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I stand in opposition to this bill. The Democratic Party has made countless promises that have not delivered. Our streets, specifically Multnomah county have never been as unsafe as they are now, our educational system is failing and the drug crisis has increased at an alarming rate. With these issue we have seen an increase in violent crime. Instead of back pedaling and looking at what policies are working and what's failing the legislature has chosen to attack our rights with unconstitutional laws that won't only fail to save lives, but have the potential to put innocent people in prison and waste state money on court cases that are unnecessary.

Let's get around to providing those proper treatment centers, and also it's time to end the laws that allow squatters to run rampant in our streets. Yes I agree people struggling with drug addiction shouldn't be thrown in prison, but we have to do something else. The conditions the homeless crisis and drug crisis have created breeds violence, constitutional rights are not the cause here.

I stand opposed to bills 2005, 2006, and 2007.