

May 28, 2018  
Eric Babson  
babson@math.ucdavis.edu  
1094 Cragmont Avenue  
Berkeley CA, 94708

Dear Mr President:

I am concerned about gun violence. Mass shootings occur nearly daily and even in schools they have been happening with some regularity. While your first response was to suggest gun restrictions someone apparently talked you into advocating more guns in schools instead. While the idiocy of this is intuitively obvious, born out be several accidental shootings and consistent with previous research the years of the Dickey amendment have prevented us from having any new data. This has not fooled the students themselves who have been motivated to large protests. It has also not fooled the insurance companies asked to insure against having more guns in schools with districts finding armed teachers nearly impossible to insure. The President should be leading the country not following the few moneyed interests.

Please assure me that you will work to ban guns.

I am very proud to be a US resident and a large part of that derives from our safe society.

Sincerely,  
Eric Babson