

To our Oregon Legislatures:

Once again the government is trying to take away our rights to defend ourselves!

Where we live, the nearest law enforcement is over 40 miles away. We have neighbors who are over 200 miles away.

Which makes us the first line against bad things. The time it could take to unlock our self protection could be the difference of survival!

I heard one legislator state that if there had been locks on a firearm one shooting would not have happened. I submit that if that person was determined to cause harm, he/she would have managed to find a weapon somewhere else.

Please drop the term gun violence. It is people violence!! You don't call it car violence, knife violence, etc! That term is placing blame on an inanimate object!

Sincerely

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