

SB 347 - After Newtown is

	Sandy Hook - 2012 29 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 27 Victims Dead
	Clackamas - 2012 4 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 2 Victims Dead
	Aurora - 2012 70 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 12 Victims Dead
	Oikos University - 2012 10 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 7 Victims Dead
	Ft. Hood - 2009 43 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 13 Victims Dead
	Northern Illinois University - 2008 23 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 5 Victims Dead
	Virginia Tech - 2007 50 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 32 Victims Dead
	Red Lake High School - 2005 15 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 9 Victims Dead
	Santana High School - 2001 15 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 2 Victims Dead
	Columbine - 1999 36 Shot in a Gun-Free Zone 13 Victims Dead

ONLY ONE OF THE MEN ON THIS PAGE IS STOPPED BY A "GUN-FREE ZONE"

Ask any police officer or county sheriff who is able to speak freely, and you will hear them admit that they support concealed carry of firearms by responsible law-abiding citizens. But why?

As first responders, they know that law enforcement is rarely able to respond in time to stop an active shooting once it has begun. In most cases, the killing does not end until the shooter commits suicide or a civilian intercedes.

They also know that in most states, citizens obtaining concealed carry permits are required to undergo training, fingerprinting, and an extensive background check prior to being issued a permit to carry by their local agency. They know that these citizens are their allies, not their opponents.

Now ask your legislators: How many more people must die in order to prop up the farce of "gun-free" zones? Why are we continuing to restrict the locations that licensed law-abiding citizens can carry their concealed firearms?

We must admit to the uncomfortable truth that once the shooting has begun, the expedient use of deadly force upon the killer is the only remedy to save lives.

END "GUN-FREE" ZONES
SUPPORT NATIONAL CONCEALED CARRY



antithetical to common sense.