

THE CRAWFORD COUNTY REPUBLICAN PARTY ISSUES THE FOLLOWING

CALL TO ACTION

The problem: Although our right to bear arms is unequivocally protected in both the U.S. and Michigan Constitutions, our Democrat controlled legislature has introduced eleven unconstitutional gun control bills in 2023. There is little doubt some version of these bills will become law and when that occurs, many currently law abiding Michigan citizens will become felons overnight.

The strategy: To make Crawford County a 2nd Amendment Sanctuary. Of the eighty three counties in Michigan fifty one have become 2A sanctuaries, where the local governments have publicly promised their citizens in the form of a resolution, that they will not enforce unconstitutional gun laws passed by either the state or federal governments. Passing such a resolution sends a clear message to those legislative bodies, that the citizens **will not** surrender their Rights.

The solution: The Crawford County Republican Party drafted a resolution declaring support for the 2nd Amendment. The resolution is posted at www.crawfordcountyrepublicans.org. Subsequently, citizens embarked on a campaign to convince the Crawford County Board of Commissioners to adopt a similar resolution. After two presentations, board discussion, and comments from the Sheriff, Commissioner Fredrick asked to have the resolution put on the agenda for the February 23, 2023 meeting. That request was ignored, and when she made a motion to add it to Unfinished Business at the meeting, not **one** other Commissioner present (Jamison, Jansen, McClain, and Lewis) would second the motion. Since then it has become clear that five of the seven Commissioners and our Acting Sheriff are not willing to publicly support the 2A rights of the citizens of this county, and protect them from unconstitutional laws being written in Lansing that will criminalize thousands of citizens to whom they have sworn that they will uphold and defend these rights.

Citizen's action is necessary to convince our **elected servants** to protect our rights. Our local elected officials do not understand that they have the lawful power and a duty to resist unconstitutional laws that will lead to the creation of a tyrannical government.

The CALL TO ACTION: We urge the Citizens of Crawford County to contact their elected representatives and express their support for a Crawford County a 2nd Amendment Sanctuary. **Please** do this in a CALM AND RESPECTFUL manner. This must be done as soon as possible to be effective.

The next Board of Commissioners meeting is at the county court house at 200 West Michigan Ave. Grayling, MI on March 9th at 10am. There is a time period for public comment at the beginning and end of the meeting. No weapons are allowed in the courthouse.

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