

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3006
(Representatives Nehring, Karls, Magrum, Porter, Toman)
(Senator Anderson)

A concurrent resolution urging Congress and the President of the United States to protect the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution.

WHEREAS, the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution states in part "the right of the people to keep and bear arms shall not be infringed"; and

WHEREAS, Section 1, Article 1, of the Constitution of North Dakota includes similar language declaring it is an individual's inalienable right "to keep and bear arms for the defense of their person, family, property, and the state, and for lawful hunting, recreational, and other lawful purposes"; and

WHEREAS, the right of citizens to bear arms is a fundamental right that should be protected to the greatest degree possible; and

WHEREAS, the restriction on the possession of firearms, including the taxation or assessment of fees by the federal government on the purchase or possession of a firearm or ammunition, would violate the freedoms guaranteed in the Constitution;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly urges Congress and the President of the United States to protect the Second Amendment of the United States Constitution; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State forward copies of this resolution to the President of the United States and to each member of the North Dakota Congressional Delegation by certified mail.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate