



OVER 900 NEW YORKERS ARE KILLED  
BY GUN VIOLENCE EACH YEAR.  
ENOUGH IS ENOUGH.

October 11, 2018

Mr. Joseph J. Popcun  
Office of Governor Andrew M. Cuomo  
State Capital, Albany, NY 12224

Dear Mr. Popcun:

We write on behalf of the Village Independent Democrats' Gun Reform Committee to congratulate Governor Cuomo on his recent primary win and to express our appreciation for the Governor's campaign promises to pass common sense gun reform legislation. We followed his state-wide bus tour to pass the Red Flag Gun Protection Bill, we cheered on his promise when accepting the Democratic Party's nomination for governor to raise the age to purchase firearms to 21, we received many of his advertisements demanding a bumpstock ban on social media, and we have supported his proposed legislation to outlaw the private production of 3D-printed and ghost guns.

These promises are clearly issues about which New York voters care deeply. You may recall receiving over 1,300 postcards from us before the close of the previous legislative session, each of which was signed by a concerned New York voter urging the sensible gun reform. We gathered nearly all of these signatures *in less than two hours*.

We are committed to continuing our work with voters towards gun reform—reform which is vital to the safety of all New Yorkers—and remain eager to see Governor Cuomo carry through on his campaign promises following his upcoming victory.

Sincerely yours,

The Village Independent Democrats'  
Gun Reform Committee