#### Progress in Western New York

The US District Court in Western New York, which includes Chemung, Schuyler, Steuben and Yates counties, struck down the following three provisions of the SAFE Act:

- The seven-round limit has been rejected. Ten-round limits are now permissible.
- All provisions relating to the term "muzzle break" have been struck, as the term has been designated "too vague" having no accepted meaning.
- The terminology "version" of an automatic weapon was struck. The court held that an ordinary person would not be able to make a clear judgment on what constituted a version of an automatic weapon.

**Disclaimer:** This information and the SAFE Act are pending further legal action.



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# Important information regarding your 2<sup>nd</sup> Amendment Rights enclosed.



## MAKE YOUR VOICE HEARD

Visit Assemblyman Palmesano's website or official Facebook page to sign his online petition. You can also sign it here and mail the attached form to Phil's District Office at 105 E. Steuben St., Bath NY, 14810.

Dear Governor,

It's been over a year since the SAFE Act was forced through the legislature under the cover of darkness and without public input. Since then, multiple rallies have been held at the Capitol and around the state, with the largest of these drawing more than 10,000 people. An overwhelming majority of counties in New York have passed resolutions opposing the SAFE Act, and many sheriffs, county clerks, and others have voiced their opposition as well.

The SAFE Act does not keep guns out of the hands of criminals. Instead, it infringes upon the rights of law-abiding citizens who seek to protect their families and their homes.

I support Assemblyman Phil Palmesano who is co-sponsoring legislation to repeal the SAFE Act. The key to creating safer communities for our families is punishing criminals, not law-abiding citizens. "Repeal the SAFE Act, punish violent criminals, and leave law-abiding citizens alone!"

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"Please know that I remain committed to repealing the SAFE Act and defending your Second Amendment rights."

-Assemblyman Phil Palmesano

## Phil Palmesano's 2nd Amendment Report Card

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### COMMENTS:

"Phil Palmesano has been a stalwart advocate for the defense of the Second Amendment. He has demonstrated a consistent and unwavering commitment to protecting the constitutional rights

-Tom King, New York State Rifle and Pistol of New York's gun owners." Association President and NRA Board Member

"On behalf of the members of SCOPE, I would like to thank Assemblyman Palmesano for his steadfast defense of the Second Amendment..." -Stephen Alstadt, President, SCOPE

Bill Button (left) and John Prendergast (right) recognize Assemblyman Palmesano as the 2012 Yates County SCOPE Elected Official of the Year.





Phil meeting representatives from Yates County SCOPE in Albany.

Assemblyman Palmesano speaking against the SAFE Act on the Assembly Floor the day of the vote, January 15, 2013.



If you are a Second Amendment supporter, please consider getting involved with one of your local groups.

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Yates Cou	unty SCOPE Chapter:	315-781-2334
Steuben (	County Chapter Committee:	607-382-2351
Seneca C	County Chapter Committee:	607-793-1973
Schuyler (	County Chapter Committee:	607-857-3309
Chemung	g County Chapter Committee:	607-259-1149

#### **Standing Up For Your Second Amendment Rights**

Not only did Assemblyman Palmesano vote against the SAFE Act, he also cosponsors three Assembly Bills (A.5955, A.5608, A.6238) to fully repeal the SAFE Act.