

## Ariana Costa

---

**From:** Joseph Papa <josephpapa173@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Saturday, March 15, 2025 2:49 PM  
**To:** House Judiciary Committee  
**Subject:** To: Chairman Robert E. Craven RE: HB-5436 assault weapons ban 2025. Against passage

**Follow Up Flag:** Follow up  
**Flag Status:** Completed

Dear Chairman Robert E. Craven, house judiciary committee:

My name is Joseph Papa, a lifelong resident of RI, a law abiding citizen and a gun owner. I strongly oppose HB-5436, the assault weapons ban of 2025. This bill unfairly targets responsible and legal gun owners and will do nothing to address crime and will unfairly punish 10's of thousands of responsible citizens like me. I strongly urge you to vote against this overreaching legislation and protect our constitutional rights. Sincerely, Joseph Papa Sent from my iPhone