Dear House Committee Members,

SB 554 is in your committee and it is your opportunity to stop this attack on lawful gun owners. SB 554 does nothing to punish actual criminals and potentially makes law abiding citizens into felons. Those that would support this legislation will use fear of an inanimate object or emotion to strip their neighbors of the ability to be able to defend themselves or their families. This is unacceptable. Violent crime and drug abuse is on the rise because of the lack of proper law enforcement. This senate bill puts more stress on law enforcement to potentially arrest law abiding citizens. Data will support that the most law abiding citizens in Oregon are the ones with a CHL. I strongly urge you vote NO on SB 554. We are active, we are involved, and WE will replace those senators that vote yes to this bad bill.

Sincerely, Derek LeBlanc