

Kansas Patriots



**for the 2nd
Amendment**

**A WELL REGULATED
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NECESSARY TO THE
SECURITY OF A FREE
STATE, THE RIGHT
OF THE PEOPLE TO
KEEP AND BEAR
ARMS, SHALL NOT BE
INFRINGED.**

**Kansas Legislators of today are
violating the expressed intent and
example set by our Founding Fathers:**

Kansas Gun Law, KSA 75-7c01 et. seq. will allow arms to be carried by individuals who, when armed, pose a direct threat to society and the Security of a Free State, including:

Convicted Criminals & the Mentally Ill

There exists no example from revolutionary times that any of our Founding Fathers considered criminals, the mentally ill or medicated patients to be members of a Well Regulated Militia and competent to bear arms... Sadly the gun laws in Kansas which have been pushed by well funded, extremist corporate interests lack common sense and are putting guns in the hands of many who should not have them.

In the 2008 Heller Decision, the Supreme Court Determined that the United States Constitution allows regulations prohibiting criminals and the mentally ill from firearm possession. That the Kansas Legislature is placing arms in the hands of convicted criminals and mentally ill makes no sense and is a threat to society as a whole.

**Help us keep Topeka in line with the
2nd Amendment
and the example set by our
Founding Fathers**

Good news:

A few **True Patriots** in the legislature like Representative Stephanie Clayton (R-Overland Park) have introduced House Bill HB 2074 which would modify the State's current gun law (KSA 75-7c etc.) to come into compliance with the letter and intent of our Founding Fathers' example and the 2nd Amendment.



Bad News:

Right now, corporate lobbying groups with lots of money are coercing legislators like Rep. John Barker, Chair of the House Federal and State Affairs Committee to hold up HB 2074 and not even work the bill or hold a vote.

During the public hearing on HB 2074, Moms, Dads, gun-owners, military weapons specialists, researchers, teachers, engineers, professors, medical doctors and students spoke out 10:1 in favor of bringing Kansas gun laws into compliance with our Founding Fathers' strong beliefs by passing HB 2074. The only ones who spoke against HB 2074 were almost all industry lobbyists.

What can YOU do?

Call, visit, talk with Rep. Barker and let him know that the People of Kansas need common sense gun laws and Must comply with the will and example set by our Founding Fathers by passing HB 2074.

**Kansas Legislators of Today
are also violating our Founding
Fathers' intent and interpretation
of the 2nd Amendment by placing
guns on college campuses:**

In 1824, James Madison and Thomas Jefferson were members of the Board of Visitors of the University of Virginia (equivalent to our Kansas Board of Regents).

On October 4, the six-man Board issued rules against keeping and using weapons or arms of any kind anywhere on campus or in its environs.

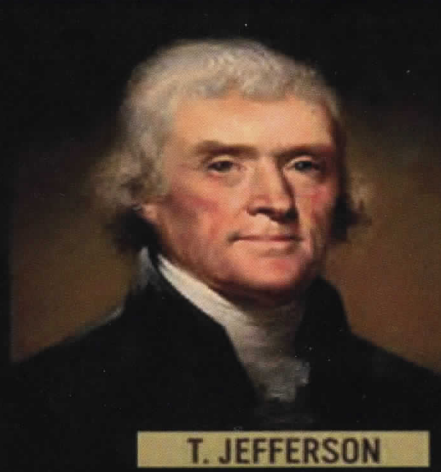
Madison and Jefferson did not assume that the ban alone would suffice, so they also ordered that students who drew lethal weapons were liable for "instant expulsion" from the university.

Students then were trained in the use of firearms; indeed, military drill was mandatory. Even so, they were not permitted to keep their own weapons on campus or in their private dwellings. When they reported for military drill, the students were issued "substitutes in the form of arms," and collected immediately afterwards and kept in locked storage.

James Madison was the primary author of the Constitution, and Thomas Jefferson was the most vigorous defender of individual liberties among the Founding Fathers. They held that prohibiting firearms on university campuses was sensible, Constitutional, and necessary for the proper functioning of the institution itself.

Kansas' gun laws of today flagrantly violate the expressed will of our Founding Fathers.

**"No Student shall, within the
precincts of the University... keep
or use weapons or arms of any kind"**



T. JEFFERSON



J. MADISON

**Meeting Minutes of University of Virginia Board
of Visitors, 4 October 1824**

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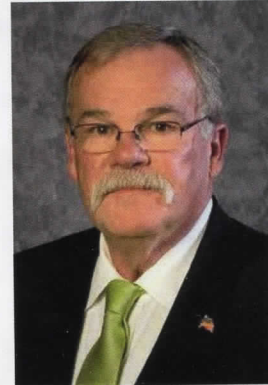
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**Help Rep. Barker resist corporate lobbyist\$
who have pushed irresponsible gun laws.
Call him today 296-7674 and ask him to pass HB 2074**



**Help counter the corrupting influence of
corporate dollars.**

Contact Rep. John Barker and let him know that people all across Kansas need him to help bring Topeka in line with our Founding Fathers' 2nd Amendment by passing HB 2074.

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