

US Constitution:

2nd Amendment: A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed.

In the most recent Supreme Court decision on the subject in the 2008 DC v Heller the court held 5-4 that "The Second Amendment protects an individual right to possess a firearm unconnected with service in a militia, and to use that arm for traditionally lawful purposes, such as self-defense within the home."

10th Amendment: The powers not delegated to the United States by the Constitution, nor prohibited by it to the States, are reserved to the States respectively, or to the people.

This amendment states that if a power is not stated in the Constitution, it belongs either to the states or the people.

The 2nd Amendment clearly states:

"the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed."

That means the laws that you are trying to legislate are null and void based upon those two Amendments alone!

Oregon Constitution:

Section 27

Right to bear arms; military subordinate to civil power.

The people shall have the right to bear arms for the defence [*sic*] of themselves, and the State, but the Military shall be kept in strict subordination to the civil power.

STOP ATTACKING OUR INALIENABLE RIGHTS!

I would also like to challenge each one of you to read the US and Oregon Constitution, it may prove helpful in doing your job representing us "The People!"

Respectfully,

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