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This bill is contrary to American Values of freedom and defense. It seeks to render people defenseless and vulnerable to criminal actions. But that seems to be the goal of the Oregon Legislature. Empower criminals to commit crimes against the law-abiding.

"Each of us has a natural right – from God – to defend his person, his liberty, and his property," 19th century economist and philosopher Frédéric Bastiat

"Laws that forbid the carrying of arms only disarm those who are neither inclined nor determined to commit crimes. Such laws make things worse for the assaulted and better for the assailants; they serve rather to encourage than to prevent homicides, for an unarmed man may be attacked with greater confidence than an armed man." - Thomas Jefferson