

A Resolution on Assault Weapons

We propose that the following Assault Weapons Ban Resolution be made part of the Iowa _____ Party's Platform:

WHEREAS, military style, semiautomatic assault weapons represent an unreasonable risk to the nation's law enforcement personnel and the general public; and

WHEREAS, the current federal assault weapons ban is due to expire on September 13, 2004; and

WHEREAS, the failures of the current assault weapons ban are well known, allowing gun manufacturers to make minor modifications to their assault weapons, rename them, and market them as post-ban products;

THEREFORE, be it resolved that we, _____, support renewal of an improved assault weapons ban that effectively bans assault weapons from the civilian market.