevent non-reciprocal states from accessing concealed carry permit data, ensuring that lawful gun owners are not subjected to unfair detentions.

Additionally, 23 states have Constitutional Carry laws, meaning that law-abiding citizens do not even need a permit to carry a concealed weapon.

"Pennsylvania's failure to protect its gun owners puts them at risk even while states with stronger pro-gun laws recognize their rights," Mastriano said. "Pennsylvania must take action to ensure that our citizens are protected from overreaching state governments that seek to undermine the Second Amendment."

The bill is before the Senate Judiciary Committee for consideration.

## Young Adults Have Constitutional Rights

A panel of judges at the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, in a unanimous ruling, found that the federal ban on federal firearms licensees (FFLs) selling handguns to 18-to-20-year-old adults violates the Second Amendment.

In this ruling, the court noted that the "government argues that a limited ban on the purchase of handguns from FFLs is not an infringement on the Second Amendment rights, and in any event eighteen-to-twenty-year-olds are not among 'the people.'" This panel of judges rejected this claim. The court next considered whether the government met its burden of historical analogues (under the U.S. Supreme Court's *Bruen* decision). The court then found that the government had not found historical precedents to make this ban constitutional.

The NRA Institute for Legislative Action (ILA) reported, "Since the plain text covers the purchase of handguns by 18-to-20-year-olds, the court next considered whether the federal prohibition is consistent with America's historical tradition of firearm regulation. The court concluded that it is not. During the founding era, as noted above, 18-to-20-year-olds were required to acquire and possess firearms. And no founding-era law forbade them from doing so. Rather, regulations limiting the ability of 18-to-20-year-olds to acquire arms were first enacted in the latter half of the nineteenth century, which is too late to establish a historical tradition. Therefore, the court held, the federal laws prohibiting FFL sales to 18-to-20-year-olds violate the Second Amendment."

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## A Deep Dive into Cases Where Civilians Stopped Active Shooters.

Did they accidentally shoot bystanders, get in the way of police, get their gun taken away, or create other problems? How does it compare to police who stopped these attacks?

We have previously put out **our study on the FBI's active shooting reports**. If you watch entertainment television police shows, you would think something **always seems to go wrong** when guns are used defensively (including **shooting bystanders to getting in the way of police to failing to protect the permit holder to continually having the gun stolen** and use in a crime to it being used in an **accidental shooting**). During the ten years from **2014 to 2023**, there were **180 active shooting cases** (as defined by the FBI) where a concealed handgun permit holder stopped an active shooting attack. We decided to do a deep dive to see how many cases there were out of those 180 cases where a concealed handgun permit holder accidentally shot a bystander (one case, 0.56%), got in the way of police (zero cases, 0.0%), had the handgun taken away (one case, 0.56%), and got themselves killed (two cases, 1.1%). What was more common were cases where the permit holder was injured in saving the lives of others (44 cases, 24%). Fifty-eight of those cases were instances where a mass public shooting was likely prevented. An Excel file with the data for civilians and police is **available here**.

While civilians with concealed handgun permits stopped 51.5% of the active shootings in non-gun-free zones, police stopped 44.6% of the cases (124 arrested or killed by police, 32 committed suicide when police arrived = 156/350 = 44.57%). Interestingly, police officers were **much more** likely to lose their lives or be wounded in stopping these attacks than armed civilians. Twenty-seven officers were killed in 19 attacks (7.7% and 5.4%, respectively). That is 5.94 times the rate that permit holders were killed. One hundred officers were wounded in 48 attacks (28.6% and 13.7%, respectively). That rate is 17% higher than for civilians. In four cases, the police shot and killed the wrong person — twice they accidentally shot fellow police officers (Prince George's County Police Department District 3 Station on March 13, 2016 and Borderline Bar and Grill on November 7, 2018) and twice they accidentally shot civilians (Galleria Mall in Hoover, Alabama on Nov. 23, 2018 and Highlands Ranch, Colorado on May 7, 2019). The bottom line is that the rate of police shooting the wrong person is very low, though it is slightly more than twice the rate that civilians shoot a bystander (1.14% versus 0.56%). The police accidentally shot other police officers at very slight higher than the rate that civilians shot bystanders.

| Cases Where Civilians Stopped Active Shooters 2014 to 2023 |    |                  |
|------------------------------------------------------------|----|------------------|
| Number of the 180 cases that had this result               |    | Percent of cases |
| Accidentally shot a bystander                              | 1  | 0.56%            |
| Got in the way of police                                   | 0  | 0.00%            |
| had the gun taken away from them                           | 1  | 0.56%            |
| Civilian stopping the attack is shot and wounded           | 44 | 24.44%           |
| Civilian stopping the attack is shot and killed            | 2  | 1.11%            |

"No country can maintain its character and purpose if it has what amounts to open borders. A common language is lost, there are fewer incentives to assimilate and immigrants can bring with them their own agendas and objectives. The hyphenating of various ethnic groups is proof enough that they seem to be less willing to be called simply Americans."

—Cal Thomas

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## PRESIDENT'S CORNER

### UNHAPPY

*K.L. Jamison*

The President and a bare majority of congress are on our side. The Governor and legislature are on our side. I should be happy. I am not. I look around our meetings and see the same old faces. These are faces that have done a great deal for the movement. Young people do not remember a time when we did not have concealed carry. They do not remember a time when attacks on our rights died in the legislative committee if they even received a hearing. The old faces should be congratulated for their accomplishments.

But politics moves in cycles. The next election could bring threats to power. We will need young members to strengthen our ranks. Woman and minority activists are hard for the opposition to dismiss—it makes them feel racist.

I'm an old white guy; often dismissed as "cis-gendered," The term seems vague and insulting. I am a decent teacher and can train our new not "cis-gendered" members how to speak, organize and debate.

It is not as hard as it seems. If an old "cis-gendered" man can do it, so can they. The old faces can recruit. Young people, women, minorities anyone you meet on the range is a candidate for recruitment.

I thank-you for the honor of being your president.

## A CHEAP LEGAL MEMO

### EXECUTIVE ORDER

*K. L. Jamison*

President Trump has issued a number of executive orders in his first month. One of these orders is for us. On 7 February, 2025 the President issued an order that the Attorney General review agency restrictions, policies, plans, international agreements that restrict our gun rights. And the list is extensive. The Attorney General is to do this within thirty days.

So, what happens in thirty days? I fear nothing. When President Trump was first elected I remember President Truman's remark on the election of President Eisenhower, "Poor Ike, he'll give an order, nothing will happen, and he'll never know why." President Truman underestimated the General's political experience with Churchill, de Gaulle, Patton and Montgomery. His administration may have surprised President Truman. President Trump surprised me in his first term. His second term has shown that he learned from his first term and is aggressive.

Attorney General Bondi has a reputation for not being completely on our side. Thirty days is a short fuse for a project of this magnitude. President Trump has pushed for rapid action on his policies. We will get a list of actions which violate our rights. It may not be in thirty days. Then there will be the task of removing these policies and actions. That will be the real problem.

The executive order specifically does not give us any rights or defenses. It does not stop any federal policies, regulations or actions. It shows that President Trump is looking for a path to restore our rights.

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## WE HAVE A WINNER!

The Drawing for the Smith & Wesson Pistol Calibre Carbine was held at the February RK Gun Show. The winner of the S&W 9mm carbine is Rex Bollinger of Rock Port MO. He has been notified and is making plans to collect his winnings.



## LIBERTY NOTES

*By Kevin L. Jamison*

It is a good day for Liberty.

A man in Mississippi beat a machine gun charge under the Bruen decision. He joins a person in Kansas who also beat a machine gun charge. What does this mean for us? Nothing. Both decisions were based on “as applied” to the defendant. They have no precedential value. What was it about these defendants that made the charges unconstitutional as applied to them? I don’t know. I would not count on having the same luck. These cases seem to indicate a change in attitude toward machine gun possession, but they do not. The recent decision has the judge stating that revolvers are dangerous, semi-automatic firearms are very dangerous and machine guns are extremely dangerous. The judge went on at great length that the *Bruen* decision was wrongly decided and that a better standard was a balancing of deadly guns and public safety. That was the standard we used before and the Second Amendment always lost. He openly asked to be overturned by appellate courts. He is trying to provoke a reduction of our rights.

I saw the movie Reagan about the ex-president. It occurred to me that no one had spoken so bluntly, until President Trump. Perhaps telling the American people the truth is a good thing.

The 4473 to buy a gun asks if the buyer is a user of marijuana. A “yes” answer will kill the sale. Marijuana is legal in Missouri. The federal government considers it a “controlled substance.” It is against federal law for a “user” of controlled substances to possess firearms. One does not have to be an addict, just a user. If one has a medical marijuana card that prevents the person from buying or possessing firearms. If found with marijuana and a gun in Missouri state authorities cannot file charges. It is possible that federal authorities could but I have not heard of it happening. There is an effort to remove marijuana as a bar to gun ownership. It has not happened yet. If you lie on the 4473, it is a crime.

There is an excellent article in the recent Concealed Carry magazine on how to handle vicious dogs. Another article concerns having a gun on an Indian Reservation. Indian Reservations are foreign countries for the purpose of firearm possession. The Indian Nation statutes cited are very restrictive. The rules change from Reservation to Reservation. Indian laws apply to non-Indians when they are on the Reservation. State and Federal highways cross Reservations. It is unwise to cross the Reservation with a gun.

We had a foot of snow in January. After weeks of warm weather some snow remained. In the same way anti-Trump bureaucrats still hold power. After numerous courts have overturned ATF’s gunbrace ban the agency continues to prosecute them as short barreled rifles. I cannot advise investing in braces until this policy is destroyed by the courts.

Anti-gun rights activist David Hogg is now Vice Chair of the national Democratic Party. The position pays \$100,000 a year. The young man also has a political action committee which pays him \$175,000 a year. The young man is using the Democratic mailing list to raise money for his political action committee. He has political ambitions. He thinks that the Party should push the same message it did in 2024 election only more extreme and better. I know I feel better.

At a recent hockey game the Canadians booed the American National Anthem. The Canadians have a reputation for being hospitable; but the two times we invaded them they shot back. There was a third invasion about 1835 by Americans and Canadian dissidents. They shot at that one too. Canada sent a raiding party to the American side to destroy a ship supplying the rebels. In the course of the raid they shot one American. Sometime later a Canadian militiaman crossed into America and boasted of firing that shot. The local prosecutor filed a sixteen count indictment charging the militiaman with murder; described in a variety of ways. At trial it was demonstrated that the militiaman was not on the raid and lied when he claimed that he was. It is important to tell the truth. The case made international law about raiding rebel bases in other countries.

Rally Day will be 15 April, 2025. This year it will begin at 1 PM until 3 PM in the Rotunda of the Capital building in Jefferson City. This will be tax day so it will be easy to remember. We want them to pass a new version of the Second Amendment Preservation Act. The federal courts took it away from us on the grounds that it purported to nullify federal law. The new version only prohibits using state resources to enforce new federal restrictions which do not have an equivalent under Missouri law. We also want to pass the public transportation bill to allow persons with a concealed carry license to carry on public transportation. We have come close to passing this bill for several years. In the past something else has been more important for the legislature’s time. We have proved that we are important. We are due. There are also “red flag” and other restrictions to fight. The only way for evil to triumph is for good people to do nothing.

"The Founding Fathers knew a government can't control the economy without controlling people. And they knew when a government sets out to do that, it must use force and coercion to achieve its purpose. So we have come to a time for choosing."

-- Ronald Reagan

"After a shooting spree, they always want to take the guns away from the people who didn't do it. I sure as hell wouldn't want to live in a society where the only people allowed guns are the police and the military."

—William S. Burroughs



### Witness shoots and kills St. Charles QuikTrip robbery suspect

The St. Charles Police Department says a 26-year-old man from St. Louis City on a violent crime spree was shot and killed by another man who was witnessing an armed robbery in progress at the QuikTrip located at 2260 First Capitol Drive. Police say the crime spree began around 3 a.m. Saturday morning with an armed robbery at Mobile On The Run located at 1401 S. Fifth Street. The suspect held a knife to the 43-year-old female clerk's throat while she opened the cash register. The suspect then pushed her to the floor, stole the money from the register, and then dragged her to the back of the store asking where the safe was.

The clerk wasn't able to access the safe and the suspect dragged her back to the front counter where she opened a second register in attempt to stop the assault on her. After going through the second register the suspect fled the store in a black SUV. The clerk suffered lacerations from the knife to her left wrist, right hand, and neck. She was taken to an area hospital with non-life-threatening injuries.

While police officers were on the way to that armed robbery at the Mobile On The Run, a call for an alarm sounding at Mid-Town Phillips 66 located at 524 First Capitol came in around 3:15 a.m. When officers arrived, they found broken glass indicating a burglary had just taken place.

As officers were investigating that burglary, another report of an armed robbery came in just a few minutes later, at 3:20 a.m. at the QuikTrip located at 2260 First Capitol. There was a report of shots fired. When officers arrived, they found the suspect had been shot by a citizen during the armed robbery. The suspect was taken to a hospital where he was pronounced dead.

The witness who shot the suspect told police he had stopped at QuikTrip, used the restroom and made a purchase. The witness was walking back to his vehicle parked in front of the store when he saw a black SUV drive into the parking lot abruptly and stop directly in front of the door without pulling into a parking space. The witness saw the suspect who was carrying a backpack run into the QuikTrip and turn toward the coffee pot area where the 26-year-old female clerk was standing. The suspect dragged the clerk toward the front counter while she was screaming. The witness saw the suspect holding a knife to her throat.

The witness retrieved his 9mm handgun, entered the store and confronted the suspect. The suspect grabbed his backpack and told the witness, "I have something for you." The suspect then came from around the counter and approached the witness who then fired several times at the suspect. The suspect fell to the floor. The witness and clerk were not harmed, and both called 911.

Investigators have determined that the suspect SUV, a black 2013 Toyota Highlander had been reported stolen in an armed robbery on July 15 from the 13500 block of Riverport in Maryland Heights. Items believed to have been stolen from the burglary at Mid-Town Phillips 66 were found inside the SUV.

The suspect's identity is not being released at this time.

### VICTORY IN SAF-FUNDED CASE CHALLENGING ILLINOIS FOID MANDATE

A Circuit Court judge in Illinois has struck down the state's requirement to have a Firearm Owner Identification (FOID) card to possess a firearm in the home for personal protection in a case supported by the Second Amendment Foundation and Illinois State Rifle Association.

The case is known as *State of Illinois v. Vivian Claudine Brown*. Ms. Brown is represented by attorney David Sigale of Lombard, Ill.

In his 15-page decision, White County Resident Circuit Judge T. Scott Webb observed, "The Defendant's possession of a .22 caliber rifle within the confines of her home, even without a valid FOID card falls squarely within the protections afforded her by the Second Amendment.

"If an intruder had entered Ms. Brown's home," Judge Webb added, "and threatened violence towards her and, God forbid, she was forced to use that .22 rifle to defend herself, she would have committed a class A misdemeanor carrying with it a possible penalty of up to 364 days in the county jail. She could claim self-defense, but that does not change the fact that she possessed a firearm without a valid FOID Card. Such an outcome is asinine especially in this great nation that so cherishes the right to be secure and defend oneself within the home."

"This is an important ruling in a case that has been up and down the Illinois judicial ladder a couple of times already," noted SAF founder and Executive Vice President Alan M. Gottlieb. "We expect the state to appeal again, which could put the case right back before the Illinois Supreme Court for the third time, and we are confident we will win. It's hard to see how the Illinois Supreme Court avoids the constitutional issue, as they have done on the previous two visits."

"Today's decision reflects a correct application of Supreme Court precedent to unconstitutional restrictions on the rights to keep and bear arms," said SAF Executive Director Adam Kraut. "Illinois' FOID card poses an untenable barrier to the exercise of Second Amendment rights in one's home as the court correctly identified. Determining the FOID card to be an unconstitutional obstacle to firearms ownership and possession in one's home was the only logical result."

"Our friends in the other party will never forgive us for our success, and are doing everything in their power to rewrite history."

—Ronald Reagan



### The Hard Part of Armed Defense

I wrote about this **story earlier**. Now we **know a little more** after the defender spoke to local reporters. A mom with two kids was attacked in her home at night. She announced to the robbers that she was there. She shouted that she was armed. The robbers shot at her about a half-dozen times and wounded her twice. She was wounded as she held her infant daughter on her hip. She shot back and retreated. She huddled in her bedroom as she was protecting her two small children. The wounded mom begged the robbers to leave. Eventually, they did, but not before they shot at her home 30 times.

One of the robbers was wounded. All three were arrested. This is what we can learn.

Bad guys avoid a fair fight. If they responded to fairness and justice, then they wouldn't have broken into your home in the first place. Your priority is to be there so you can take care of your children when this is over. You want to avoid being shot, and even being shot at. You definitely want to avoid facing multiple attackers at the same time. The sooner your attackers can't hurt you the less shot you'll get.

You don't have to announce that you are home. You don't have to announce that you have a gun. You don't have to say anything to three men who broke into your home in the middle of the night. This isn't an old-time radio drama. This isn't a movie where the good guys and bad guys give a monologue before the fight scene. You don't have to shoot the bad guy from the front or from a position where they can see you at all.

For example, it is hard to get shot if you're shooting from the back of a dark bedroom and the bad guys are standing in a lighted hallway. Consider that situation for a moment. Some people think that a gunfight is won by the person who draws and shoots the fastest. That tells me you have been watching too many late-night westerns. The person who wins is usually the person with a better plan.

#### **The hard part of self-defense is being ready for a serious but unlikely event.**

Notice that the bad guys had to break into this home because the doors and windows were locked. They made noise. That noise alerted the mom and gave her time to react. She called her partner on the phone and then grabbed their gun.

You want to know when you can legally use lethal force to defend yourself. Study that enough so that you recognize a situation rather than having to think it through as it unfolds. Learn if you can shoot a stranger who breaks down your bedroom door in the middle of the night. Knowing what you can and should do makes you faster.

Practice a safety plan with your family. There are good plans and bad plans. Avoid a plan that puts you in a gunfight where bullets are going both ways. Don't stand in the middle of your hallway and talk to people who broke into your home. Your children will be less frightened if they have rehearsed the family safety plan with you several times.

Let us imagine a very different encounter than this news story. This defender would have a huge advantage if-

- **her children were under her bed,**
- **she was crouched down behind the bed,**
- **she had her gun pointed at her locked bedroom door,**
- **and 911 was on the phone.**

How would your safety plan make you and your family safer?

This mom did a lot of things right. She and her child are also lucky to be alive. She was shot twice while she had a child in her arms and either shot was a few inches from being a fatal wound. This was the first time she had held a firearm. Give yourself every advantage so you survive even if you don't have luck on your side. Practice with your defensive tools before you need them.

As a final aside, the robbers broke into her home looking for drugs and money. Lose your roommates who have a drug problem.. and then change the locks.

### One of the Worst Things ATF Has Ever Done

Not one of the guns or gun parts the ATF seized from former sailor Patrick Tate Adamiak was illegal. Not a single gun or gun part required any additional paperwork beyond a Form 4473, and most didn't even require that. Adamiak was always extremely careful and did absolutely nothing wrong.

Every single item that the ATF seized from Adamiak's home is still sold to anyone who wants one. Most don't even require an FFL for the transfer since they're not even firearms but are instead legal gun parts.

So, why is Adamiak serving 20 years in a federal prison? Quite frankly, it's because the ATF screwed up and would rather incarcerate a completely innocent man than look foolish for believing the lies their informant – who was working off real criminal charges – told them.

This, folks, is as bad as law enforcement can get. The ATF is a sick joke and should be shuttered permanently, because ATF agents would rather charge a completely innocent man with bogus federal felonies and lie under oath than admit that they screwed up.

And lie under oath the ATF certainly did, none more so than ATF Firearms Enforcement Officer Jeffrey Bodell.

Bodell's incredible deceptions have become almost legendary. He actually turned toys into firearms and legal semi-autos into machineguns.

- Bodell inserted a real STEN action and a real STEN barrel into Adamiak's toy STEN submachinegun and got it to fire one round, even though the toy's receiver wouldn't accept a real STEN magazine. Bodell actually classified the toy, which is very popular, as a machinegun.

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- Bodell fired five of Adamiak's very expensive and extremely collectible legal semi-autos, which fire from an open bolt. All the ATF technician could achieve was semi-auto fire, but that didn't stop him. He classified all five highly sought after firearms as machineguns.
- Bodell ruled that several receivers that had been cut in half were actually machineguns. The same receivers are still legally sold online and do not require an FFL or any paperwork.
- Bodell actually rebuilt three inert RPGs, which had holes drilled into their receivers and were stripped of internal parts. ATF's "expert" added parts from real RPGs until they would fire a single subcaliber 7.62x39mm round. As a result, he classified the RPGs as destructive devices.

### ATF must be ended

Last week, 30 U.S. Senators sent a letter to the ATF, which sought to align the agency with President Donald Trump's Second Amendment agenda.

The lawmakers took issue with several ATF rules involving pistol braces, "ghost guns," and its zero-tolerance policy. "We urge you to immediately align ATF's rules and policies with the President's strong support for the Second Amendment," the Senators wrote. "Under former President Joe Biden, ATF adopted numerous policies and rules that infringed upon Americans' Second Amendment protections. President Trump's Executive Order directs Attorney General Pam Bondi to review and develop a plan of action regarding President Biden's unlawful firearms regulations. We ask that you work with the Attorney General to quickly identify and rescind these policies."

Behind their office closed doors, I'm pretty sure that senior ATF officials laughed at the Senators' requests. In fact, they're probably still laughing. After all, the ATF has become a criminal organization, which the Senators seemed willing to overlook. It's the only way the dirty agency can remain in power.

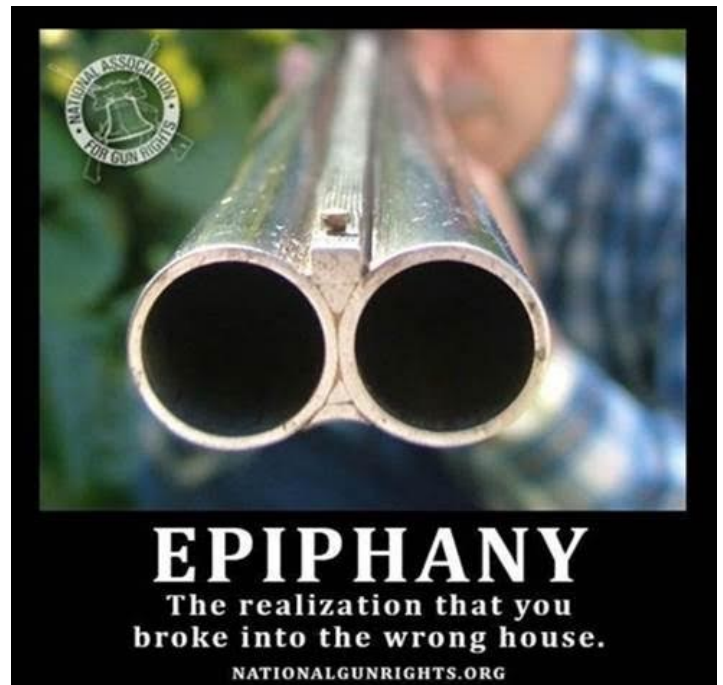
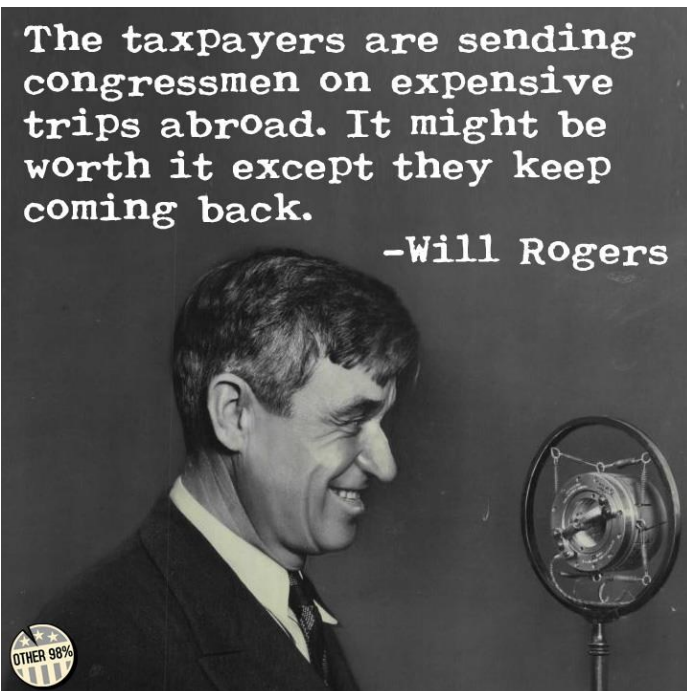
Look at the lengths they took to prosecute Adamiak – an innocent E-6 sailor who would now be leading a Navy special warfare platoon if one of ATF's mindless snitches had chosen someone else to hamper and harass, like an actual criminal.

To be clear, the actions that ATF agents took in Adamiak's case are criminal in nature, and everyone involved who had a federal badge in their billfold should be fired and charged with a host of federal crimes.

Adamiak certainly isn't alone. ATF has made a habit of bad searches with horrible results. Ask Russell Fincher, a high school history teacher, Baptist minister and part-time gun dealer whom the ATF targeted with excessive force. Ask Mark Manley and his family, who were victimized by an early morning search warrant by more than a dozen heavily armed ATF agents who lobbed flashbang grenades at his children. Or ask Brian Malinowski's widow if you still need more proof.

Unfortunately, the ATF learned the wrong lessons from these illegal forced entries, which is unfortunate for those of us who do not want to get shot in the middle of the night by their agents. The ATF decided that they must come up with some type of criminal charges after they kick open a door. That's why they charged Adamiak with a host of made-up crimes. I mean, ATF rebuilt a toy gun and DEWAT RPGs to make their case against an innocent man. Is there anything they won't do?

In my humble opinion, President Trump should not worry about who he will appoint as the next ATF director. Instead, he should only concern himself about closing the ATF's doors for good. Ask Patrick Tate Adamiak if you need any more information about that.



*There ought to be one day -- just one -- when there is open season on senators. -- Will Rogers*





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