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On Behalf Of: Oregonians and its visitors
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure: HB2007

To The Oregon State Legislature,

I OPPOSE House Bill 2007.

“Gun Free Zones” do not work!

“Gun Free Zones” open more buildings to criminals with bad intent.

Where a citizen is “not allowed” to carry a firearm, more people will be put in dangerous situations because violent criminals don’t care about or follow the law.

Police are not sufficiently funded (especially following the protests, riots, Defund the Police, Antifa, and Black Lives Matter movements of 2020-2022) and cannot respond to situations in a timely manner to prevent mass deaths caused by a criminal shooting in a “Gun Free Zone”.

A legally armed citizenry acts as a deterrent to violent criminals.

This bill infringes upon the Second Amendment Rights of a free people causing a major open invitation to anyone who would choose to create massive chaos.

When those who control buildings adopt the policy expressed by this bill, they effectively eliminate legal firearms carry, which is unconstitutional and dangerous.

Stop the assault on my 2nd Amendment Rights!

Sincerely,

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