

Huey Laugesen

Executive Director, CO NRA State Association • Defender of the Second Amendment

Huey Laugesen serves as the Executive Director of the Colorado State Shooting Association (CSSA), the official State Association of the NRA. A lifelong advocate for Second Amendment rights, Huey brings deep experience coordinating pro-Second Amendment advocacy through legislative engagement, legal actions, and public outreach campaigns.

Leadership & Advocacy:

- At CSSA, Huey spearheads state-level efforts to fight anti-gun legislation—including Colorado's new permit-to-purchase regime—by organizing opposition to anti-Second Amendment legislation, mobilizing members, and coordinating legal challenges.
- Under Huey's leadership, CSSA joined forces with the the Second Amendment Foundation (SAF), Firearms Policy Coalition (FPC), and your National Rifle Association (NRA) in filing a lawsuit against Colorado's 6.5% firearms & ammunition excise tax. CSSA has now also retained the legal counsel of Mountain States Legal Foundation in preparation for a lawsuit to overturn Colorado's new permit-to-purchase common firearms regime.
- CSSA, its members, and Huey's team played an important role in the defeat of Colorado's attempted "assault weapon" bans in 2023 and 2024.
- Under Huey's leadership, CSSA's membership has increased by more than 200%—more than tripling in under two years.

Professional Background:

- As Executive Director, Huey oversees the day-to-day execution of strategy, communications, legislative affairs, legal actions, shooting competitions, membership, and development for CSSA.
- He also serves on the NRA Membership Committee and connects CSSA's growing base of engaged gun owners to national NRA initiatives.

Public Presence:

- Huey is an active participant in public dialogue on firearms policy, making frequent media appearances to advocate for pro-Second Amendment positions and regularly communicating with CSSA members and the general public through social media and grassroots alerts.

Values & Vision:

- Huey is a husband and father firmly rooted in Colorado. He believes in empowering gun owners through education, civic involvement, and defense of Second Amendment rights.
- Huey aims to unite local affiliates with national efforts—driving action from the ground up to protect and expand Second Amendment rights. He will bring Colorado's lessons to the broader NRA family.
- Huey believes a strong National Rifle Association is essential to the preservation of liberty in America. He is committed to ensuring the NRA remains freedom's safest place.

Why Huey Laugesen Belongs on the NRA Board

- **A Track record** in organizing legislative opposition and legal advocacy, reinforcing constitutional rights through real results.
- **Grassroots mobilizer** who builds member engagement and activism, growing gun culture and support from the bottom-up.
- **Bridge-builder** connecting state-level affiliate leadership with national strategy, ensuring local victories feed into nationwide momentum.
- **Proven leader** capable of taking Second Amendment advocacy organizations to new heights.

Support Huey Laugesen for the NRA Board of Directors. He has the integrity, expertise, and drive to defend your freedoms at all levels.