

Submitter:

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On Behalf Of:

Committee:

House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic:

HB4145

I respectfully oppose HB 4145.

Oregonians already voted on Measure 114, and it remains tied up in the courts due to serious constitutional concerns. Attempting to modify or expand a law that has not been fully implemented or legally settled is premature and irresponsible.

HB 4145 would further burden law-abiding citizens while doing nothing to address the real drivers of violent crime. Criminals do not follow permit systems. These policies only delay and restrict the ability of responsible Oregonians to defend themselves and their families.

Public safety is best served by enforcing existing laws, prosecuting violent offenders, and supporting mental health and community-based interventions, not by layering additional regulations onto lawful gun owners.

Please vote NO on HB 4145.