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On Behalf Of:

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I'm writing to strongly oppose Senate Bill 1015. This plan to have the Department of Justice hand out grants to community groups to "reduce community violence" sounds like a rehash of bad ideas that have already been tried and failed miserably. Oregon doesn't need more feel-good experiments, we need results.

Oregon's high-violence communities don't need another social experiment. They need cops, courts, and consequences. SB 1015 is a step backward, and I urge you to scrap it. Focus on what works: arrest, prosecute, incarcerate.