

Hello,

I am writing to you today as a resident of Oregon on both House Resolution 13, and House Bill 2526.

#### House Resolution 13

While I support the 'intention' of House Resolution 13, the way it is written is overly broad, and even with the proposed amendment that limits police powers, this resolution goes way too far; it would allow the police to stop *anyone* and ask if they have a fire arm. With concealed carry permit holders and other law abiding citizens, as it is currently written, it *is* a violation of the 4th Amendment which protects citizens against unreasonable search and seizure. As it is currently written, it is unconstitutional. You took an oath when you took office to uphold the Constitution. Passing this bill as is, is *not* honoring your oath. I urge you to vote against this bill without further amending this legislation.

#### House Bill 2526

This bill was written to demonize firearms, by a RINO (Republican in name only), and a Democrat. I am *fine* with there being fire arm safety and suicide prevention education program, however, what I am *not* fine with is that there are different materials for different values and cultures within the state. There needs to be one, and *only* one version, though that version may be translated to different languages. You cannot cater to one group above others. Liberal Democrats do not and *should not* get more rights or special treatment just because they don't like fire arms. The reality of the situation is, far more people are harmed by prescription drugs than fire arms. Liberal Democrats just don't like fire arms because they 'look' scary. However, my rights do not end where their fear begins. Both sponsors of this bill are doctors, and should be addressing the damage done by the drugs that they hand out like candy.

Sincerely,

Sharon Akins