

# LET'S REQUIRE

# Safe Gun Storage in Oregon

HOUSE BILL 4005

Unsafely stored firearms put our communities at risk. Unsecured guns increase the risk of school shootings, unintentional shootings, and gun suicides. But Oregon has no requirements for safely storing guns.

The Cindy Yuille and Steve Forsyth Act will require the safe storage of guns and prompt reporting of lost or stolen guns to law enforcement. Similar laws in other states have reduced gun violence and made communities safer. Please join us in supporting this sensible legislation.

## Oregonians Strongly Support Safe Gun Storage Laws

**64%** of Oregon gun owners support requiring safe gun storage

Source: Nov. 12-16, 2018 survey of 600 gun owners

**65%** of Oregon voters support safe gun storage and mandatory lost/stolen gun reporting

Source: April 23-26, 2018 survey of 800 likely voters

### The Cindy Yuille and Steve Forsyth Act (HB4005)

- Firearms must be locked up when they are not in the owner's control and when they are being transferred to another person
- Gun owners must report a gun that has been lost or stolen to law enforcement within 72 hours
- Minors must be supervised when handling a firearm, with reasonable exceptions
- Individuals have strict civil liability for any harm to others or property for failing to comply with the law or from failing to supervise a minor after allowing him or her to access a firearm



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