

Or Hadash is now a part of a coalition of synagogues to prevent gun violence and this is an effort to offer congregations an opportunity to write letters to take to the Advocacy Day.

“Several of us from Beth Am Israel will be traveling to Harrisburg to attend the [March For Our Lives: PA Advocacy Day on March 23rd](#) (click that link to learn more about it and register to participate if you'd like to join). It's an exciting moment, as for the first time in 12 years we have a gun safety majority in the Pennsylvania House of Representatives – and a real chance to pass life-saving legislation. We'll be joining hundreds of other gun violence prevention advocates to make our voices heard.

If you can't make it but would like to express your views, we will be happy to collect your letters and deliver them to each of your representatives. You can email your letters to tperlman18@gmail.com and we will print them out and present to each of your elected representatives what we anticipate will be a healthy stack of constituents' perspectives on the issue of gun violence.

To identify your representative, if you don't already know, click here: <https://www.legis.state.pa.us/cfdocs/legis/home/findyourlegislator/>

Write from your heart. You may talk about the issue generally; how it has personally affected you, your family, or your community; or how it impacts the Commonwealth as a whole.

If you would like to discuss specific issues that will come before the legislature, CeaseFirePA provides the following information:

1. Universal Background Checks and Loopholes: <https://www.ceasefirepa.org/our-work/universal-background-checks/>
2. Extreme Risk Protection Orders (ERPO): <https://www.ceasefirepa.org/our-work/extreme-risk-protection-orders/>
3. Lost and Stolen Gun Reporting: <https://www.ceasefirepa.org/our-work/reporting-missing-firearms/>

Make sure to include your name and address in each letter. Please don't hesitate to contact me if you have any questions. I'd appreciate receiving your letters by March 21 at the latest, at tperlman18@gmail.com

With hopes for a safe and peaceful world,

Tali Perlman
on behalf of the Ceasefire PA Liaison Team”