



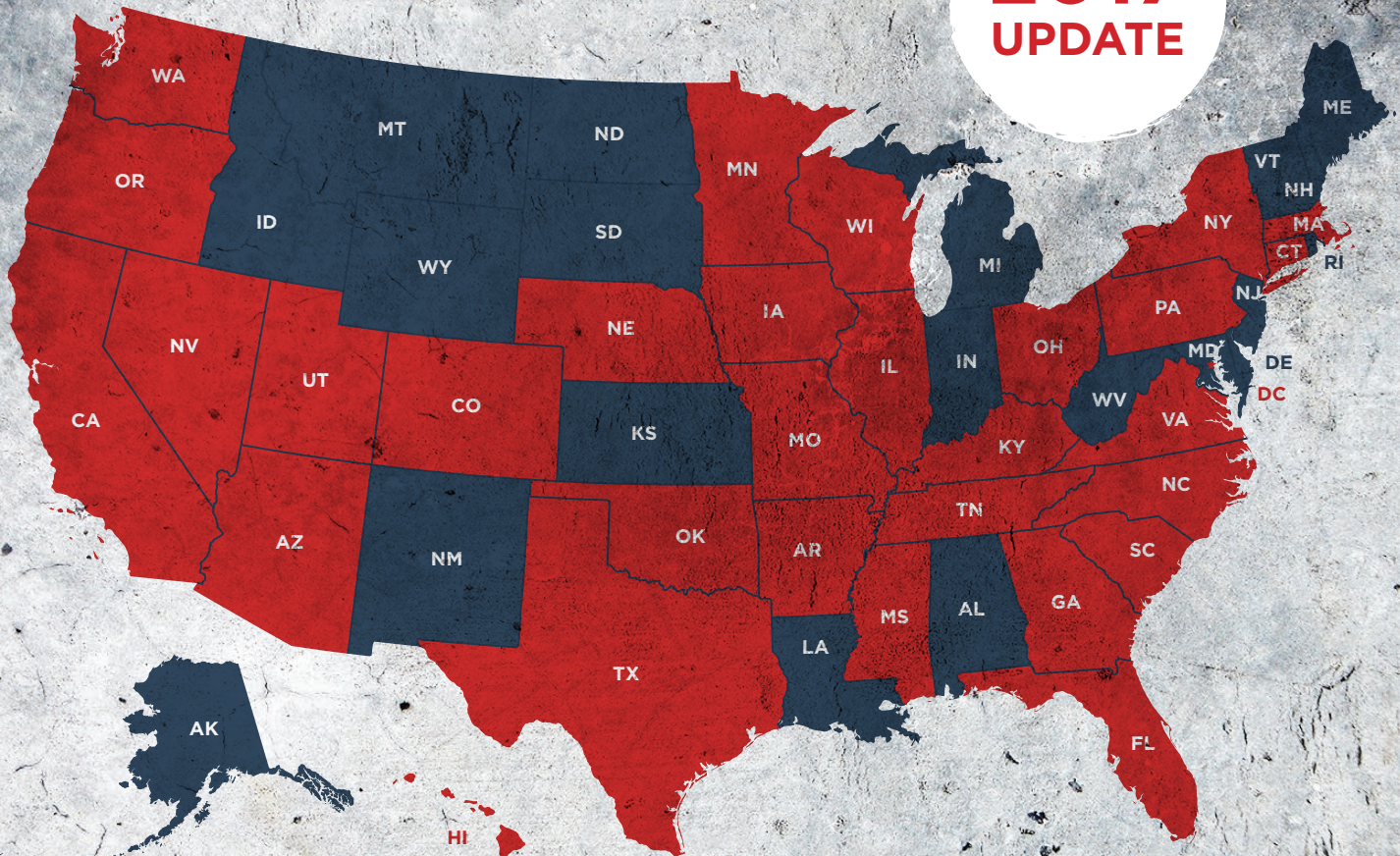
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MASS SHOOTERS & ASSAULT WEAPONS

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UPDATE**



 **MASS SHOOTING INCIDENTS**

Assault weapons and magazines holding more than 10 rounds were made illegal by the Assault Weapons Ban from 1994 to 2004. The number of people killed or wounded in mass shootings involving assault weapons and large-capacity ammunition magazines during the decade of the ban decreased 40% compared to the decade before. Since the ban expired in 2004, that number has increased more than 500%*.

 = 10 VICTIMS

ASSAULT WEAPONS
&/OR >10 ROUNDS

OTHER GUNS
≤10 ROUNDS

BEFORE BAN
6/1984 - 9/1994



INCIDENTS 10
KILLED 97
WOUNDED 144
TOTAL VICTIMS 241



INCIDENTS 8
KILLED 46
WOUNDED 34
TOTAL VICTIMS 80

DURING BAN
9/1994 - 9/2004



INCIDENTS 11
KILLED 65
WOUNDED 80
TOTAL VICTIMS 145



INCIDENTS 5
KILLED 25
WOUNDED 7
TOTAL VICTIMS 32

AFTER BAN
9/2004 - 11/2017



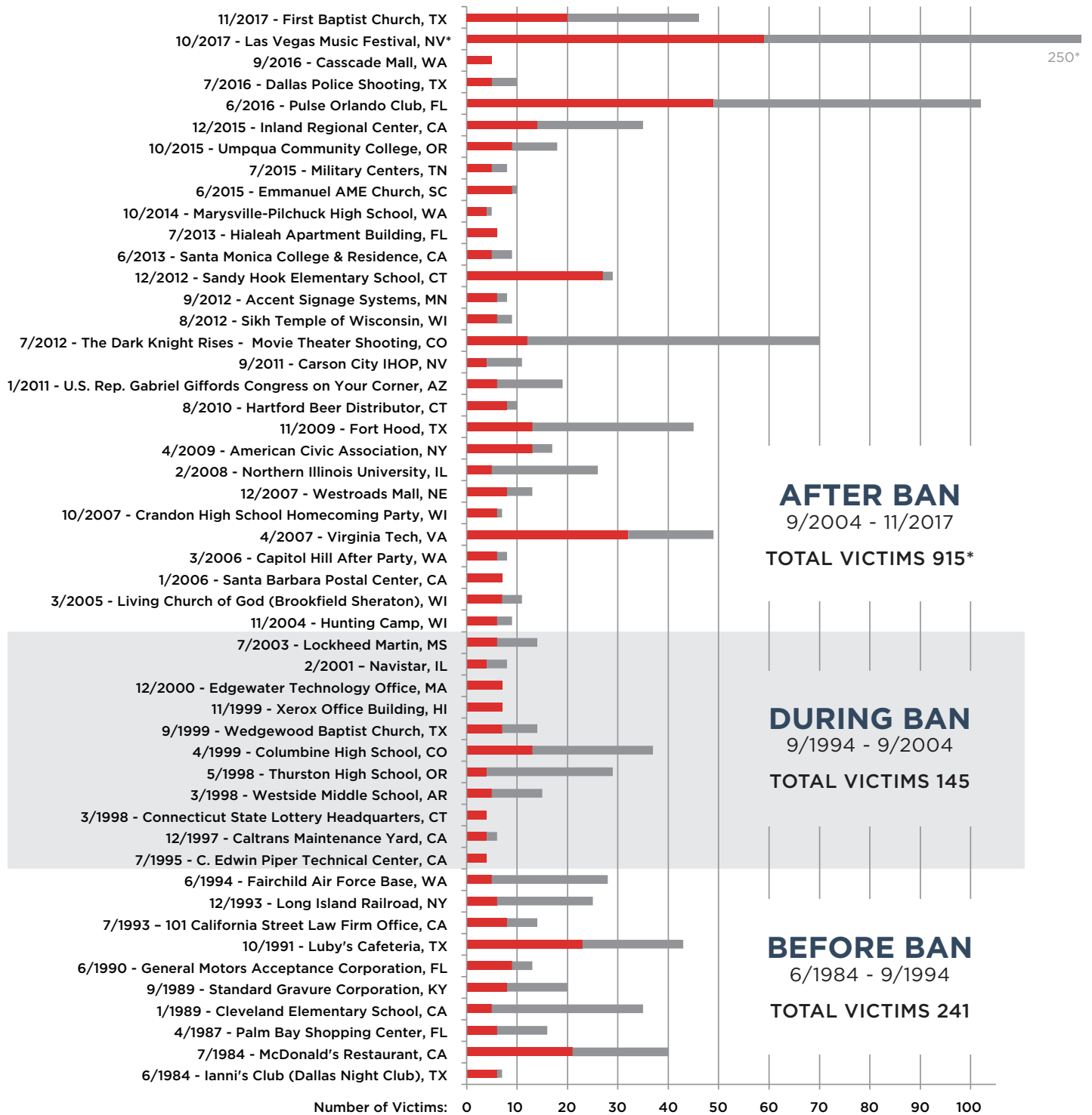
INCIDENTS 29
KILLED 367
WOUNDED 548*
TOTAL VICTIMS 915*



INCIDENTS 15
KILLED 91
WOUNDED 44
TOTAL VICTIMS 135

* The number of wounded by gunfire in the 10/1/17 Las Vegas mass shooting has not been confirmed by the time of publishing, therefore these numbers include an estimate of 250 wounded victims, about half of the 489 reported in media.

ASSAULT WEAPONS & LARGE-CAPACITY MAGAZINES



AFTER BAN
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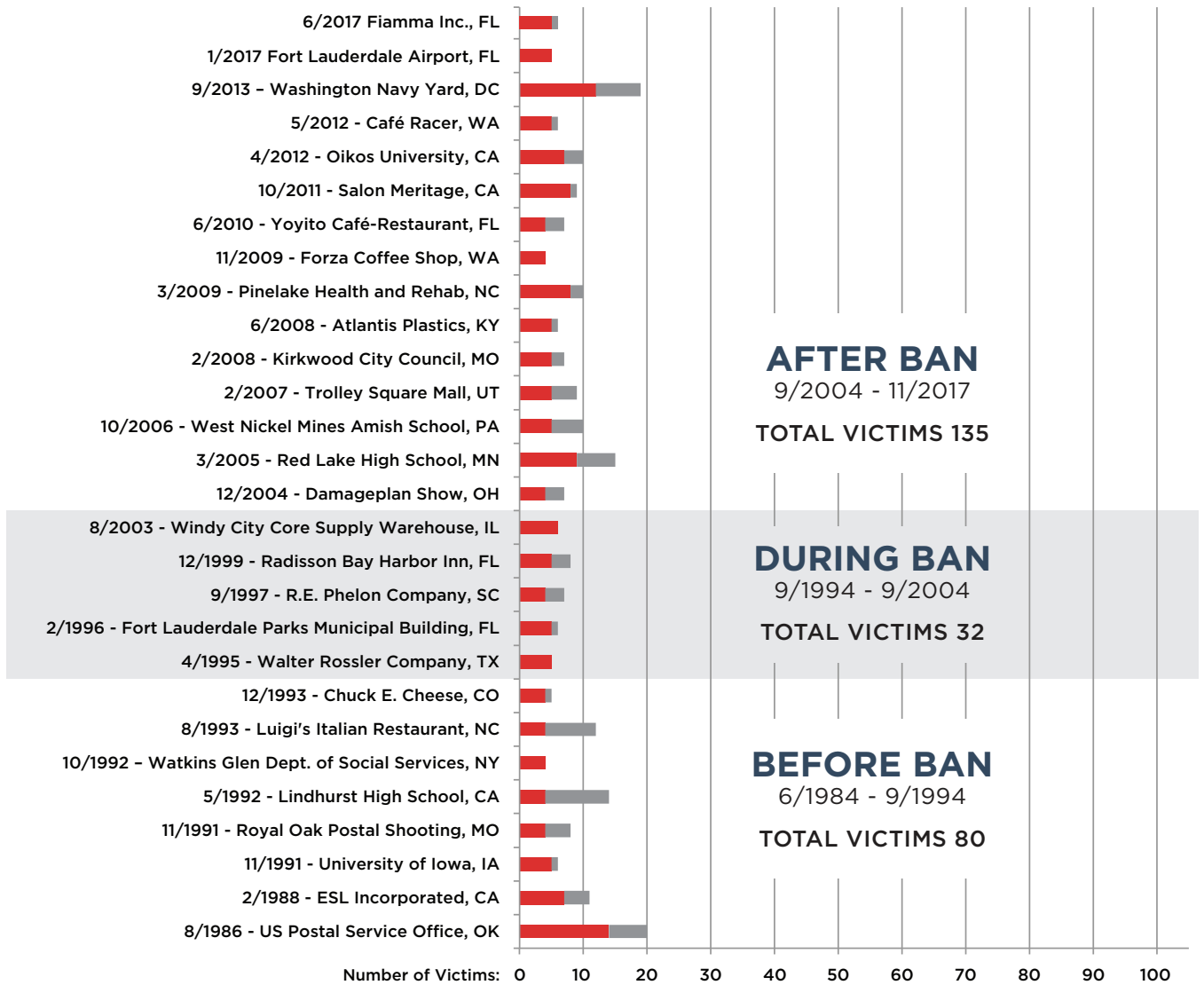
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OTHER GUNS ≤10 ROUNDS

■ Killed ■ Wounded



TOTAL KILLED & WOUNDED 6/1984 - 11/2017

ASSAULT WEAPONS &/OR >10 ROUNDS: 1,301*

OTHER GUNS ≤10 ROUNDS: 247

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METHODOLOGY

To identify mass shootings and the weapons used, the Crime Commission reviewed descriptions of shootings found in news reports and lists created by government entities and advocacy groups. For the purpose of the this report, mass shooting is defined as four or more victims killed. Additional analysis criteria: occurred in a public place, and was unrelated to another crime (e.g., robbery, domestic violence). Information for this analysis has been compiled from publicly available sources. Every effort has been made to obtain the most accurate information, however, contradictions may exist between this analysis and other sources. As the ATF does not require police departments to collect data related to the capacity of a firearm's ammunition magazine and the media does not always report the details of the weapons used, this analysis does not cover an exhaustive list of mass shootings.



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