



## **STATEMENTS OPPOSING SB 621** ***(PECBA CIRCUMVENTION)***

**To:** House Committee on Judiciary

**From:** Michael Selvaggio, Oregon Coalition of Police and Sheriffs

**Date:** April 22, 2021

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What follows are notes sent in to Legislators and committee staff from individuals expressing opposition to SB 621.

I am submitting this as a packet even though each of these messages was independently sent by an individual person. More than five hundred of these messages were previously sent to Committee staff (and committee members) while the public record was open. However, they did not appear on the OLIS record due to the fact that a new, more complex testimony interface had been created for the submission of testimony in the 2021 Session, and e-mailed testimony (which had been accepted in previous sessions) is now no longer accepted.

I am submitting these notes to ensure that the public record on SB 621 accurately reflects the level of opposition by the general public.

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Robert Geiwitz

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I am an older gay male that lives in Portland. Too many times I have felt threatened by homeless people and the ever-present tent people. Please give the police the tools that they need to deal with these kinds of people. We need to bargain in good faith with our amazing police officers.

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: j. r. k.

Legislators, I am in no way, in favor of any issue getting a "free pass." Any & all issues, no matter which side of the fence you sit, need to be heard, discussed, debated & voted upon if necessary. All too often recently, we find ourselves sidestepping the rules, going back on our word & in some cases, even ignoring laws set by the very Constitution that this country was founded upon. I feel that every time this happens, the principles that we all hold dear, the values that made us who we are today, get a small little bite taken out of them, making them somewhat less potent, of less importance, until I fear, may one day cease to be of any significance whatsoever....and for what?? A pause in the rule of law or a free pass on keeping our word or solemn oath in the name of "unprecedented times" in which we are living? I don't remember seeing these "clauses" in any of the documents we live by...Clauses that give license to ignore the will of the people, addendums in the interest of time, arbitrary, unfair & seemingly "executive" changes whenever we so choose. So I ask you to avoid the "easy" way out, to adhere to the word of the City & please oppose SB 621. It is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent. The City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain and instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms.

I was born, raised, attended school/college & have worked within this city my entire life. I have also been a Portland business owner for close to ten years. Please help voters like me be PROUD once again to have an address in this once GREAT city of ours, it all starts right here, with you, please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.

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Signed by a Honorably Retired, 29 years service, Oregon Police Officer.

Rolynn Prechtl  
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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: David Testroet

Legislators,

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Submitted: 3/11/2021

From: Matthew Carter

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Linda P

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Christine DeRosier

Legislators,

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/13/2021

From: Kendyl Kuntzmann

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/21/2021

From: Dale and Marva Keefer

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/12/2021

From: Crystal Domke-Grimm

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

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<p class="font\_8">Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. It is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers.</p>

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: cherie levinsohn

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Lisa Maddocks

This is yet one more attempt by the City to circumvent what "they" see as a problem, namely the Police. I do not recall having voted on this Charter, probably because the wording of it was ambiguous at best, unfortunately people don't read anything thoroughly, thereby being duped into something they don't really believe. The City's statements to the public are nothing more than lip service, as what their actual plans are, are dubious. Therefore I vote NO on SB 621.

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From: Vadim Mozyrsky

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/18/2021

From: Jolene Meager

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please vote No on SB 621, show me and my fellow Officers who have unjustly and without evidence convicted in the court of public opinion, that you too value our faithful and dedicated service. hundreds of thousands of sworn law enforcement officers put On the badge and Uniform everyday and faithfully execute their oath of office , show us and the public that you too stand for justice , fairness and due process for all. That you are not interested in turning the profession of Law Enforcement into a convenient scapegoat for the ills of society. That you will not allow the sins of a few , tarnish and condemn the hundreds of thousands of Law Enforcement Officers who continue to fight against injustice in all its forms from outside and inside their profession.

Do not continue this toxic cycle. Just as is is wrong to classify a race, religion, gender or creed in one negative or condemning category so is it to classify all Police Officers as racist or corrupt.

I know you entered the difficult and challenging work of Public Service with the intention of Serice to the people of Oregon, all people of Oregon, including its sworn Law Enforcemnt who go out everyday and faithfully perform our duties and uphold our Oath of office. Please show the citizens of Oregon that you too valu fairness and due process by voting No on SB 621.

I entered this career not expecting anything extra for my service, no glory, no public accolades, no special treatment And I am not asking for it now. Today I only ask for your support by voting No on SB 621you are telling the City of Portland to respect and honor its respnsilblity to Portland Police Officers, and defect them to the Oregon Legislature

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Brad Clark

I live in North Portland, and have seen a drastic uptick in all kinds of crime. I have lived in the Arbor Lodge neighborhood for over 30 years and have never seen my neighborhood and Portland so overrun with crime, graffiti and trash.

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

From: Sheryl Phillips

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Greg Johnson

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Deborah Higginbotham

<p>Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. I support our police officers. I am 70 years old and have only seen a lifetime of good and honest police work that is invaluable to a well-run society. I feel that SB 621 is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent. The City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain and instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.</p>



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Submitted: 3/24/2021

From: David Baker

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Nancy Armstrong

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: George Stevenson

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Kathryn Linzey

Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. Police officers have been on the front lines to protect people and property during a tumultuous year - they deserve the respect of negotiations between the City of Portland and their union.

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<https://www.cnn.com/2020/06/09/us/disband-police-camden-new-jersey-trnd/index.html>

Thank you.

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Submitted: 3/12/2021

From: Marjorie C. Wolf

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Garrett Brown

<p>Legislators, Please support SB 621. The Portland Police believe they have unlimited power, and refuse to operate with any oversight, including when the public votes to create oversight. I support these efforts. Vote YES.</p>

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Thomas A. Schulze

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Margaret O'Hartigan

<p>Dear Lawmakers:</p><p>No union-busting ! Stop the attack on our peace officers in Portland by opposing SB 621. </p><p>I live a block-and-a-half from Portland's North Precinct, and have watched this summer and fall as violent attacks were repeatedly launched against our police. The feckless and cowardly city commission and mayor have tried their best to tie the hands of our peace officers, and now seek to undermine their contractual agreement with the police union.</p><p>Please don't undermine our police -- Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.</p>



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Submitted: 3/7/2021

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Jim Gardner

<p>Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. It is a misguided circumvention of Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws, and will be detrimental to police officers. The Legislature should never change laws applying to a ballot measure after the public has voted. To do so erodes public confidence in the entire referendum/initiative process and is a terrible precedent. The City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now, to avoid good-faith bargaining, Portland wants the Legislature to give it a free pass. If this attempt succeeds, local governments all over the state will assume they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please vote NO on SB 621. This will send a message to the City of Portland to bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers to implement their oversight reforms. Thank you.</p>

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: loren and carol seaver

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

From: Elizabeth Callison

Members of the Oregon Legislature:

Good morning,

Thank you for considering my testimony on SB 621, which I am submitting on my own behalf. Please vote against this ill-intentioned bill.

As a third generation Portlander, I have witnessed the repellent displays of vandalism, street violence and rioting that have made wastelands of our once gracious downtown and small business communities.

The only example of courage we have seen throughout this past year has been the daily performance of duty by our Portland Police Bureau officers -- men and women of many races and ethnicities.

These are excellent public safety personnel; although they rarely receive any expressions of gratitude by local officials or the media. The Portland Police have excellent training and are highly qualified for their work. They have a dangerous job. They deal with the worst of Portland every day-- while trying to keep the city, its businesses, streets and people safe -- to make Portland a good and productive place, regardless of substandard leadership by our local elected officials.

Ask yourselves why certain local politicians are attempting to further shackle the work of our law enforcement officers. By wrecking the Portland Police Association's legal contract with the City, what do these politicians have to gain by making the patrol officers' work even more difficult and dangerous?

Thank you for your consideration.

Please oppose SB 621.

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The City of Portland has repeatedly attempted to corrupt the bargaining process during my nearly 41 years as an employee. I NEVER saw a contract completed by the due date.

Please help to reign these people in and make them bargain.

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Thank you.

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From: Pamela Kraxberger

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Submitted: 3/5/2021

From: Fady Aroonsuck

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Stephanie Schultz

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Sharon Norton

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From: GRACE Alfieri

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Thank you for opening this forum for testimony, it validates our freedoms. Please vote NO!

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: David Stanton, PPB Retired

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Submitted: 3/11/2021

From: Keith Seanor

<p>I am a police detective at Springfield Police Department and have 32 LE experience. I've seen many changes in our profession over those 3 decades and must say the implementation of SB621 will without a doubt cause more current officers to flee this profession and deter citizens from even becoming officers. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.</p>

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From: Christine Schroth

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Gary Heilig

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From: Joseph Peter Valenti

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

From: Renee Dehen

Legislators,

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Virginia Domka

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This is a State of Oregon concern and should not be a Portland driven legislative decision.

I support our police departments. I do believe there needs to be police reforms, but taking their right to collective bargaining is not the answer.

Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.

Virginia Domka  
Corvallis, OR

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We live in Portland; we work in Portland; our children study in Portland: we need our Police Officers, and we need them to want to stay. Please honor their work, as we have voted for you to do so. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Todd

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Teresa Albert

<p>I oppose the anti-police legislation. Back The Blue!</p>



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From: Ulla westin

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Marilyn Beckham

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Let's work for all citizens, not just the loudest ones!

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: john runcie

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From: Lex Butler

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Nancy Low

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The City of Portland clearly told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain, but instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure gives the signal to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions and, not so subtly, plants seeds of distrust of local governments.

Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621.

Thank you for all your efforts on behalf of the citizens of Oregon.

Nancy Low

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Submitted: 3/5/2021

From: Audrey Aroonsuck

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Submitted: 3/15/2021

From: Greg Burn

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Denise Jeans

<p>Local governments need to work with their employee unions. They need to bargain in good faith with Portland's hard-working, sacrificing police officers. Please vote NO on SB 621.</p>

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

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From: Jeff Ware

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Ron Koenig

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Jay Parasco

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Thomas R Mason

I am an honorably retired police sergeant, having served 30 years full time at the Eugene Police Dept and 35 years part time in training at the Oregon Police Academy (DPSST) I oppose SB621 in support of officers serving our communities throughout Oregon. Having spent over half my career as a supervisor and part of management, I always felt unions were a result of poor management practices & decisions. Unfortunately, that continues and is readily found in almost any organization. At any point in bargaining and arbitration, the balance of power between Management & Associations (Unions) representing labor must have equality. I strongly urge you to listen closely to the voices who oppose SB621 - I believe they are standing for fair & equitable legislation. Tom Mason - Eugene

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From: Will Aitchison

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From: Bonnie Brantley

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From: Bill Mason

Legislators, Please oppose SB 621.

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Don Archer

Hello Oregon State Legislators. My name is Don Archer, I am a concerned citizen and am writing you today to ask that you please oppose SB 621. From my understanding of this bill, it is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. And, doing so, in this case, will be doing a disservice to our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent. From what I recall, the City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain and instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you for the work that you do. I know that this may not be an easy situation to be in, but if there's going to be an oversight committee that has the power to discipline the police department, then the integrity of law enforcement itself is in danger. I can envision police officers being derelict in their duties just to stay above the fray. And criminals becoming emboldened in their unlawful actions. I predict that if this bill passes it will be the wild, wild North West in Oregon. Thank You

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Submitted: 4/18/2021

From: Alex

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Regards,

Martin

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Tonee Webber

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Steve clasby

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Our City of Roses has become untenable, unliveable and just plain nasty with chronic riots, vandalism and criminal activity. I've been a real estate broker for 30 years and can no longer "sell" the Portland Lifestyle. This is a shameful abdication of responsibility on the part of so called leaders. Don't weaken police power. We must support our police!

Thank you.

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

From: Jeremy H.

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Monica Cory

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Diane Luck

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Portland, Oregon

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From: Robin L Smith

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Jason Mitchell

Legislators, Please oppose SB 621.

The City of Portland is attempting to subvert its contract with its police officers through legislation. Those who are entrusted with protecting the safety of the city and enforcing the law should be able to rely on a freely negotiated contract between an employer and a union.

Governments should not be able to unilaterally rewrite contracts through their legislative powers.

I grew up in the suburbs of Portland, and I think I would like to return some day. For now, I am on contract as an attorney in American Samoa. I would like to think that the state that I think of as my home would have the integrity to meet workers at the negotiating table.

Jason Mitchell  
Henry County (GA) Sheriff's Office  
Retired

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From: Neola Larsen

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Brenda Hanson

Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. It is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent.

Police officers have worked tirelessly throughout the pandemic and the protests. They need the city of Portland to live up to its agreement with them.

The City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain and instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Kyle Nice

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Daren Roeser

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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From: Barbara Klinski

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

From: Alyce Cathryn Maule

Legislators,

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Larry Siewert (retired)

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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From: Linda Craig

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/5/2021

From: Angela Orr

Legislators,

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Please vote NO on SB 621.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Marilyn Donner

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Please vote NO on SB 621.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: Jeanie reed

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: James E. Russell

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From: Gerald L Instenes Sr

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/10/2021

From: I patrick kelley

Legislators,

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/9/2021

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Please vote NO on SB 621.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/8/2021

From: Dorothy E Elmore

Legislators, I have over 25 years of law enforcement experience. I retired from the Portland Police Bureau in 2006 as the first African-American female to reach the rank of Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain and Assistant Chief. Throughout my career I found that if a decision/policy directly impacts the lives, work, social, and economic status of a group of people (whether it pertains to the work environment or not) then it is imperative that the impacted group have a seat at the decision table to give voice and perspective to the issues being decided upon. Please oppose SB 621. It is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent. The City of Portland told the voters it would bargain with its employee unions. Now the City doesn't want to bargain and instead wants to go back on its word by having the Legislature give it a free pass. This measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621. With Respect. Thank you!



## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/7/2021

From: Margaret

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Please vote NO on SB 621.

Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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From: Byron Borisoff

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 3/6/2021

From: ROBERT PUGH

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Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: J M Perkins

I am deeply concerned and troubled about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions; city employees, nurses, teachers, just to name a few. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be a disregard and disrespect to their professionalism, oaths and dedication to protect and serve their communities.

As a State government, it is important to protect our police officers and law enforcement agencies as they selfishly protect us, the law abiding citizens. It is your moral and ethical responsibility to depend and protect them.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Please vote NO.

Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Stephanie Hudson

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/23/2021

From: DANA TAWNEY

Almost my entire life has been spent in Portland, OR. My career and lifestyle have always been centered around living in the NW. It has continually bothered me that the City of Portland has regularly cut corners to abridge the rights of its citizens and employees. Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/26/2021

From: Christine Martin

Are the senators really going to consider a bill that's already been decided by a vote of the people?  
SB621 is an attack on

unions in general. The Longshormen need to pay attention to  
this.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Mike Holmgren

As an Oregonian, I am deeply concerned about these attempts to circumvent collective bargaining by The State. This establishes an increasingly dangerous progression that I believe will ultimately erode local public safety to total inefficacy and establish precedence that will be used for dismantling unions and workers' rights. I endorse the following message:

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Ken H

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Denise DuPont

Below is a prepared email that I firmly believe in! I believe that Black Lives Matter, I also believe that Blue Lives Matter!

Please don't be pressured into doing something that will be to the detriment of our Police force

(They are dealing with too much negativity as it is)!

Please show them you have their backs!

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Denise DuPont

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Karrlee Foster-Kirkpatrick

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Thank you,

Karrlee

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Karen Evans

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Jeff Bender

Governor Brown, Speaker Kotek, Senate President Courtney, and all Oregon Legislators,

I, along with many friends and family, am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law.

For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. This violation of public trust will undoubtedly be litigated if approved and will cost the citizens of Oregon money. Funds that could be used to help mitigate the effects of COVID19 on Oregon's citizens and businesses.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be an overt slap in the face. It further divides police and the public at large and creates a demonization narrative and action that is undeserved.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Thank you, respectfully,

Jeff Bender - Sisters, Oregon

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/20/2021

From: R Cancio

Greetings!

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

I served the public for 43 years as a police officer in two departments. This is a slap in the face to this currently serving, retirees, prospective police officers and those who gave the ultimate sacrifice.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Jeremy

Hello Legislators,

My name is Jeremy and I have spent the last 17 years protecting my community in Beaverton.

I'm a public employee and I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to voters that our state is controlled by the few and not its community members. Collective bargaining is a vital tool for workers rights and SB 621 will have a ripple effect through all public employees including firefighters and teachers. Local governments need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Emily Smith

Hello

My name is Emily, I live in Tualatin and my husband is a Police Officer. SB621 is really concerning to me and we need you legislators to help keep our Officers safe.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face.

We need your help! Thank you.

Emily



## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Tatyana Kolchugina

Hello, legislators. I am a senior citizen from Corvallis.

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Nick de Freitas

Hellos, my name is Nick de Freitas and I am sending this in response to SB 621. I believe this needs to be changed.

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/27/2021

From: Tom Wells

I absolutely support the establishment of the oversight board for police misconduct. I am also extraordinarily concerned that the police union will block the will of the people they are sworn to protect. Please pass SB 621.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: pat kelley

I am a retired Portland Police detective. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Erik Daniels

I am deeply against SB 621 and efforts to bypass Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There only reason the City of Portland is not adhering to the current laws is because of politics of the moment. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not allow SB 621 to pass. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Jane Anon

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building is unacceptable. We need to find ways to work together to come to agreeable solutions for all so we can establish some peace. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Barbara Jackson

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. I am a strong believer in unions and while I have reservations about the power sometimes wielded by the police union, it should not be cut out of the process of setting up the new disciplinary board. The vast majority of Portland police officers do their best to defend us and our city, often under very trying circumstances, and they deserve to be represented in discussions/negotiations that will directly affect them. Further, if collective bargaining is circumvented in this instance, it could set a precedent to bypass union participation in future instances. Please do not move forward with SB 621. Thank you for your consideration.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: David

I am trouble by SB 621. My grandparents grew up in Portland. My parents grew up in Portland and I grew up in Portland. Now I try and serve my community as a Portland Police Officer.

Unfortunately, our city government is run by a few people who have great power and who have demonstrated a disdain for police. One in particular has called police racist, spread completely untrue conspiracy theories ranging from police are secretly behind criminal destruction during protest to police accidentally shot themselves and planted a gun during an officer involved shooting.

In 2020, Portland Police Officers were subject to nightly assaults, explosives were thrown at them, firebombs were thrown at them, they were called every name imaginable, they were threatened and their families threaten , I was followed from work on several occasions and people threatened to harm me as I walked to work.

Portland has seen triple the shootings from the year before and a 30 year high in homicides. Portland is one of America's capitals of car theft.

Portland Police shot 0 people in 2020. A metropolitan area of millions of people. A country with hundreds of millions of firearms. A homelessness, addiction and mental health crisis ravaging the city. Portland Police Officers have dealt with all of this incredibly.

Yet we Continue to be attacked. The City measure 26-217 was created by this same commissioner who lies about the actions of police. If you read the proposal of this board you would see its tremendous problems. The oversight board will be accountable to nobody. It will have the power to discipline up to termination officers based on politics and not due process. It actually says it will try and find people with mental illness and drug abuse to be on the board.

But it is not possible due to the city's obligation to go through collective bargaining with the Portland Police Association. That's why they are trying to go around that.

I'm not opposed to accountability and invite it. I'm not opposed to reform. We need to be better. However, I am not okay with radical board seeking their opportunity to punish police. That's what this attempt is.

I am a good officer and a good person. I will leave if this is the message the State of Oregon and City of Portland is sending to those of us who try and protect the citizens. Others will join me and you will not have good people looking to law enforcement as a career. Instead you will find the type of people who barricade residential streets pointing rifles at people who look at them as your candidates for law enforcement. You'll find people who dress in all black and attack people who disagree with them as your law enforcement candidates. In other words, the supporters of the proponent of this City of Portland "oversight board. "



Please vote against this. I love this city and state. Don't ruin it any further.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Tatyana Kolchugina

I am writing to you, our elected

Legislators that I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

I am a senior citizen from Corvallis.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Tom Stewart

I hope someone will actually read this message and take the time to think about the consequences of SB 621, before making a decision based on personal beliefs and, or social media.

It doesn't take an educated person to instantly realize that SB 621 is out right wrong. Law enforcement officers put their lives on the line every day to protect the communities they serve, which includes those of you in Salem.

The anti-law enforcement rhetoric that has taken ahold this past year in the media is scary and unacceptable. Elected officials are caving to an extremely small group of people who are causing irreparable damage to society. Yes, I'm talking about the constant rioters in Portland, Salem and Eugene. These people are capitalizing on a movement to weaken law enforcement and it's ability to protect and serve based on opinions and not facts.

Law enforcement has always been treated different than other professions and our actions are held under a microscope. We are criticized for split second decisions but that many people would be unable to perform. But being held to a higher level is okay, there is nothing wrong with this.

We choose this career to help our communities. Yes we could quit and choose a different path but that isn't who we are.

Are we perfect? Of course not, but who is? Nobody wants to have to be placed in a use of force situation but when the time comes, we must rely on our training and instincts to survive. If the aftermath of a use of force situation we should continue to be allowed the same benefits as other professions and we deserve equal representation.

Unions, although not perfect, are legal and necessary to protect workers. History supports this.

If legal protections are taken away from law enforcement it will actually weaken the system. We all know the system is in bad shape already. Officers will leave this profession and those who stay will be reluctant to do their jobs. This is already happening in Portland.

Please stand up for what is right and do not support SB 621.

Thank you,

Tom Stewart

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: anne lamb

I live in Happy Valley and am seriously concerned about your efforts to bind the hands of unions. The City of Portland needs so much help with their law enforcement and now you are going to change the rules on collective bargaining? Our police officers need more support than ever. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Lori Edwards

I was born and raised in Portland, and I care about the safety of Portland and its citizenry. Police are vital and without their community caretaking, we slip into chaos. We need these heroes, these brave people to continue their valued service. They need support now more than ever. I share the following plea.

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Lawrence D (LD) Smith

I'm a retired officer from Portland Police Bureau. I see no reason to subvert the union and the contract in which police officers have worked under for many years.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Caroline

I'm sure you've received a few of the below email by now. I used to have more fight in me to stand up for the underdog but I have been so bruised emotionally and physically over the past 2 years that I have no fight left. I'm horrified by the lack of common sense in the entire nation lately. The knee jerk reactions for social notoriety has got to stop. These larger issues can't be solved overnight. I stand by the below statements. Please help stop the madness instead of contributing to it. How can you expect a fair discipline process from a city who's leadership wasn't even aware that what they were doing was not legal? And the workaround is to make it legal? This SB621 is absurd.

"Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you."

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Jeff Nelson

Legislators et al,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws that are in place for good reason(s). The City of Portland should be REQUIRED to abide by the current law. As a voter and tax paying Oregonian for 40 years, I urge you to dismiss SB 621 for it is an end around which will draw legal challenges at taxpayer expense.

Respectively,



## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/23/2021

From: Michael Purdy

Legislators,

I am a Detective with the Beaverton Police Department. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland, and other cities and counties, cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending citizens, speaking for children who cannot speak for themselves, helping adult survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence get justice, and protecting Legislators at the Capitol Building this would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Thank you.

Michael Purdy

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 2/13/2021

From: Mitchell Orellana

Legislators,

I am a Portland Police Bureau detective in the Domestic Violence Unit. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Do not allow the City of Portland to bypass the people of Portland by pandering to various political groups. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Detective Mitchell Orellana

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Zach Kenney

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws.

I have been a police officer for over 16 years. I grew up in a strong union household. I owe where I am in life and my ability to provide for my family to the ability of my union to collectively bargain. There is no reason the City of Portland, or any other public employer, cannot abide by the current law.

SB 621 means local governments no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

As a police officer, I go to work and put my self in harm's way. I agree to do this because my union, on my behalf, has negotiated an agreement with my employer. I agree to certain terms of employment and expectations and, in turn, my employer provides me with compensation and provides the working conditions that were agreed upon. And, like any other person who enters into a contract would, I take issue with a third party nullifying and changing portions of my negotiated contract on behalf of my employer. I go to work every day in good faith and try to do what is best for my community. Allow my employer to bargain with me in good faith and leave my bargaining rights alone!

Please stop this anti-union assault on my bargaining rights and kill SB 621.

Zach Kenney

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/23/2021

From: Brad

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Thank you.

Brad

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Mike Smith

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law.

For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face.

Collective Bargaining is essential to worker's rights and that the rights of law-enforcement personnel should be no less than those of firefighters and teachers who also use Collective Bargaining agreements.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/23/2021

From: Kathy Collver

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

I am a Union worker myself and I feel you are setting a horrible precedent and putting all union jobs in jeopardy.

In addition, for the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

As a representative of your people it is more important that you vote in a manner that represents what your people want. Please oppose SB621.

Much Respect and gratitude,

~Kathy Collver

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 2/20/2021

From: Ron Fisher

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/3/2021

From: Michael Selvaggio

Legislators,

Please do not move SB 621 forward. Thank you.

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Scott

Legislators,

Until recently, the City of Portland had an independent police review board (IPR). The anti police atmosphere generated by the current Portland city council lead to everyone on that board quitting their positions. I find the reasons behind SB 621 suspect, and I am also concerned about the legalities of SB 621 effort's to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. I do not see a reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law except for the personal biases of the current city council.

For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

It seems clear to me that SB 621 specifically targets police officers, more specifically the Portland Police, based on their profession only.

Thank you,

Scott Foster

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Steve macartney

Legislators,

Not only do collective bargaining rights protect employees, they also directly protect citizens who are the true customers of public safety employees. Collective bargaining allows public safety members a seat at the table to not only improve practices, but also avoid harmful not well thought out laws/policies.

As such, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Jeannette Hopson

Legislators, as a police dispatcher and union member I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. It's time to support our essential workers and stand up for collective bargaining. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Eamon O'Brien

Legislators, as a police officer in Oregon, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Ken Jones

Legislators, As a resident of Portland I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. At present the various policies being proposed to advance the law enforcement profession all generally will reduce the pool of skilled applicants. Do not reduce the chances of recruiting qualified people. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Tom Perkins

Legislators, As a resident of Sunriver, Oregon and former employee of the City of Portland, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Tom Perkins

Sunriver, OR

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Vicki Jeffries Bilton

Legislators, As an Oregon resident, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. It is outrageous that the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. The Oregon Legislature has supported police in the past, including fallen officers and their families - please continue to do so. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Brad Moyle

Legislators, I am a citizen in the metro area and am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.



## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Detective E. Burt

Legislators, I am a detective with a mid-sized agency. I primarily work child-related sex crimes, and other major crimes including murder, rape, and kidnapping. Whenever I talk to civilians about my work, it is clear the vast majority do not understand the evil in our world (readily addressed by law enforcement), and do not fully grasp what law enforcement officers go through. I can't tell them about the sleepless nights from having to look through thousands of images of child pornography, to try and sift through identified/unidentified victims. They don't understand what an adrenaline dump is, following a domestic call where I was seconds away from shooting a man who would not take the knife away from his wife's throat. They don't understand the strain I go through of constantly scanning people at the grocery store to check for potential threats. This may seem silly/unnecessary to civilians, but it is a real part of the job and may keep me alive until I can retire in 20 years.

My point is, in order to allow citizens to have oversight of law enforcement, they need to understand the inner workings, not only of what we do, but also how the job affects us. To give a group of people power over police officers, when that group does not know the pressure, the sacrifice, the reality of a life-changing, split-second decision, is folly.

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Sabra

Legislators, I am a law abiding, tax paying, Oregon loving citizen. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. If we don't start taking care of our brave men and women on the front lines, how can we expect them to be at their best? First Responders take care of citizens EVERYDAY, we need to have their back on this one. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/26/2021

From: Steve Bottcher

Legislators, I am a retired 28 year veteran of the Portland Police Bureau. While there I worked each of the precincts, the Gang Enforcement Team, a background investigator in several assignments, 5 years in Internal Affairs, and over 4 years supervising crime scene investigators (Criminalistics).

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building, local elected officials and on occasion the President of the United States would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/20/2021

From: Kerry Taylor (Ret. PPB)

Legislators, I am a retired PPB detective, and a registered Independent voter. I'm deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the largely Democrat Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

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Submitted: 1/20/2021

From: David

Legislators, I am concerned about SB 621 and the bills efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective bargaining laws. It appears to me some Portland City officials are attempting to overreach their authority. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state, and possibly further, that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. There are thousands of Unions in place around the Nation in a multitude of jobs. These Unions are to protect employees rights and to insure due process. I have not seen other Unions, or careers, being attacked as maliciously as law enforcement. To solely select out law enforcement and grossly remove their Union representation is wrong, biased, and most likely illegal. I do work in Oregon for an agency in the criminal justice system. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Darcy Nyone

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. I am a long-time resident of Oregon, a mental health counselor, and a wife of a Portland Police Officer. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Danielle

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. I have lived in Oregon my whole life abs the portland area 15 years (of which I still work). There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Dick Karman

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From: L Tope

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Jeff

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Lisa Fronczek

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. The Police Unions are trying to work with you, please work with them. They want the bad police out just as much as you do. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state and others that its citizens do not matter. The US is a powerful nation because of the respect for policies, procedures, and FAIR due process. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Portland police need support from their politicians and citizens. Changing legislation due to violent protesters encourages more violence and unlawfulness. I've visited Portlan, OR several times from my home in Maryland and my heart breaks at what is happening there. I will not return until the police get the support that they need to quench the violent protestors. I also recommend that local government work with the community advocates and the police to build a plans for diversity and lines fur better communication. I have had friends from Germany comment on the trouble that we have in Washington DC and that is nothing like what is being allowed to happen there. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Regards,

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/21/2021

From: Ben Stubbs

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From: Chris Mackey

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Chris

Eugene Resident

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Submitted: 1/21/2021

From: Bryan

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Submitted: 1/21/2021

From: Michael

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## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Andrew Edgecomb

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law.

As a former member of the PPA Executive Board I know first hand the reasons the City of Portland continually loses in employment related arbitration - in short, they don't follow the rules. It pained me, and many others to see officers who should have stayed fired, get their jobs back - but when taking a case to arbitration, it's about the facts, not the person or politics. No other city in the state has this sort of difficulty in terminating for cause - that in itself should be a red flag.

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Portland Police Sergeant, Ret

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From: Angel M Reyes

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Bryson Peacock

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/25/2021

From: Angela Keller

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From: Jeff Argubright

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From: Jessica Grigsby

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Additionally, as a union employee myself, I have an autoimmune disease and my union is the ONLY protection I have for my job. If you go above the voted upon methods, you will invalidate every union in the state and many undeserving individuals will lose their jobs. Thank you.

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From: Tammy Farley

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From: Daphne Plumeau

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From: Bonnie Brantley

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I am a long time portland resident and businesses owner who is so ready to move due to the continuing violence that goes virtually unchecked. I'm tired of our PPB being so disrespected and out in harms way every day with out the support of our city council. Please do what you can to help us.

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I have lived in Portland since 1967 and have seen many times these men and women go above and beyond what is expected of them. The abuse and injuries that many have suffered over the last 7 1/2 months is beyond appalling. Until legislatures walk in their shoes, they should not in any way attempt to put in place any policies, other than those voters approved of.

The continuation of changing voter approved policies, only works to undermine the trust of the people.

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I would think that other labor unions and collective bargaining organizations, in and outside of taxpayer supported agencies would not be happy about the direction of this SB. Since these labor organizations generally are in support of elected officials who lean in their direction, it might have a negative unplanned result on future elections.

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621 really is a very bad step in the wrong direction. Historically when people call the police they expect a neutral 3rd party, the officer, to respond and help them navigate the situation they are in , based on the laws as written, without political influence. 621 will allow the political winds to blow and negatively influence the equal protection that is supposed to exist under the law. The people that will ultimately pay are all the citizens when officers are hesitant to take any action for fear of being sacrificed in the name of politics. There is no good reason why anyone would want that. Please do not support 621.  
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I have served the community without hesitation before, during and will be after this pandemic. My fellow officers and I are very worried about this bill. If this bill were to be signed into law. Officers at all levels of experience will leave their departments. This would create a risk to the safety of everyone in every community. Please do the right thing! Don't let this bill become law!

Thank you

Brian Hansen

Husband, Father, Officer

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Dear Legislators,

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Respectfully,

Michael Brown

Retired Police Officer.

(63) year resident of the City of Portland.

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I have a son who is a police officer in Salem and he serves proudly and we are proud of him! Do not let the current political environment interfere with the previous votes of the people nor with the unions working to protect our officers who put themselves in harms way; of which my son is one!

Sincerely,

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Please understand that Public Safety Officers, Peace Officers are Oregonians that are in service today at greater risk than ever. The risk extends to their families as well. They too are citizens and their children are part of Oregon's future. As part of the state legislative process, you must understand that we serve no one by withdrawing support from those whose sworn task is to take on unprecedented risk for all the safety of our Community. Our Public Safety workers are Us. They come from our communities, work for our communities, and risk for our communities. They cannot function without community support. Our labor organizations exist to serve the relationship between our public, our workers and our collective safety, and our public leadership. It's a vital function and part of our collective bargaining commitment. Thank you.

David Barrios

Honorably retired

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We need the police. The majority of them are EXCELLENT and put their lives on the line to serve us. Work with the police, not against them, PLEASE. We need more police officers, not fewer. They need our support and do not need their hands tied. They need to be allowed to enforce the law.



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I served with Portland Police for 30 years and am very familiar with the benefit to members provided by the Police Association.

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I am a retired detective , 1990, with the Portland Police Bureau. I now live in Newberg, Oregon, but still follow police interactions throughout the state. Now is a time, more than ever for the powers that be, stand behind their first line of defense, the police.

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I am a resident of SE Portland and have lived in Portland for 10 years. I graduated from Lewis and Clark Law School and now work for the City of Portland. I appreciate you taking the time to read my concerns and look forward to hearing how you voted.

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As a retired teacher, I can't help but think what it would be like for the public to remove teachers' voice from bargaining issues, assuming that they know the intricacies of that job enough to assume responsibility for speaking for them. Again, I ask you - please do not go down that road!

Thank you.

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Jeremy Anderson

Beaverton, Oregon

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Please don't allow any further erosion of collective bargaining for any reason.

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I am very concerned about the backhanded way that certain legislators are trying to destroy collective bargaining in Oregon.

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We have a tradition in Oregon of standing up for worker's rights! This will undermine all collective bargaining agreements and that isn't good for anyone union employee or not! Collective bargaining agreement's help keep wages at a fair level for everyone. Employees have a hard enough time standing up for what is right. I'm personally in a legal battle with a very large companies about work issues. I'm literally fighting giants. The combined value of the companies I'm in a legal battle with have a combined value of well over \$500 Billion dollars. I personally don't have the money to compete with these companies. SB 621 Thank you.

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The dedicated police officers in Portland deserve better. They should be protected and have the right to collective bargaining.

Thank you for your time and please do not support SB 621.

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Corvallis, OR

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My family has a history of police work as well as being a strong union supportive household, both Democrats and Republicans. This shouldn't be a difficult issue. Mae Portland bargain!

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I am a retired Portland Police officer. I served the citizens of Portland for 26 years. Please let the current collective bargaining laws prevail. The men and women of law enforcement need your support now more than ever. Thank you. Tom Rhodes

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Please also consider the fact that Collective Bargaining is essential to worker's rights and that the rights of LE personnel should be no less than those of firefighters and teachers who also use Collective Bargaining agreements.

Thank you,

Peggy

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Submitted: 1/23/2021

From: JTB

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City officials have been untruthful and pushing false narrative to benefit their personal cause, that do not speak for majority. Citizens need to know the city's current process and how strict it is already, to add more to it will only further the cause for some city officials personal causes. Please look at the current practice already in place it is a fair and equitable process. What happened in another state thousands of miles away, should not be used as punishment for what our department has accomplished in the last 20 plus years in my career. We have made so many changes and instead of holding criminals accountable, the fingers are pointing at one entity of the justice system, only law enforcement. If laws that are being enforced, need to be changed, then change the laws. You are welcome to come see what we do first hand and what we are limited to do. Request for a ride along.

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I am a life long resident of Oregon (except for my military time) and have lived in Portland for most of it. I have lived in my current home for over 30 years. In addition to my military service, I served five years as a Portland 911 dispatcher and 27+ years Portland Police Officer. Many of the changes, including collective bargaining, will have significant detrimental effects on policing in Portland. Both as a former police officer and long time citizen of Portland, I am very concerned for the safety of myself and my family, not to mention the livability of Portland and the long term effects failing to support law enforcement will have. The loud minority and the policies of defunding the police we have seen in the last year have resulted in greater disrespect for the law and those who put their lives in harm's way every day to protect us and keep us safe so we can live and work in at least some degree of safety. Making it more difficult for them to get a fair contract and have protections when they risk their lives will not serve Portlanders or the state!

Please do not support his measure!

Thank you for reading,

Tim

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The political attacks on police in Oregon (Portland) have got to stop. I keep hearing about needed reforms but haven't seen evidence locally that most of the reforms talked about are needed or apply here. In Portland the concept of a new oversight board was pushed out to the voters. Why is a new board needed when there is already one that is effective? If there are issues with the new one, why didn't they address those issues?

Reason is that those pushing this initiative want sideline control to push their agendas and that the only reason for another is that those pushing it don't "like" the outcomes from IPR.

A board that reports to no elected official but is being pushed for and rules defined by an anti-police activist? Sounds like a recipe for disaster.

Enough is enough. Please look ahead and see the long term ramifications of these decisions.

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From: Mike Kloss

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Portland, OR

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It is the Police of every city, and every county. Remember when Hardesty needed the Police and they showed up,, its the same for all of us. Doing this to our great Officers will be very hazards and reckless. There soon won't be a Police force for Portland or any city in Oregon. Now the ball falls on you. Do you support the Police, or do you make it so that there will never be Police in our State again. You and your family will bear this burden for the rest of time if you choose poorly.

Thank you

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Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Cathy Perkins

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: B

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Chris Lafrenz

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/20/2021

From: John V K-----

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 2/2/2021

From: AJ

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. Portland's problems should not be applied universally across this diverse state. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Kathleen Mossel

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. The only reason the City of Portland wants the legislature to intervene and change the law is because they don't want to take the time to work with the Police Association and bargaining a deal that is acceptable to both parties. Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. . The City of Portland clearly doesn't want to follow the laws already in place. The abuse their power and try to circumvent policies already in place to push their own agenda that only hurts the City. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Angela H

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. Why have rules if the standing party will just circumvent them? For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Nathan Moore

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. This is a giant step backwards in labor law and sets a precedent for all future collective bargaining. The implications far exceed just the law enforcement profession. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: McKayla

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. The City of Portland commissioners have stood behind months of violence from rioters, that have attacked business owners and residents, rioters who have threatened and assaulted police officers, and commissioners that have spread a false narrative on police officers, (for example, police officers are starting fires to brutality attack riots). The City of Portland and its commissioners need to be held accountable for their actions, as well as abiding by state law. SB 621 is a huge disservice to the men and women sworn to protect Portland, the very city that has abandoned them. Please do not pass this legislation.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Dianne Nowak

Legislators, I am DEEPLY concerned about SB 621. Don't move decision making for police union away from local government. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Brianne Sweeney

Legislators, I am deeply deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.



## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 2/16/2021

From: M Reed

Legislators, I am sure each of you would vehemently oppose any attempts by your constituents to do an end-run around you, so bear that in mind. Better yet, just do not attempt it! I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Shelby Lau

Legislators, I am very worried about SB 621 and efforts to dissolve Oregon's Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by current laws. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a horrific precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they do not need to work mutually with their employee unions.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers and other first responders who put themselves in harm's way to protect us and you at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Sincerely,

Sheung Lau

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Zachary Domka

Legislators, I have a strong negative opinion toward SB 621. A terrible precedent will be set if Oregon's elected officials change the rules on which the public has already voted. The City of Portland's attempt to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws is disappointing, as there is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the law as it currently stands. Such legislation would signal local governments all over the state that they would no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/21/2021

From: Matthew Condon

Legislators, I have been police officer in this state for nearly 30 years. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. The fact is, both teachers and firefighters operate under these same laws. Additionally, these laws support worker's rights and protect against abuses.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: R. Beard

Legislators, I live in Hillsboro. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Dave Sanders

Legislators, My name is Dave Sanders. I have been a cop in Oregon for 14 years. The please consider these serious issues behind this bill. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/27/2021

From: Miriam Kirkpatrick

Legislators, My name is Miriam from Springfield, OR. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 2/2/2021

From: Ed Wells

Legislators, please do not set a precedent where workers have fewer rights! I am well aware that there is a push to diminish law enforcement's contributions to society, but I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. This is a poor way to treat your fellow public servants. Thank you.



## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Sherry

Legislators,

My daughter was in a house that was shot up by unprecedented Portland gun violence on January 14 2021. Do you care?

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Please support our police. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: John C

Legislators,

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. The Portland Metro area is seeing a tremendous crime wave that will continue unfettered if the police

have their bargaining rights stripped. Nothing will be safe and the applicant quality for police officer jobs will suffer.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/21/2021

From: Patrick Antoine

Legislators,

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Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Kevin McDonald

Legislators,

Having been a law enforcement officer in this state for over 26 years, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way daily, defending their communities, it would be a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Kevin McDonald

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Jennifer Blair

Legislators,

Please vote no to SB 621. It is unfair and unrealistic to leave law enforcement out of the bargaining process. A police officer is a highly unique job and when you are creating a board of people outside the police force you need to at least let the union and officers be part of the process. Not very many people know what it is like to be in life or death situations nor have the training on how to deal with these situations. It will take a lot of education on both sides for there to be an effective disciplinary body for police officers and you cannot leave out the people that it will affect the most. Police work is already the most hated job at this time and you will lose a lot of good officers if you do not let them be part of the conversation.

Thank you

Jennifer Blair

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Brian

Legislators, as a Oregon resident and voter, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Leslie Cantero

Legislators, As a RN and a member of the Oregon Nurses Association. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Leslie Cantero

Legislators, As a RN and member of the Oregon Nurse Association I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. I live in Gladstone and used to shop and dine in Portland every week. Due to the lawlessness by the riots I am too fearful to bring my children or myself into the city. We need MORE POLICE. Safer city PLEASE. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.



## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Erin A.

Legislators, I am a 30+ year police officer with a family here in Oregon. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Erin

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Scotty Nowning

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## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Ty Meier

Legislators, I have many years of experience in both the private and public sectors and I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland and its miss guided command staff cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face and completely disrespectful. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/18/2021

From: Andrew McFerron

Legislators, my name is Andrew McFerron and I am a resident of Stayton Oregon. There are many troubling items up for discussion in this legislative session however the specific issue is one that hits very close to home.

A charge is being led from the Portland Metro area to make sweeping changes to labor laws specifically as it concerns LEO's and their unions. There is no other job were more split-second second decisions have to be made in order to protect community safety. I can tell you legislation such as this will only serve to undermine the confidence officers have in their ability to make these decisions without being Monday morning quarterbacked by people who know nothing about the job that they do. It is asinine to believe that somebody with no training or experience in the law-enforcement world could have a qualified opinion to render discipline on these matters.

Quite frankly this is the tip of an iceberg. If the trend continues down this road (you and I both know it will if this bill is passed) we will not have police officers left in our state to keep our communities safe. We will lose them to other states or to other vocations entirely. People of sufficient character are, now more than ever, entertaining other career options rather than law enforcement due to the increasing scrutiny and political issues associated the job.

I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

People do need a voice, and recent changes to police training oversight at the state level will provide ample opportunity to make theirs heard.

Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Terri Kam

Legislators, Please listen to our voices. The police need our support. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

Respectfully,

Terri Kam

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 3/3/2021

From: test

Legislators, Please oppose SB 621. It is a blatant effort to unnecessarily circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws to the detriment of our police officers. For the Legislature to change the law applying to a ballot measure directly after the public has voted sets a terrible and unfair precedent. Also, this measure signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. Instead, please instruct the City of Portland to first bargain in good faith with Portland's police officers in order to implement their oversight reforms. Please vote NO on SB 621. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Courtney W

Legislators,

I strongly oppose SB 621. I am deeply concerned about this bill and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/27/2021

From: Maria Lithgow

Oregon Legislators: I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.



## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/16/2021

From: Tracy Ballew

Please ask yourself. "How much would they need to pay me to do police work?" Whatever you just answered, I am confident that the starting wage of a police officer is less. Police work is a labor of love. It is a calling. It is a recognition that the officer has the personality that can survive the daily bombardment of trauma they experience day in and out. You as the community are asking human

beings to do the job no one else is willing to do. For that reason, officers deserve thoughtful consideration. Collective bargaining helps protect officers who fall into "damned if they do, damned if they don't dilemma".

As a recently retired, 27 year veteran police officer, I am willing to talk candidly about the realities of police work

In Oregon.

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/19/2021

From: Emmy Ivarsson

Please do not enact SB 621! Doing so is going down a path of essentially making unions almost entirely toothless. I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with union employees.

I strongly believe and fear the Portland Police will not only lose well educated, strongly qualified servants, but will also not be able to further recruit the employees everyone wants for their police force, should SB 621 be enacted. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action.

Thank you,

Emmy Ivarsson

PPB Officer

Central Precinct

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Emily Lopez

Please know that this legislature directly harms our police. The majority of them have served our public selflessly and are constantly fighting to be able to continue to protect us without dealing with this type of bureaucracy.

For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be a huge slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 2/2/2021

From: Andy McBride

Please listen to us legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/17/2021

From: Robert Keenan

Police officers put their safety and lives between us and danger. They should be supported as much as possible.

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: James McHughes

Senators and Representatives, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws.

I have always been pro union and that doesn't change with the public sector or with police.

There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law.

For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions.

Unions and collective bargaining represent the basic protections employees have in our society. You are either pro union or your not.

Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.

James McHughes

Mt. Tabor area resident.

## **STATEMENT Re: SB 621**

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Submitted: 1/15/2021

From: Angela Goldsmith

To all of you,

I am very upset that SB 621 is even being considered. The City of Portland is not above the law that the people have already voted on. This would set a precedent of over-ruling some of the protections that our beleaguered police force relies on.

Please focus on important matters like reigning in the current violence and making smart far-reaching effects into the homeless matter.

Thank you.

## STATEMENT Re: SB 621

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Submitted: 1/22/2021

From: Thomas Hoerauf

Understand that this sort of reactionary and performative decision making could have long standing impacts that I believe are being ignored in favor of appeasement of activists. These same people will not be satisfied or even notice the passing of this legislation. Instead, you will have needlessly handicapped the ability of officers to protect people and their property.

Legislators, I am deeply concerned about SB 621 and efforts to circumvent Oregon's long-standing Collective Bargaining laws. There is no reason the City of Portland cannot abide by the current law. For the Legislature to change the rules after the public has already voted sets a terrible precedent, and signals to local governments all over the state that they no longer need to work constructively with their employee unions. For the Legislature to do this to the police officers who readily put themselves in harm's way defending Legislators at the Capitol Building would be even more a slap in the face. Please do not dignify SB 621 with further action. Thank you.