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Kevin- The new gun control bill which is about to be voted in, is in my opinion unconstitutional both federally and in the state of Oregon. It will be very difficult to enforce by anyone because of resource issues in every agency in the state. It is another unfunded mandate by the legislature that law enforcement will not be able to keep up with. All these things aside I will not make law abiding citizens in my county criminals because the state, thinks I should. It is a clear violation of people's rights and it is time for everyone to stand up and be heard on this issue. It is clear that they do not want to hear anything other than their own agenda. This also in my opinion is not a partisan issue. I have a lot of friends from both sides who own guns that believe that it is a rights violation for this to occur.

I was initially denied purchase of a gun earlier this year by OSP because I have a protected driver's license. If they do this me what chance do they have at accuracy with anyone? I am the elected Sheriff of Wallowa County and they wanted my boss to write a letter authorizing the sale and possession of the gun. I do not have one boss. You would think everyone knew that but apparently not.

Steve Rogers, Sheriff