

Senator Anne Carney, Representative Amy Kuhn and members of the Judiciary Committee.

My name is Margo Donnis. I live in South Portland. I am a retired Mainer.

I'm here to provide testimony in opposition to LD 424 (An Act Concerning the Concealed Carrying of a Handgun by an Individual Who Is 18 Years of Age but Under 21 Years of Age) and LD 829 (An Act to Standardize the Laws Regarding the Carrying of Concealed Handguns in State Parks). And LD 1049 (An Act to Eliminate the Duty to Inform a Law Enforcement Officer When Carrying a Concealed Handgun Without a Permit)

Everyone in this room had to go through a metal detector to attend this hearing. No one could've concealed a weapon. So we're free to talk and make decisions without fearing gun violence. Isn't this a privilege that other Mainers deserve?

I oppose changing concealed carry laws, and allowing concealed handguns in state parks. I want to protect policemen from individuals with concealed weapons. I'm hoping you can agree with me, and will oppose LD 424, LD 829 and LD 1049.