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As a concerned mother of young children I fully support HB2006! Its time we do something, NOW! Under current law, an 18-to-20-year-old in Oregon can buy assault weapons and other semiautomatic rifles—even though they cannot legally purchase handguns. Research shows that individuals aged 18-to-20 years old commit gun homicides at a rate nearly 3 times greater than adults 21-and-over. Lawmakers should support HB 2006, which would raise the age to purchase and possess semiautomatic rifles to 21 years old.