I OPPOSE [SB 907]...

https://olis.oregonlegislature.gov/liz/2023R1/Downloads/MeasureDocument/SB907/Introduced

[SB 907] has many good points to improve workplace safety and to foster better relationships between management and employees.

[SB 907] is a waste of money. The Oregon Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OR-OSHA) has established safe working conditions and stringent legal and financial penalties for violations of safety statutes.

The refusal to work as referenced and incorporated into [SB 907] would have catastrophic ramifications to workplaces especially, during disasters. Police and Fire Department personnel could assert, "...The employee has a reasonable apprehension that the performance of the assigned task would result in serious injury or impairment to the health and safety of the employee or other employees;..." and then refuse to do the job.

Every employee in Oregon or even contracted employees, who work for Oregon but live somewhere else, could assert the aforementioned and refuse to do the job they were asked to do.

It is foreseeable [SB 907] will also be a vector for, "litigation fever."

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Mr. Oregon Concurs and says, "[SB 907] is Hogwash."

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