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## **Democratic Lawmakers Talk About Call for Special Session on Gun Law Reforms**

**Tallahassee, FL** – After nearly 40 House and Senate Democrats echoed a call from **Representative Joseph Geller (D-Aventura)** for the need to hold a special session to address common-sense gun law reforms, the Secretary of State has begun the required polling of the legislature.

If 60% of both bodies agree, the Florida Legislature will hold a special session on the following:

1. Regulating high capacity rifle magazines
2. Universal criminal background checks on all firearms sales
3. Expanding Florida's bipartisan-passed Red Flag Law.

Per Sec. Cord Byrd's email, polling will end on Friday at 3 pm.

**House Democratic Caucus Leader Evan Jenne (D-Hollywood), Senate Democratic Caucus Leader Lauren Book (D-Plantation), Representative Geller, Representative Carlos Guillermo Smith (D-Orlando), and Senator Lori Berman (D-Boynton Beach)** will hold a press conference via Zoom to explain the need for this legislation.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88533482373?pwd=U1RqMjVkJkZ1RUb1NPZWWh6eE1oRStRQT09>

Attached you'll find Rep. Geller's initial letter, as well as the poll form sent from the Dept. of State this morning.

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