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Measure 110 Reform is MANDATORY! This is a Federal Republic not a true democracy thank heavens. If we were a true democracy by definition the mob rule would dictate the laws and actions of our state. What we have allowed in our state is a slippery slope which has lead to a one party dictatorship that is in my opinion MOB RULED! The insanity of passing Measure 110 has, quite obviously turned our state into a Mecca for both drug sellers and those who are sadly afflicted by addiction! This is not a fact that can be denied any longer. The 97 corridor has been and will continue to be a main freeway to transport poison to those cities along the way to Washington State and directly to Portland. Every night on the News parades of those afflicted by this poison are displayed for you as our elected officials, as well as the citizens of Oregon to witness. Even here in Central Oregon, if anyone would care to investigate the trafficking of drugs has crept out of the shadows to reveal the hideousness of its character. In smaller communities we face the sickening images, not to Portland's degree as of yet, of those who wander aimlessly looking for opportunities to gain the revenue to get their next fix. This has exploded local crime increases which now tax the local police departments with increased crime and fire departments with fire in squalor afflicted areas hidden away in the BLM. The slap and tickle approach that pervades our capital in Salem has shown itself as a FAILURE! I say tear this ridiculous Measure 110 down and stop embarrassing the citizens of Oregon with such warm and fuzzy measures and get back to reality. A reality that begins with the protection of it's citizenry.