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As written, I cannot support HB3513. The bill opens up the possibility of an extreme risk protection order for a person asking for their firearms to be temporarily put away. This is basically a self-reporting system that could result in permanent loss of rights, even after a feeling of dread, depression, or suicide has long passed.

The issue of additional CHL training, means that none of the training provided by qualified classes in other states would still be valid in Oregon. It also raises the question of CHL renewal for those with existing permits. Will this bill make an existing CHL training invalid and then the person ineligible to renew an existing permit?

Without an amendment to correct these issues, I cannot support this bill.