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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB2005

I'm writing to ask you to support HB 2005, which will save lives by prohibiting undetectable, untraceable firearms.

I'm the mother of two school-aged children living in Central Oregon, and it's my job to keep my family safe. With DIY ghost guns gaining popularity, our ability to keep our families and our communities safe is getting harder and harder. A ghost gun is a homemade gun made from easy-to-get building blocks that can be purchased with no background check and no questions asked. These guns are increasingly a weapon of choice for gun traffickers and people prohibited from possessing firearms. Oregon has no laws restricting or prohibiting ghost guns and just last year, federal officials raided the house of a man in Salem and found 68 ghost guns, along with dozens of unserialized frames and receivers.

Please support this life-saving measure to prohibit ghost guns from our state. Our childrens' safety depends on it.