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I oppose HB 3075 because, as a mother, I have the fundamental right to protect myself and my family. The ability to exercise my Second Amendment rights is essential for ensuring our safety and security. Any legislation that restricts law-abiding citizens from defending themselves and their loved ones is unacceptable. The individuals committing gun crimes are often those struggling with drug abuse and mental health issues—not responsible, law-abiding gun owners. Restricting my rights will not stop criminals from breaking the law. Guns don't kill people; people kill people. Instead of targeting law-abiding citizens, lawmakers should focus on addressing the root causes of violence, such as mental health and substance abuse.