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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Judiciary
Measure: SB1503

To the committee:

As a law-abiding citizen, I am opposed to SB 1503 as a waste of taxpayers' money and as a Trojan horse for further anti-gun bills. Furthermore, the task force will consist solely of anti-2nd Amendment activists. No Oregonian who supports gun rights will be allowed to participate in the task force. The fact is, if someone wants to commit suicide, there are (unfortunately) a great many options these days, guns being just one. Instead of investigating the instrument of self-harm (guns, in this case), we should be looking at the root causes of suicide and other forms of self-harm. The ultimate answer lies in spiritual regeneration through Christ, but Democrats typically aren't interested in pursuing spiritual solutions to life's problems. Blaming guns and gun owners won't fix anything.

Sincerely,

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