



# City of Somerville, Massachusetts

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**Title:** That the Chief of Police and the Director of Communications and Community Engagement discuss with this Council the viability of establishing a gun buyback event, focused on those who may be a danger to themselves, including strategic outreach involving community partners in the healthcare industry.

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7/13/2023	1	City Council	Work completed	Pass
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4/13/2023	1	City Council	Approved and sent for discussion	Pass

### Agenda Summary

That the Chief of Police and the Director of Communications and Community Engagement discuss with this Council the viability of establishing a gun buyback event, focused on those who may be a danger to themselves, including strategic outreach involving community partners in the healthcare industry.

### Official Text

That the Chief of Police and the Director of Communications and Community Engagement discuss with this Council the viability of establishing a gun buyback event targeted toward people whose mental health could make them a danger to themselves, including strategic outreach that involves community partners in the healthcare industry.