

Submitter: Andrew Szatkowski
On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3075

I am a registered voter in Oregon. I supported Measure 114 and I now write in support of HB3075-1.

Please pass HB 3075-1 out of committee without delay so that Measure 114 can be fully implemented. We passed Measure 114 to reduce gun violence. Data show that permits to purchase reduce the number of suicides and homicides. Common sense dictates that limiting the magazine capacity reduces the number of victims in mass shooting events.

Nobody needs a massive magazine with unlimited rounds to engage in legitimate activities such as hunting. Anybody who wants to cosplay at being a soldier should just join one of the military branches or the reserves.

The gun industry and their fellow death-cult members in the Republican party – including the Senate minority leader who uses taxpayer dollars to send weekly newsletters filled with lies about Measure 114 – have been using misinformation to generate fear about gun control. It's long past time to stop letting the lies and fearmongering of those who benefit from death and destruction to prevent the State from protecting the majority of citizens who no longer wish to live in fear of some lunatic gun nut on a murderous rampage.