

Chair Bynum and Chair Manning and members of the committee,

My name is Mary Dakin. I live in Lake Oswego, Oregon and teach political science at PCC. Thank you for drafting these four bills. They have my full support. Please vote yes. It is a small step in addressing police brutality and systemic racism in the police system. We must change the system and we must change it now.

LC 742 - Changes to the tools law enforcement can use during crowd control situations

LC 743 - Relating to police officer uniforms and identification (Demilitarizing police)

LC 744 - Relating to police officer misconduct

LC 745 - Relating to the use of force by police officers

Thank you,  
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