

No Police Department should be allowed to violate our constitutional right to free speech. The statute authorizing law enforcement officers to command dispersal of unlawful assemblies and arrest participants who do not disperse is unconstitutional. The Portland Police have used Unlawful assemblies to avoid doing their actual job by catching the 1-4 individuals who cause the non-violent protest to be upgraded to an unlawful assembly. Unlawful assemblies can be avoided if the Police did their actual job in the first place.