

STATE SENATE DISTRICT 25

## SB 525 Public Safety for Domestic Violence Women 3/25/15

In 2014, 42 Oregonians died as a result of domestic violence offenders. Approximately 60% of those deaths were by firearms. Federal law prohibits the possession of firearms by domestic violence offenders, but because this law is not codified in Oregon, our system cannot enforce the law and victims don't have protection.

SB 525 will codify the federal law in Oregon to ensure protection for victims. This bill is one small step in support of our domestic violence victims and making sure they are safe.

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