

THE 3RD ANNUAL
SPORTSMEN AND OUTDOOR
RECREATION LEGISLATIVE
AWARENESS DAY

ASSEMBLYMAN CHRIS FRIEND
URGES YOU TO
COME OUT IN SUPPORT OF
YOUR RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS

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– THEODORE ROOSEVELT



MARCH 20, 2012

At a time when your Second Amendment right to lawfully bear arms is threatened, Assemblyman Chris Friend and Assembly Minority Leader Brian Kolb would like you to attend.

OUTDOOR RECREATION FACTS

There are more than 1.2 million resident sportsmen in New York State.

Hunting, fishing and trapping activities contribute more than \$1.8 billion to our economy annually.

Snowmobiling is an over \$476 million industry for the state with over 130,000 registered snowmobiles on the trails each year.

1.9 million New York citizens participate in ATV recreation, which is economically vital to our upstate residents.

TOGETHER WE WILL STAND UP FOR
SPORTSMEN'S RIGHTS AND PROTECT THE
OUTDOOR HERITAGE WE ALL SHARE.



An avid outdoorsman,
Assemblyman Friend has vociferously protected and expanded New Yorkers' right to bear arms. Last year, he authored legislation to authorize permanent rifle hunting in Schuyler County and co-sponsored a bill for the same in Chemung County. He vigorously opposed the anti-constitutional microstamping measure that places costly requirements on manufacturers and restricts the rights of law-abiding citizens.

With the legal rights of responsible gun owners coming under constant attack, an event such as this is more important than ever. Come join Assemblyman Friend and other supporters of your Second Amendment rights at this special event in advocacy of common sense gun laws and other sportsmen's issues.

For more information or to RSVP to this special event, please feel free to contact Assemblyman Friend's district office at 607-562-3602.

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- Legislative Office Building, (South Swan and State Street, Albany, NY, "The Well")
- Tuesday, March 20, 2012, 9 am to noon
- Special Guest Speaker Wayne LaPierre, Executive Vice President of the NRA
- Numerous vendors and advocates of responsible firearm use from across the state scheduled to appear, including: S.C.O.P.E., Remington Arms, New York State Trappers Association, New York State 4-H Shooting Sports, and many more!

STAND UP FOR YOUR RIGHTS

Here are some ways to support gun owners' rights and outdoor activities in New York State:

KEEP INFORMED: Sign up for Sportsmen's Alerts today at one of our registration tables.

WRITE YOUR ELECTED OFFICIALS: Sending letters, faxes and e-mails to elected officials – at all levels of government – builds awareness for sportsmen's rights.

SEND LETTERS TO THE EDITOR: Letters to the editor are a highly effective way to share your views and publicly make the case for sportsmen's rights. Most daily and weekly newspapers welcome such letters.

CALL TALK RADIO: National, regional and local talk radio programs are a terrific way to ensure the voice of sportsmen – your voice – is heard loud and clear in the corridors of power.