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A quilt work of locations where it is legal for licensed CCW's to carry. Passing this law will only make it more difficult for law abiding citizens to carry concealed weapons. We are getting to the point of absurdity with the locations where concealed weapons can and can't be carried. How many shootings have been committed by someone LEGALLY carrying a concealed weapon? Did you know Clackamas Town Center shooter was stopped by a law abiding citizen carrying a concealed weapon? Yes, it was but it has been buried so you have to look. It actually happens all the time all over the US.

It is blatantly clear the law is not intended to save lives. What is it intended to do besides make it difficult for licensed law abiding citizens to lawfully carry a concealed weapon? That's a simple answer. It is designed to deter them from carrying. Making them defenseless against people that won't follow the law.

So so unhappy with what is happening in this State right now. Drugs are killing our children at an escalating pace and here we are having to write testimony about how our elected leaders are limiting the locations where licensed concealed carriers can carry and actually making people less safe. Shameful.