



STAFF REPORT ON PROPOSED LEGISLATION

To: Mayor Gavin Buckley

From: David Jarrell, City Manager

Date: February 5, 2022

Subject: R-8-22, Public Safety – Distribution of Literature to Purchasers of Guns or Ammunition

This Resolution expresses the City Council's support of Anne Arundel County Bill No. 108-21. This proposed bill requires the Anne Arundel County Health Department to prepare literature related to gun safety and training, suicide prevention, mental health, and conflict resolution. These materials would then be distributed to establishments that sell guns and/or ammunition. These establishments would be required to make the materials visible and available at the point of sale, as well as distributing the materials to purchasers of guns and/or ammunition. To ensure compliance with the County bill, the Health Department would be able to issue citations to establishments that violate the requirements of the bill.

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