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Oregon has no laws restricting or prohibiting undetectable or untraceable firearms or ghost guns. These guns lack serial numbers and are acquired without a background check. Currently, a dangerous person can easily access everything they need to assemble a gun at home. Last year federal officials found 68 ghost guns in a Salem home. Because ghost guns have no serial numbers, it is impossible for law enforcement to trace these firearms when used to commit crimes. Passing this bill will help save lives.