



DISCUSSION ITEM

Agenda Item # 8

PUBLIC CORRESPONDENCE

Meeting Date: April 27, 2021



Subject: Safe Firearm Storage

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From: [Jonathan Weinberg](#)
To: [Public Comment](#)
Subject: FW: Please support Safe Firearm Storage Ordinance for Los Altos - Item #8, 4/27/21
Date: Saturday, April 24, 2021 2:19:01 PM

 
Sent: Saturday, April 24, 2021 11:38 AM

To: [Neysa Fligor](#); [Anita Enander](#); [Lynette Lee Eng](#); [Sally Meadows](#); [Jonathan Weinberg](#); [Cindy Sidaris](#)

Subject: Please support Safe Firearm Storage Ordinance for Los Altos - Item #8, 4/27/21

To: Los Altos City Council:

Mayor Fligor, Vice Mayor Enander, Councilmembers Lee Eng, Meadows, Weinberg

Re: Safe Firearm Storage Ordinance Proposal (April 27, 2021, Item #8)

I'm writing to strongly urge you to vote "YES" to implement the Safe Firearm Storage Ordinance proposed by Councilmember Weinberg. The list of nearby cities that have enacted such an ordinance shows that our city is remiss in not having such an ordinance. Ever-increasing gun violence, increasing prevalence of guns, and ongoing accidental gun deaths make it ever more important to enact this ordinance. This ordinance does not infringe on anyone's right to own guns and properly places the responsibility on gun owners to safely store their guns and ammunition.

I strongly urge you to vote to enact this ordinance. Opposition to this ordinance (as is or slightly modified) is irresponsible and dangerous.

Thank you,
Cindy Sidaris, Los Altos resident

From: [Jonathan Weinberg](#)
To: [Public Comment](#)
Subject: FW: Please pass Safe Storage in Los Altos
Date: Monday, April 26, 2021 8:55:42 AM

 
Sent: Monday, April 26, 2021 7:09 AM

To: [Neysa Fligor](#); [Anita Enander](#); [Lynette Lee Eng](#); [Sally Meadows](#); [Jonathan Weinberg](#)

Subject: Please pass Safe Storage in Los Altos

Dear Mayor and City Council of Los Altos,

I hope I am only one of an overwhelming number of local residents asking you to pass a Safe Storage of Firearms ordinance in Los Altos. This will save lives and reject the false equation of "freedom" and unfettered gun violence that has been so disastrous to America for the last thirty years (and is getting worse).

Sincerely,
Don Veith

From: [Jonathan Weinberg](#)
To: [Public Comment](#)
Subject: FW: Safe firearm storage in the home ordinance
Date: Monday, April 26, 2021 2:44:53 PM

From: [REDACTED]
Sent: Monday, April 26, 2021 2:39 PM
To: [Neysa Fligor](#); [Anita Enander](#); [Lynette Lee Eng](#); [Sally Meadows](#); [Jonathan Weinberg](#)
Subject: Safe firearm storage in the home ordinance

Dear Mayor Fligor, Vice Mayor Enander and Councilmembers Eng, Weinberg and Meadows,
I am writing to strongly support the adoption of the Safe firearms storage in the home ordinance. I feel this is a sensible approach to improving gun safety in our community. As a 40 year resident of Los Altos I hope you will consider this input to our city's agenda this week. Thank you, Sincerely,
Rona Giffard