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Measure 114 is a direct assault on the constitutional rights of Oregonians, and I strongly oppose it. This measure does nothing to stop criminals—it only punishes law-abiding citizens by burying them under excessive regulations, endless delays, and government overreach.

The so-called “permit-to-purchase” requirement is a blatant attempt to discourage gun ownership by forcing responsible citizens to jump through hoops, pay fees, submit fingerprints, and wait indefinitely for approval from bureaucrats who have no incentive to act quickly. This is not about safety—it’s about control. It creates an unfair system where only those with the time and resources can exercise their Second Amendment rights while leaving others defenseless.

The magazine capacity limit is another useless restriction that does nothing to stop crime. Criminals don’t follow magazine laws—only responsible gun owners do. This measure would force thousands of Oregonians to modify or surrender legally owned firearms just to comply with an arbitrary, feel-good restriction that has no impact on public safety.

Measure 114 is nothing more than an unconstitutional power grab by anti-gun extremists who want to strip away our rights piece by piece. If we allow this to pass, what’s next? More bans, more restrictions, more government control over who gets to protect themselves and their families?