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I oppose this legislation.

banning the sale of ammunition to anyone under 21?

at 15, a minor in Oregon can get a drivers permit.

at 16, a minor in Oregon can get a drivers license.

Legislation is pending that at 16, a minor in Oregon can have an abortion without parental notification.

at 16, a minor in Oregon can register to vote.

at 18, Oregon legally recognizes adulthood.

at 18, those adults are required to register for the Selective Service, which means that they are eligible to go to combat in a time of war.

at 21, you can purchase cigarettes, buy guns.

wait... at 18, you can be drafted into military service by the federal government, but in Oregon you wont be able to own a firearm until you are 21? but you can have an abortion at 16?

Stop it. Just STOP it.

Fix the mental health problem by opening up the state mental health facilities and open the 2 prisons that just closed, get tough on drugs, find solutions for homelessness without creating more homeless.

guns are NOT the problem. People are living in the streets because the LEGISLATURE said "thats cool", "come do dope with us in Oregon". When people get drugs, they lose moral values. when they lose moral values, they commit crimes. Yet, the legislature started all of this.

Fix the problems you started by legalizing drugs, closing mental health facilities.

Stop trying to remove the rights of law abiding citizens due to the failure of the House and Senate of the Oregon Legislature. The blame falls squarely on your shoulders.