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My husband and I were both born and raised in Oregon. We're now parents ourselves and plan to raise a family here. As parents, we feel strongly that our state needs to commit to gun safety through sensible regulation. Licensing gun dealers is a step in the right direction. Less than 2% of Oregon's 2,000 gun dealers were inspected last year, even though nearly half of inspections show significant violations like selling guns without background checks or not reporting multiple sales. States with gun dealer licensing have reduced gun trafficking by 70% and gun homicides by 36%. Nearly all other industries--taco trucks, salons, nail shops--are inspected. We must ensure the most deadly industry is held accountable to basic business standards.

Please pass HB3076 to keep crime guns out of our communities.