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Measure: SB348

I strongly oppose SB 348.

This bill will only make it difficult for law abiding citizens to own guns and protect themselves. Those that have lower income and/or live in lower class neighborhoods will not be able to afford to protect themselves or it will prevent them from getting the protection they need in a timely manner.

Living in rural Oregon, there are predators such as mountain lions that roam through and around my property, becoming a potential threat to my animals, my family, and myself when I leave my house. If bills like these go through, they will be taking away personal protection from citizens that follow the law, not criminals. The current laws in effect are effective when implemented and allow people, such as myself, to own a gun without going through unnecessary hoops and worrying about being able to afford every hurdle they want to shove in our way.

I urge you to OPPOSE SB 348.