



# Ohio Gun Owners 2018 Gubernatorial Candidate Survey

Candidate Survey for Mike DeWine seeking election to the office of Governor  
in the 2018 Election Cycle as a member of the Republican Party.

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- 1. If elected governor, would you sign into law legislation to implement no-permit necessary, “Constitutional Carry,” which would allow law-abiding citizens to carry firearms concealed for self-defense, without a government-issued permit or training card?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 2. If elected governor, would you sign into law “Stand-Your-Ground” legislation strengthening Ohio’s self-defense laws by restoring the duty to disprove a self-defense claim to the prosecution, creating an enactment clause, eliminating the so-called “duty-to-retreat,” and allowing the use or threatened use of deadly force if an individual is attacked in a place they have a lawful right to be?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 3. If elected, would you sign into law a bill to render unconstitutional federal gun controls unenforceable in the state of Ohio, with strong enforcement provisions, such as the Firearms Protection Act?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 4. If elected, would you veto legislation to limit the sale, manufacture, importation, or possession of rifles, shotguns or handguns (including semi-automatic firearms); or magazines with certain arbitrary capacity limits?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 5. If elected, would you sign into law legislation to eliminate restrictions on law-abiding gun owners from carrying a firearm in certain so-called “Gun-Free” areas, otherwise known as “Criminal Safe Zones?”**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_
- 6. If elected, would you sign into law legislation to allow law-abiding and legally eligible citizens -- including**

students -- to carry concealed on state-run college and university campuses?

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

7. **If elected, would you veto legislation to restrict law-abiding citizens from privately selling firearms to other law-abiding citizens without requiring a Federal Firearms Licensee as an intermediary or a state or federal background check?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

8. **If elected, would you veto all so-called "mental-health" legislation that would deny law-abiding individuals their gun rights without due process through a court of law?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

9. **If elected, would you sign into law legislation to strengthen our state firearm preemption laws with stiff penalties for violations?**

Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

**\* Please Note: Failure to answer a question will be graded as an anti-gun answer.**

----- Candidate Authorization -----

My signature affirms that the answers given above accurately represent my beliefs as a candidate for the office of Ohio Governor in the 2018 election cycle.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate for Governor, Mike DeWine