

2018 ISAA Legislative Candidate Survey

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1. "Constitutional Carry" was passed during the 2016 Idaho legislative session. However, some elements of a full Constitutional Carry bill were left out of the 2016 version. Despite the fact that current non-residents can carry their shotguns and rifles anywhere in the state without a permit, and despite the fact that the same non-residents can carry their handguns outside of city limits without a permit, they can't carry their handguns inside city limits without a permit. This makes our law confusing for residents, non-residents, and law enforcement.

Will you support Constitutional Carry legislation which will extend Constitutional Carry to include city limits for all adults over the age of 21, regardless of their status as an Idaho resident or not?

Sponsor _____ Co-Sponsor _____ No _____

2. Idaho's current Stand-Your-Ground law has several major loopholes that make self-defense risky. For instance, despite our laws saying you have no "duty to retreat," a prosecutor and judge can introduce evidence that a "reasonable" person would have done something different than you, and they can convince a jury that you should have run away. Additionally, Idaho's Stand-Your-Ground law contains no solid Presumption of Innocence without qualifiers, and contains no Criminal Immunity that is crucial to preventing anti-gun politicians from prosecuting you for acting in self-defense.

Will you support legislation that would strengthen Idaho's existing Stand-Your-Ground and Castle Doctrine laws to include closing the Stand-Your-Ground

loophole, adding an unqualified Presumption of Innocence, and adding Criminal Immunity?

Sponsor _____ Cosponsor _____ No _____

3. Idaho's "Campus Carry" law is extremely restrictive, and power is given to the university boards to regulate the carrying of concealed firearms on public university campuses.

a. Will you support legislation to remove the power of public universities to regulate the carrying of concealed firearms on campus, and return the power to the legislature?

Sponsor _____ Cosponsor _____ No _____

4. Idaho's preemption statute currently prohibits lower Idaho government entities from enacting rules and regulations which restrict Second Amendment rights. It prohibits them from regulating the possession, transfer, and all other aspects of firearms and ammunition. However, no penalties exist for governmental entities, or individual government officials who violate this important law knowingly and willfully.

Will you support a bill which would lay out penalties for governmental entities and individuals who knowingly and willingly violate the preemption statute?

Sponsor _____ Cosponsor _____ No _____

5. Will you oppose all methods of gun control, including those that the media calls "reasonable," such as laws that disallow those with simple misdemeanor convictions from owning and carrying guns, increasing the minimum age of those who carry guns for self-defense, new taxes on ammunition, and new ways to track guns and gun owners?

Yes _____ No _____

6. Do you oppose legislation banning the manufacture, sale or possession of semi-automatic firearms and/or large-capacity magazines, recognizing that these restrictions do nothing to stop crime but only serve to harass gun owners?

Yes _____ No _____

7. Will you oppose legislation to implement "Universal Background Checks" which force law-abiding citizens to go through government mandated background checks when even selling firearms to their own family members, friends, or acquaintances?

Yes _____ No _____

8. Current Idaho laws says that people that you must be 21-years-old to carry your firearm concealed without a permit. Will you support legislation that lowers the age limit to carry a firearm without a permit to 18-years-old?

Yes _____ No _____