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SJR203

Allowing federal law enforcement to conduct operations wearing masks and without any identification is a major public safety hazard. Residents have no idea who it is when an unidentified masked agent confronts them. Maybe it's a federal agent? Or maybe it's a member of an armed militia? How would a person know?

We cannot allow a situation where radical groups, whether radical right or radical left, can masquerade as law enforcement and terrorize communities. Public safety, everyone's safety, is at risk if we allow federal agents to operate in the dark.

I urge you to advance SJR 203 to allow Oregonians to use their democratic right to vote for greater public safety.