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Re: H.R. 1236 (Carbajal) Support Tribal, State, Local efforts to Remove Access to

Firearms from Dangerous Individuals - SUPPORT

1432 Longworth House Office Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20515,

Dear Congressman Carbajal,

email: diana.villanueva@mail.house.gov

On behalf of the Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee (SBWPC) I am writing to express support for H.R.1236, which provides for removal of firearms from persons who are considered by family members or law enforcement to be a threat to themselves or others. Our organization is one of the largest women's political committees in Santa Barbara County, with well over 300 members. We advocate for a diverse set of positions (<a href="http://sbwpc.org/positions/">http://sbwpc.org/positions/</a>), and we are a partner with the Santa Barbara Coalition Against Gun Violence.

The Santa Barbara Women's Political Committee supports H.R. 1236 as we are well informed about the many school shootings and other horrible massacres in which family members or law enforcement were aware of a potential threat yet were powerless to act under the law at the time. We understand that this proposed law is similar to recently enacted legislation in California as well as to a bill which was previously introduced by you in the last Congressional session. SBWPC appreciates your ongoing efforts to attain reasonable gun legislation.

For the reasons cited above, SBWPC wishes to sign on as a supporter of HR 1236.

Sincerely,

Luz Reyes-Martín President. SBWPC

cc: Hon. Dianne Feinstein, 331 Hart Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510 cc. Hon. Kamala Harris, 112 Hart Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D.C. 20510

cc: Toni Wellen, Santa Barbara Coalition Against Gun Violence, email: sbcagv@gmail.com

