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I live in Multnomah County. I have a business and I pay city and county taxes. I am appalled at what I read in the NY Times and hear from my friends and neighbors who have been peaceful demonstrators. I am ashamed to be paying for the police to inflict pain on fellow citizens. Of course, we need police to protect property and arrest those who are breaking the law, but what I have seen on videos taken by protestors goes way beyond that. We need laws to protect the public from being brutalized by policemen who have protections they should NOT have. I support all four bills LC 17, 18, 19, 20 and any others that can help to restrain our rogue police.

Police should serve and protect the populace, not smash and bash peaceful protestors! -- Cary Sneider  
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