



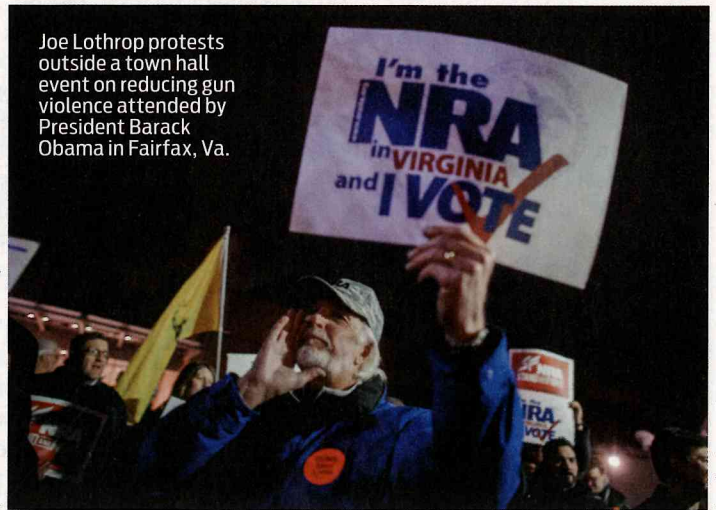
SUPPLÉMENT AUDIO

Andrew Patrick travaille pour la *Coalition to Stop Gun Violence* à Washington, DC. Écoutez-le parler de la situation aux États-Unis et de son engagement contre les violences par armes à feu sur la partie **ADVANCED** de votre complément audio. Sur la partie **BASIC**, on débat également du sujet... mais en Australie !
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(Zach Gibson/The New York Times)

Demonstrators hold signs at George Mason University before President Barack Obama arrives to host a town hall event on reducing gun violence in America in Fairfax, Va., Jan. 7, 2016.



Joe Lothrop protests outside a town hall event on reducing gun violence attended by President Barack Obama in Fairfax, Va.

(Zach Gibson/The New York Times)

CAMPAIGNS

5. The organization Everytown for Gun Safety — which received \$36 million in contributions last year, with the biggest chunk coming from Bloomberg — has eclipsed a number of older gun control groups in publicity and influence. In its latest push, the group is funding an ad campaign for players from the National Basketball Association to speak out against gun violence.

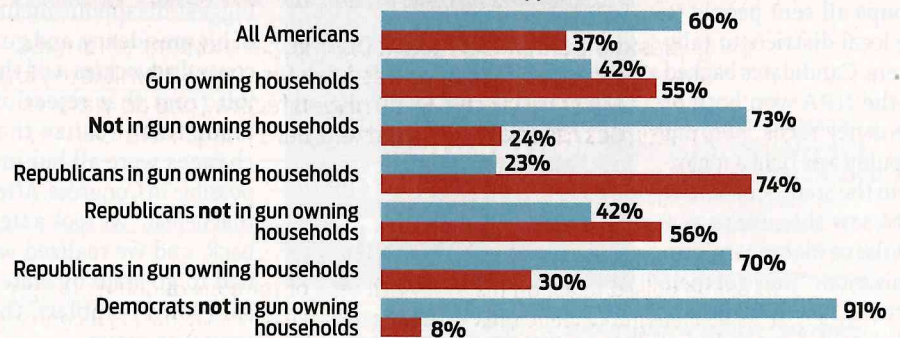
6. The group, created in 2014 after the 2012 slaughter of 26 children and adults at an elementary school in Newtown, Connecticut, says its supporters have now grown to 3 million nationwide, including survivors of shootings, mayors, police officers, celebrities, and rank-and-file supporters. It has chapters in all 50 states, with registered lobbyists in 31 of them, adopting a structure used to great effectiveness by the NRA itself. Bloomberg has pledged to spend at least \$50 million of his own money in the group's push for tougher gun restrictions — a level of spending that Jennifer Baker, an NRA official, called “obscene.”

5. **chunk** part(ie) / **push** ici, campagne / **to fund** financer / **ad = advertisement/advertising** / **to speak, spoke, spoken out against** ici, dénoncer.

6. **slaughter** tuerie, massacre / **shooting** fusillade / **rank-and-file** de base / **chapter** branche, section, antenne / **to pledge** promettre, s'engager à / **level** niveau.

ATTITUDES ON GUN CONTROL

Do you favor or oppose stricter gun control laws?
 ■ Favor ■ Oppose



Source: Public Religion Research Institute

FOCUSING ON LOCAL INITIATIVES

7. In some races, gun control advocates are outspending the deep-pocketed NRA. And after the mass shooting in San Bernardino, California, and earlier rampages at a Planned Parenthood facility in Colorado, a community college in Oregon and a church in Charleston, South Carolina, gun control advocates said they planned to expand their push for stiffer

7. **advocate** défenseur, partisan / **to outspend, spent, spent** dépenser plus que / **deep-pocketed** riche / **rampage** acte(s) de violence / **Planned Parenthood** (lit. planning familial) association fondée en 1916, militant pour l'éducation sexuelle, la santé reproductive et l'accès aux soins de santé / **facility** bâtiment, établissement / **stiff** sévère, strict

local restrictions still further. They believe their cause was buoyed in December when the Supreme Court let stand an ordinance in a Chicago suburb that bans semi-automatic assault weapons. Gun control supporters gained another big win in Virginia in December when the state's attorney general, Mark R. Herring, a Democrat, barred anyone who holds a concealed-handgun permit in 25 other states from using it to carry a firearm in Virginia.

/ **to buoy** dynamiser / **to let, let, let stand** ici, autoriser / **ordinance** ordonnance, décret / **suburb** banlieue / **to ban** interdire / **attorney general** ici, ministre de la Justice (au niveau d'un État) / **to bar** interdire / **concealed-handgun permit** permis de port d'arme cachée.