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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3075

To: Oregon State Legislature / Relevant Committee Members

Subject: Opposition to Measure 114 and House Bill 3075

Dear Chair Jason Kropf and Members of the Committee.

I am writing today in strong opposition to Measure 114 and House Bill 3075. As a concerned Oregonian, hunter, fisher father and self defense advocate.

Concerns with Measure 114:

Measure 114 imposes a permit-to-purchase system and magazine capacity restrictions that disproportionately impact responsible gun owners while doing little to deter criminals. The permitting system creates unnecessary bureaucratic hurdles, effectively acting as a backdoor restriction on Second Amendment rights.

Additionally, the magazine ban criminalizes standard-capacity magazines used by countless lawful gun owners for self-defense, hunting, and competitive shooting.

The measure also raises concerns about implementation costs and law enforcement resource allocation. The Oregon State Police and local agencies are already burdened with backlogs, and adding a new permitting process only diverts attention from addressing actual violent crime.

Concerns with House Bill 3075:

House Bill 3075 further complicates firearm ownership by expanding restrictions and penalties that unfairly target law-abiding citizens. Instead of focusing on reducing violent crime, this bill places additional burdens on responsible gun owners, limiting their ability to exercise their constitutional rights.

Furthermore, criminalizing aspects of lawful firearm ownership does not address the root causes of crime. Lawmakers should instead focus on enforcing existing laws against violent offenders and improving mental health services to prevent crime before it happens.

Conclusion:

I urge you to reject these measures and instead support policies that target criminal activity directly without infringing on the rights of responsible gun owners. Public safety is a priority for all Oregonians, but these bills will not achieve that goal.

Instead, they impose undue burdens on law-abiding citizens while failing to address the real causes of gun violence.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I respectfully urge you to vote against Measure 114 and House Bill 3075.

Sincerely,

Cody Frazier