Submitter: Elizabeth Klein

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB2005

Please vote for House Bill 2005 before more people die of gun violence. My brother, aunt and cousin all died from gun violence. I do not want others to suffer this unnecessary kind of grief. We have more guns than people in the USA. We need more gun regulations. We must act now.

A majority of Oregon voters passed Ballot Measure 114 in November 2022. This gun safety measure does three critical things: 1) It requires every person to get a permit before purchasing a gun; 2) it prohibits the purchase, sale, and transfer of large capacity magazines; and, 3) it closes the Charleston Loophole that allows some firearm sales to proceed before a background check is completed.

I ask that you as Oregon lawmakers do everything you can to make the state of Oregon as safe as possible and decrease gun violence. Please vote for House Bill 2005.