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Law abiding citizens are not the problem criminals are the ones who do not follow the laws. This bill will do nothing to stop violent criminals and will only disarm law abiding citizens. Concealed carry permit holders are among the most law abiding citizens in the country. Oregon has a state preemption law already to prevent creating legal traps for law abiding citizens. Armed citizens are proven to deter and violent crime. Gun free zones are commonly targeted by criminals. Vulnerable citizens and the disabled as well as women could be effected by this bill. Senate Bill 698 is not about public safety, it's about government overreach and restricting the rights of law abiding Oregonians.