

# MargateNews.net Survey

Do you think that the Margate City Commission should have the power to enact firearms legislation?

Yes 28%

No 72%

For assault rifles, we don't hunt big game in Margate

The constitution of this great country should be the supreme law governing all. That is the **WHOLE** point of the constitution - to protect the people from tin-pot bodies enforcing rules over **THE PEOPLE**.

The power already lies with the people, and the legislation has already been enacted. The city of Margate is looking to obtain preferential treatment, via an exception that should not be allowed. To quote mayor Donovan: "Margate Mayor, Pam Donovan, said no gun law can keep an unreasonable person from discharging a gun in public or shooting someone if that's the intention." If she recognizes this to be a fact, why then would she and her ilk look to legislate an exemption that would preclude reasonable people from carrying in places where according to the current law they already can?

They should spend their time policing their own employees. Why are Margate workers hanging out at shopping centers in Coconut Creek during the work day?

Firearms legislation should be uniform throughout the state. It would be as silly as having different traffic regulations in every county of the state.

This is as dumb as them getting involved in the circus fiasco

The state should enact firearm legislation; otherwise the law could change from city to city. **NO ONE** needs a gun!!!!

The State law should be rejected as unconstitutional. It is a definite hindrance to local control. The law should take into consideration population, density, and crime statistics.

The Commission can regulate on Government property & any city property i.e. Parks, etc. that is under the jurisdiction or managed within the city limits. The police dept. has complete control when it comes firearm responsibility or to protect the public.

I do not trust the liberals that are in power to uphold the second amendment to the constitution of our nation. Usually, each city should have the ability to enact any legislation they deem necessary. Because the city leaders are "knee jerkers" they will not stand up to the pressure that will be exerted when they pass something that is not popular and the "people" (small minority) stand up and complain. So, read the Constitution and follow it and you will be happier with the results.

The new state law put the public in more harm's way. There needs to be more gun control instead of allowing guns to be carried wherever one desires.

Such laws **ALWAYS** impact **ONLY** law abiding citizens who have a **CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT** to carry (that's what the word **BEAR** means)! The **BAD GUYS** never heed these laws! Time to **GET REAL** on this issue.

State and federal law trumps city law. It always has and always will. This law comes very late after 20 years of flagrant violations by cities and counties. The Carlucci law will stand and Waldman is wasting everyone's time with grandstanding.

Firearm restrictions are virtually non-existent in Florida thanks to State Legislators...so it is then left to the cities and towns to rectify the State's **POOR** decision(s). The right to own firearms should always be protected, but not when it is manipulated in a way to provide artillery and automatic weapons to be sold openly. That is just plain stupid.

State level legislation is sufficient and uniform throughout Florida.