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On Behalf Of:  
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Hello,

My name is Bradley Shick, born and raised in Beaverton, live in Aloha now. I have been an educator in BSD for 11 years with my children going through the system. I take great pride in giving back to my community and will continue to do so through my work and deep connections to Oregon.

I grew up hunting with my republican grandfather/family and fell in love with it, less for trophies more for love of outdoors and venison. I own several guns for hunting and a pistol for target practice. Liberal gun owner. To give you some context.

I am strongly urging you and your colleagues to please reconsider 114 and HB 4145.

Here are the major changes Oregonians should know about.

#### # 1. Broad law enforcement exemption

- \* Active and retired law enforcement officers are explicitly exempt from the large capacity magazine ban
- \* The exemption applies outside official duties including off duty and recreational use
- \* Civilian possession remains prohibited under the same law

#### # 2. Higher costs and longer delays

- \* Permit fees increase to \*\*up to \$150\*\* with renewals up to \$110
- \* Law enforcement is given \*\*60 days\*\* to approve or deny permits, up from 30

#### # 3. Subjective denial standard with bias risk

- \* Permits may be denied based on subjective law enforcement judgment, even without a criminal conviction or objective standard.
- \* Discretionary systems like this raise concerns about inconsistent application, implicit bias, and discrimination based on race, politics, disability, or unpopular viewpoints

#### # 4. Legal challenges restricted

- \* Any lawsuit challenging this law must be filed \*\*only in Marion County\*\*, regardless

of where the plaintiff lives

# 5. Emergency clause

\* The bill takes effect immediately upon the Governor's signature

Thank you for taking the time to get this far.

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