

# Senate Joint Resolution 7

Sponsored by Senator MONROE

## SUMMARY

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Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution authorizing sobriety checkpoints for law enforcement purposes.

Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next primary election.

## JOINT RESOLUTION

**Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon:**

**PARAGRAPH 1.** Section 9, Article I of the Constitution of the State of Oregon, is amended to read:

**Sec. 9. (1)** No law shall violate the right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable search, or seizure; and no warrant shall issue but upon probable cause, supported by oath, or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the person or thing to be seized.[-]

**(2) This section does not prohibit the use of sobriety checkpoints by law enforcement officials.**

**PARAGRAPH 2.** The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at a special election held throughout this state on the same date as the next primary election.

**NOTE:** Matter in **boldfaced** type in an amended section is new; matter [*italic and bracketed*] is existing law to be omitted. New sections are in **boldfaced** type.