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It is absurd that this bill is even being brought up for discussion at this time. We should all be working together on ways to reduce the number of people being shot in our country and not creating more legal ways to get away with shooting someone!

Imagine if two strangers run into one another in the woods while hunting and start arguing. The first person to get "scared for their life" (which wouldn't take much legal proof if they're yelling and holding a firearm) can legally shoot and kill the other rather than attempting to de-escalate the situation by dis-engaging/walking away. In fact, this law would reward escalations of violence!

Please do not pass this law! There simply are not nearly enough cases to show a need for it and plenty of controversies surrounding legal cases in other states that passed similar Stand-Your-Ground measures.