

PETITION REQUESTING THE HAYWOOD COUNTY COMMISSION DECLARE  
HAYWOOD COUNTY NORTH CAROLINA A SECOND AMENDMENT SANCTUARY

We the undersigned attest:

1. That the right to keep and bear arms is a natural right, granted not by government but by God, and confirmed and guaranteed by the Second Amendment to the Constitution.
2. That we understand that the Founders of our great country recognized the right to keep and bear arms as an invaluable deterrent to government tyranny.
3. That we understand that without an armed citizenry, there can be no well regulated militia.
4. That we understand that we are individually first and foremost responsible for the defense and safety of ourselves and our families.
5. That laws restricting the ownership, carriage, and use of firearms only restrict the activities of the law abiding, with little or no effect on criminal activity.
6. That we recognize that cities and states with the most restrictive firearms laws also tend to have the highest rates of gun violence.

We the undersigned therefore request:

- A) That the Haywood County Commission pass a resolution declaring that Haywood County is a Second Amendment Sanctuary.
- B) That the above mentioned resolution state that no county resources be used to enforce laws enacted at any level of government restricting ownership, carriage, and/or use of firearms by law abiding citizens that are passed after the date of such resolution.

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