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To those supporting HB 4145. This is a poor angle to fix suicidal behavior. It doesn't take much to see that this is just an attack on law abiding gun owners. Suicidal prevention doesn't start from the end its start from the beginning, in the home, in the family. St. Mother Teresa of Calcutta once said "If you want to change the world, you start in your home."

The guns don't make people want to kill them selves the mind does, the rotting of a soul, the lack of truth. Truth, that we are all loved and wonderfully made by our Lord. Leaders of our great state of Oregon, you have the power that's been granted to you by GOD AND THE PEOPLE to lead well. Lets create solutions and problem solve on how to better heal and nurture our people of this great state, to have better minds and better souls. Thus will fix suicide and our state. What we are experiencing now in suicide are the affects of poor leadership, a household who does not care about its children but has abandoned them to be devoured by sin, leading people to bare the weight by themselves ultimately committing suicide. Do not blame weapons, bridges, or drugs for your poor leadership. Seek Christ first, he will show you the way. May The Lord bless everyone who reads this.