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Measure: SB891

I oppose SB 891 and urge you to please vote no on this bill. Oregonians deserve better than what SB 891 delivers. Government involvement in ending the lives of citizens is an extremely dangerous practice and leads to a mindset of violence and destruction rather than hope and ease of suffering. Oregonians should not be proud that our government wants to help kill us and out-of-state residents. While SB 891 gives the illusion of less suffering, in reality it provides less empathy, less resilience, and we'll be weaker because of it. Instead of trying to legislate more, easier, and faster ways to kill Oregonians, perhaps our legislators can look to protecting and serving individuals and families in need of care and support during the end of life journey. Quick killing is not the solution. Please vote no on SB 891.