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These additional powers put forth in SB1154 are completely unnecessary. This is another attack on private property rights and yet another Oregon 1-Party Dem government overreach. It is a constant assault by what should be 'our' government, run for the people, by the people, except so-called government leaders refuse to listen to the people they claim to represent.

An almost identical bill—HB3419—was just introduced in the House but there was considerable public outrage so it was withdrawn. Now the same, deaf, dumb, and blind government is back with the identical power grab, as if HB3419 was never put forth just a couple months ago and rejected. It is a constant, never-ending assault on the people, by government that refuses to listen to the people.

Rural homeowners own their land, pay property taxes, have invested thousands of dollars in their wells, made them safe delivering water to their homes and families, all costs to deliver that water paid for by them, and investment made in THEIR PROPERTY, without government help. Now, Oregon leaders demand, more regulation, MORE control over people's property, access to that private property by any government slob that shows up and decides to trespass. It will include many new rules and regulations and equipment so they can increase their surveillance and control of citizens minding their own business while providing for themselves.

Oregon government should not be going after homeowners. It's wrong and completely unnecessary. If there is commercial industry polluting the groundwater, direct your investigations to those problems, and as far I can tell you've been doing that and now just want to expand your control over homeowners who are using their own land to provide their own water. They are not, and never were, the problem. But that doesn't stop Big Oregon Dem 1-Party rule from doing everything they can to smash them.

At this point in time we need to accurately label Oregon government on all website and official documents and communication as the 'Communist State of Oregon.' Because even though we hear the screams of 'protect democracy' from the majority party ad nauseam it is beyond ridiculous to pretend Oregon is run as a democracy. SB1154 is just another example of how government leaders refuse to listen to the people, otherwise they would have respected the total rejection of HB3419.