Hello,

I am emailing you about Ohio HB 228. I stand firmly in support of this bill and believe that my ability to defend myself should not be limited in any place I am legally allowed to be.

I am 28 currently, I say that because I want you to know that this is not an issue that only my parents generation cares for. Requiring a law abiding citizen to retreat in the face of a criminal who is on the offensive is very difficult for me to accept and comprehend why that would be the law

A criminal who advances on an innocent person with a threat of death or serious bodily harm should not have "the right of way" so to speak. They should know that if they assault a citizen they will be met with a legal and potentially dead force, and that the law will stand firmly behind the law abiding citizen in every way. No victim of violent crime should have to think through a dozen legal scenarios while their life and liberty is under threat.

Thank you for considering my input on the matter. I am a firm supporter of the second amendment and will show that support at the ballot box every opportunity I have.

Sincerely, Nicholas Zeiler