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On Behalf Of:

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I strongly oppose this bill to change the language in the Oregon constitution to remove militia. The constitution is put into place to allow the citizens to have control over the government. The militia is made up of the citizenry and is to be called upon to defend the populace from tyranny, foreign or domestic. You cannot be allowed to try to eliminate the power of the people by rewriting our collective power out of our constitution.