

Dear Members of the Appropriations Committee,

I am writing to urge funding of *HB 6676, An Act Concerning Implementation of the Project Longevity Initiative on a State-Wide Basis*. This prevention program serves as a deterrent to violent crime in our cities. Gun violence is a leading public health issue in Connecticut and this program will save lives. I therefore urge you to approve funding of Project Longevity.

Respectfully,

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