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On Behalf Of:  
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary  
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4145  
Chair Kropf and Members of the Committee-

My name is Sydney, and I am a parent who recently moved to Oregon from Texas, a state with very few gun laws. One of the main reasons my family chose Oregon was so our children could grow up in a safer community, where common-sense policies prioritize the well-being of families and kids.

HB 4145 reflects both those values and the will of the people of Oregon. In 2022, Oregon voters made it clear that they support stronger, common-sense measures to improve public safety. This bill honors that vote and continues the work Oregonians have already said they want their leaders to do.

As a parent, nothing matters more to me than knowing my children can grow up, go to school, and participate in their community without constant fear. I urge you to support HB 4145 and respect the voice of Oregon voters.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sydney