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Almost all mass shootings occur in places where firearms are not allowed. It's very simple, where predators can victimize without pushback, they'll take that opportunity over a situation where they know they'll have resistance. Have we ever seen a mass shooting at, say, a gun show, where a good percentage is armed? NO. Take Chicago for example, some of the strictest gun laws in the nation, yet they have some of the highest rates of gun violence. It simply creates more gun violence. Good guys with guns are the ONLY deterrent to bad guys with guns. Use common sense, and check some statistics before you take away law abiding citizens rights, while empowering G criminals with lessening drug laws. We simply can not decrease enforcement on low life's in this society while holding law abiding citizens to a standard which endangers them. This is not about Oregonians safety. Please stop voting for the anti gun grabbing lobbies, please.