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The 2nd amendment is not there to tell the government that the citizens of the United States of America has the right to keep and bear arms it is informing the government that the citizens have the god given right to keep and bear arms and that any restrictions upon the 2nd amendment are therefore infringements. Measure 114 is completely unconstitutional just by the fact it implements a permit to purchase. We as Americans already have to go thru a fingerprint based background check to obtain a firearm. I feel that the only reason measure 114 got as many votes as it did is because it was worded in a way that the uninformed voters who have never bought a firearm simply read that you would have to go thru a background check to get your permit to purchase. There is no benefit to having a permit to purchase system other than to discourage lawful gunowners from obtaining a firearm.

Now as far as the 10 round magazine capacity restrictions, they are a joke. There are already millions of standard capacity magazines in possession of Oregon citizens and as the measure states that it would be up to those people to prove they had said standard capacity magazines before the ban went into place. Just for that fact alone it is completely insane to impose this restriction.

For example this magazine restriction is equivalent to implementing a 10 gallon fuel capacity limit to all motor vehicles to try to cut down on CO2 emissions.

This measure does nothing to actually help the issues at hand just to inconvenience and regulate the citizens of the state of Oregon.