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Measure: HB4002

Support HB 4002 to recriminalize hard drugs with up to 6 months in jail or mandatory, supervised drug treatment

I left Portland because of the open drug use. Living across from the Portland Art Museum. I personally called 911 witnessing drug overdoses with needle and syringe over 6 times in a one month period. I now live in Bend and just two weeks ago 2 feet from my car in the parking lot of Walgreens on Franklin I witnessed a major drug deal within five feet of the entrance to Walgreens. Watching large amount of drugs exchanged for large amount of cash. At 11 a.m. I am a liberal, but Oregon has become a haven for drug trafficking. The cartels love our politicians for opening our state to their business. Measure 110 is an epic failure to our children.