

Dear committee members,

As I am just an average citizen who has to work for a living to provide a roof, food, medical insurance, and other necessities that are required to support a family. I am unable to attend the public testimony that is scheduled during a normal persons work hours.

I would like to say I find it very ironic that you as state legislators and a governor are even entertaining the idea of this bill when we have so many of you that believe a child at the age of 16 is mature enough to vote on anything to deal with laws that they are not yet old enough to be held fully responsible for. But at the same time view an 18 year old adult to irresponsible to purchase a rifle.

There was recently in the Portland news a judge who denied upping the 18 time arrested "trimet barber" bail from 9,000 to \$100,000 because of a Supreme Court ruling that said you can't up someone's bail to the point it makes it a financial impossibility for them to bail out.

That is what you are doing by requiring your so called safe storage clause, and upping fees to get a consealed carry permits. Sure it's easy for someone who has money but what about the most vulnerable of us who live in the worst parts of town.

As far as holding someone responsible for something they sell for 2 years and making the burden of proof the sellers responsibility. What happened to innocent until proven guilty. All that takes is a "yes I sold it with a trigger lock". Case over.

I wish my government could put the same effort into fixing our issue of homelessness, drug abuse, foster system, illigial, immigration, crappy roads, the list can go on and on.

As far as any future plans of so called assault rifle bans, please leave us all alone. More citizens own those rifles than government probably does. Fix the problem that's causing people to be violent don't take something away that isn't used illigally by 99.999999% of us

If you want to fix useless deaths here's an idea. Using this same type of plan, replace the word assault rifle with cell phone, and you will begin to see how your plan dosnt work.

I am sure this will fall on deaf eyes and never make it further then the star age file for a FOIA inquiry.

One of Oregon minorities  
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